

**Town of Ledyard
Highlands W.W.T.F.
Plant Supervisor's Report
Meeting February 25, 2026**

The goal of the plant staff is to efficiently collect and treat the wastewater and to produce the best quality effluent possible while maintaining the equipment and protecting the Town's assets.

- Sand filters are offline for further maintenance requirements.
- The settling in the Sequencing Batch Reactors has improved as the temperatures have moderated. The effluent quality is improving as well. The organisms are waking up after an extended cold weather hibernation.
- Meeting was held with GU on 2-11-26 regarding the EPA / DPH lead and copper rules and requirements. Finance departments also discussed invoicing issues as it relates to the GU agreement.
- Joey Kotfer is leaving his position as shift operator this month. We are currently accepting applications for his replacement. CT DEEP has been notified of this situation.
- The Smith & Loveless washer/ compactor bearings need to be replaced soon.
- Nutmeg tools have fabricated a part for the hatch at Lakeside pump station. Waiting for a good day to install it.
- WAS pump was cleaned out and inspected. The impeller was a little worn. Will check the motor amp draw to see if that needs to be replaced. Unit is still pumping around 230 GPM. Unit #1 is 310 GPM.
- The YSI Pro 20 DO meter has been sent out for repairs and calibration.

Respectfully

submitted,

**Stephen W.
Banks**

