ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR THE REGULATION AND CONTROL OF WATER WELL CONTRACTORS (DRILLERS) IN LOUISIANA

Meeting Summary November 02, 2022 11:00 A.M.

Prepared by:

The Department of Natural Resources

Office of Conservation

Environmental Division Staff

Advisory Committee members in attendance:

Commissioner of Conservation, Driller at Large – Scott Bergeron Ex-O; Commissioner of Conservation – Barlow Holley Appointed by Governor, Irrigation Driller, Nom of LGWA – Herschel Bourque Ex-O; Department of Health or Designee – Johan Forsman LGWA, Domestic Driller – Terry Suire Appointed by Commissioner of Conservation, Driller At-Large – Gary Hill President of the Louisiana Engineering Societ, designee – Roy Waggenspack Representative of the USGS – Vincent White

Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 11:00 a.m. The roll was called and a quorum was established.

Review of New Applicants for Louisiana Driller's License

- 1. The committee reviewed the application for <u>Rene Borrel</u> of Borrel Engineering, LLC. Herschel Bourque made the motion to accept the application and to take the test; seconded by Terry Suire. The motion passed unanimously.
- 2. The committee reviewed the application for <u>Rene Borrel</u> of Tri-State Evironmental Services, Inc. Gary Hill made the motion to accept the application and to take the test; seconded by Roy Waggenspack. The motion passed unanimously.
- 3. The committee reviewed the application for <u>Corey Hebert</u> of Tri-State Evironmental Services, Inc. Herschel Bourque made the motion to accept the application and to take the test; seconded by Terry Suire. The motion passed unanimously.
- 4. The committee reviewed the application for <u>Jeffrey Linder</u> of Discovery Acquisition Services. Gary Hill made the motion to accept the application and to take the test; seconded by Terry Suire. The motion passed unanimously.
- 5. The committee reviewed the application for **<u>Bryant Montero</u>** of Jeffrey KourCo Environmental Services, Inc. Herschel Bourque made the motion to accept the application and to take the test; seconded by Gary Hill. The motion passed unanimously.

Adoption of the August 3rd & September 26th Meeting Summaries

Herschel Bourque made the motion to accept the meeting summary, seconded by Terry Suire. The motion passed unanimously.

Review of 2022 Water Well Driller Compliance Issues

Jamie Love updated & explained to the Advisory Committee on frequent issues the Department is having with registrations & compliance to policies.

New Business

Comments were brought forward and discussion was held on 30 day period on registration. Explanation was given by Jamie Love.

Date for the Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Advisory Committee is scheduled for Wednesday, February 1, 2023 at 11:00 a.m. in the Griffon Room on the 1st floor of the LaSalle Building in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

<u>Adjourn</u> The meeting ended at approximately 11:40 a.m.