WWT-2020-9 – E Coli CFU / MPN

B. Hennig presented the issue paper regarding the reporting methods for E. Coli. He noted that Standard Methods 9221 is reported as MPN, but portions of section 8 of NSF/ANSI 350 use CFU.

**Motion by A. Rubin**
Send issue paper WWT-2020-9 to JC approval ballot

**Second:**
E. Roeder

**Discussion:**
T. Bruursema noted that CFU is usually a membrane technique usually used on influent, and that the more involved MPN technique is typically used on effluent. G. Heufelder suggested changing the language to “CFU or MPN”

**Friendly Amendment by**
T. Bruursema:
Revise language to include CFU or MPN

**Discussion:**
J. Bell suggested the group ensure a language change would not require a retest. B. Hennig suggested that the group look at another issue paper he submitted on a related topic before making a decision.

WWT-2020-12 - 350 TC CFU & MPN issue

B. Hennig submitted the issue paper to address the standard having a primary and secondary method, each with their own reporting units. The goal was to harmonize the language with equivalent requirements being used for CFU and MPN and affirming whether the units are considered equivalent.

**Friendly Amendment by**
A. Rubin:
Combine WWT-2020-12 with WWT-2020-9 language and send to Joint Committee approval ballot.

**Second:**
D. Jumper

**Discussion:**
None.

**Vote:**
All in favor

**Motion:**
Carries