

Wendell Municipal Light Plant (MLP) Board Meeting

Tuesday, August 29, 2023 6:30 pm

Minutes

Present: MLP Board - Laurie DiDonato, Lou Leelyn(Chair); **Absent:** MLP Manager - Ray DiDonato, Robert Heller

Meeting called to order 6:35 pm

Payment Plan

Lou met with Whip city to finalize details of our payment plan for drop costs.

- Whip city had recommended 6 months as the maximum payback. The Board agreed 8 months would be best, to give people a little smaller of a monthly payment.
- It was also recommended that passing on an unpaid balance to the next owner was not a good policy, so the Board agreed that the final balance would be due with the last bill from Whip City (this would also be the case if they switch providers). This may mean some bills will not get paid and we would need to consider small claims court, as there would be no other consequence.
- It was recommended we remove the 5% fee, as it is too difficult for Whip City to handle that.

Lou will make the final changes and will reach out to customers interested in the payment plan, and to Whip City. It was agreed we will not advertise it, only provide information when someone asks.

Meeting adjourned at 6:52pm