



**ON-SITE SYSTEMS  
TECHNICAL REVIEW BOARD**

**SUMMARY OF ACTION**



**January 10, 2007**

**Members Present:** Joel Neimeyer PE, Chairman, Mark Musial PE, Vice Chairman, Scott Hattenburg PE, Linda Kovac, Homeowner, Jay Marvin, Homeowner

**Advisory Members:**

**Staff Present:** Dan Roth, Program Manager, Deb Wockenfuss PE, Kathy Maricle, Permit Clerk

**Guests:**

Called to order at 1145.

Introductions were made.

Minutes from the 13 December 06 meeting were approved, and will be posted on the On-Site Water & Wastewater web page.

Dan Roth gave an update on the Hillside District Plan RFP's. He stated that a consultant has been selected. Dan also informed the board what the scope of services would be.

The Tech Board continues working on updating the wastewater code.

The Board discussed a proposed requirement for design engineers to take the certification program put on by the Department that is currently provided for installers. The thinking is that although the State of Alaska licenses engineers to practice in Alaska, it is fine for local jurisdictions to have more stringent regulations including certification. The Board was of an opinion that the advanced wastewater code, permitting processes and enforcement matters were of such a unique perspective for Anchorage that requiring engineers to be certified is appropriate.

In addition, the Board discussed individual homeowners having the choice of becoming certified by taking the Department certification course and then the homeowner could construct his own septic tank/ drain field system or to hire an engineer who is certified.

At Dan's request the Board delayed consideration of COSA code sections until he can discuss with the MOA legal staff of applicability.

Meeting was adjourned at 1306.