



**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS**  
**Board of Certification of Operators of Wastewater Treatment Facilities**

**Wednesday, February 1, 2017**

9:30 a.m.

Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management  
235 Promenade St., Room 280, Providence, RI

**February Agenda**

- 1) Approval of Draft November 2, 2016 Meeting Minutes
- 2) Operator Licensure Application reviews, if any
- 3) Synagro Licensure
  - a) Licensure of new plant manager, Mr. Nicholas Quigley
  - b) Synagro past licensure issues
- 4) Request from Mr. Joseph LoBello (Bucklin Point) for relief from 1-year certification
- 5) New instructor for the Basic WWTF Course
- 6) Enforcement Coordination Between DEM and the Board
- 7) December 2016 Exam Results
- 8) Operator Enforcement: Board will seek Executive Session per § 42-46-6 and § 42-46-5(5)(a)(4)
  - a) Approval of Draft October 5, 2016 Meeting Minutes
  - b) Approval of Draft November 2, 2016 Meeting Minutes
  - c) DEM event reports, if any
  - d) Enforcement matters under consideration
    - i) Westerly Enforcement Follow-up
- 9) Evaluation of points for biological removal/advanced treatment in the Rules and Regulations Plant Classification Worksheet
- 10) Training Course Approval for Training Hours
  - a) Chemical Feed Pumps 101
  - b) Centrifugal Pump School Seminar
- 11) Frequency of Exam Schedule regarding the offering of the August exams
- 12) New Business. (Note: The Board has no other business scheduled to be discussed at the time of this posting, but Board members and the public may raise new matters during this portion of the meeting although no vote would be taken on said matter.)

The public is welcome to attend. If communication assistance is needed or any other accommodation to ensure equal participation, please contact Traci Pena at 401-222-4700, extension 2410 at least two business days prior to the meeting.