

**South Central Connecticut Regional Water Authority  
Environmental, Health & Safety Committee**

**Minutes of the May 22, 2025 Meeting**

The regular meeting of the Environmental, Health & Safety Committee of the South Central Connecticut Regional Water Authority (“RWA”) took place on Thursday, May 22, 2025, at 90 Sargent Drive, New Haven, Connecticut and via remote access. Chair Ricozzi presided.

Present: **Committee** – Messrs. Ricozzi, Borowy, Curseaden, and Mss. LaMarr(R) and Sack  
**Management** – Mss. Kowalski, Calo(R), and Messrs. Lakshminarayanan, Hill(R), and Singh  
**RPB** – Mr. Jaser  
**Staff** – Mrs. Slubowski

**4. MEET AS ENVIRONMENTAL, HEALTH & SAFETY COMMITTEE**

The Chair called the meeting to order at 12:46 p.m.

**4.1 APPROVE MINUTES – MARCH 27, 2025 MEETING**

On motion made by Mr. Curseaden and seconded by Ms. LaMarr, the Committee voted to approve the minutes of its meeting held on March 27, 2025.

Borowy	Aye
Curseaden	Aye
LaMarr	Aye
Ricozzi	Aye
Sack	Absent

**4.2 EMERGING ISSUES IN WATER INDUSTRY**

At 12:51 p.m., Ms. Sack entered the meeting.

Mr. Lakshminarayanan, the RWA’s Interim President & Chief Executive Officer, provided an update on emerging trends in the water industry, which included:

- Upcoming regulatory issues and impacts
- PFAS update
- Water quality & quantity
- Climate change

Committee members discussed fluoridation research, and current vs. past consumption.

**4.3 LEGISLATIVE SESSION UPDATE**

Mr. Lakshminarayanan provided a memorandum on the recent legislative session.

**4.4 FY 2026 COMMITTEE WORK PLAN**

The committee reviewed its FY 2026 work plan. Members requested that emerging trends be kept on the work plan, including population, water use, and infrastructure.

Mr. Borowy requested that a legislative mid-session update be added to the work plan in March 2026.

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At 1:06 p.m., on motion made by Ms. Sack and seconded by Mr. Curseaden, the Committee voted to adjourn.

Borowy	Aye
Curseaden	Aye
LaMarr	Aye
Ricozzi	Aye
Sack	Aye

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Mario Ricozzi, Chair

(R) = Attended remotely.

UNAPPROVED