

Regular Town Board Meeting April 28, 2015

Supervisor Votra opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance at 6:00 P.M.

Roll Call: Supervisor Votra, Councilwoman Robinson, Councilwoman Tremper, Councilman Cook, Councilman Sweeney, Assessor and Code Enforcement Officer Ferguson, Superintendent of Public Works Woods, Highway Superintendent Remington, Deputy Town Clerk Sherry Remington

Others Present: Elbridge E. Randall, Yvonne Cook, Madeline Pennington, Saint Lawrence County Legislator Rick Perkins, Darin Saiff, Milt DeGraw, Michael Bloom, Kristine Bloom, Jerry Hayes, Joseph McGill, Larry Page, Victor Barbosa (Courier Freeman Newspaper), Ron Ferguson

A motion was made by Councilwoman Tremper and seconded by Councilman Cook to approve the minutes of the regular meeting on March 22, 2015 as submitted by the Town Clerk.

All in favor.

Privilege of the Floor: Legislator Perkins informed us that the Legislators are busy filling County Positions.

The Legislators are also working on several resolutions, a boat wash in Star Lake, Amish buggies to display a reflective slow moving triangle and some restrictions for concealed weapons. Legislator Perkins will also check into providing help from the Youth Core for the Parishville Park this summer.

M. DeGraw asked if the Town could donate any money to replace some of the flags that AMVETS place in Cemeteries, River Walk and on light poles on Main Street.

Madeline Pennington asked if she could do a survey in Town to see if there would be any interest in Public Transit.

A motion was made by Councilman Cook and seconded by Councilman Sweeney to donate money from the Beautification Fund to help replace the Flags.

All in favor

A motion was made by Councilwoman Robinson and seconded by Councilwoman Tremper for M. Pennington to collect more information on Public Transit for the Town.

All in favor

CEO Report:

CEO Ferguson reported the Code Office is starting to pick up.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Tremper and seconded by Councilwoman Robinson to accept the written CEO report as submitted and to be filed with the Town Clerk.

All in favor.

Assessor's Report:

Assessor Ferguson reported he has the new tax roll for 2015. He has mailed out Assessment change notification letters.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Tremper and seconded by Councilwoman Robinson to accept the Assessor's report as given by Assessor Ferguson.

All in favor.

Water District Report:

Superintendent of Public Works Woods reported it is time to have the 5 year inspection done on the water tank at the Water Facility.

A motion was made by Councilman Sweeney and seconded by Councilman Cook for Superintendent Woods to schedule the water tank inspection.

All in favor

A motion was made by Councilman Sweeney and seconded by Councilwoman Tremper to accept the Water District report as given by Superintendent of Public Works Woods.

All in favor.

Recreation Report:

Superintendent of Public Works Woods reported he has been getting the ball fields ready. There are 104 youths signed up for baseball this season. Mr. Woods would like the Town Board's permission to hire Water Front and Grounds Director as soon as possible.

A motion was made by Councilman Cook and seconded by Councilman Sweeney to hire a Water Front and Grounds Director as soon as possible.

All in favor.

A motion was made by Councilman Sweeney and seconded by Councilwoman Tremper to accept the Recreation report as given by Superintendent of Public Works Woods.

All in favor.

Recreation Committee Report:

Councilwoman Tremper reported the Recreation Committee has been busy planning a fun run and other family activities for Fun Day July 25, 2015 at the Parishville Park.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Robinson and seconded by Councilman Sweeney to accept the Recreation Committee Report.

All in favor.

Business:

a. A letter of interest was received from Michael Tremper to fill the position on Board of Assessment Review.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Robinson and seconded by Councilman Sweeney to appoint M. Tremper to the Board of Assessment Review.

- Councilman Sweeney Aye*
 - Councilman Cook Aye*
 - Councilwoman Robinson Aye*
 - Councilwoman Tremper Abstain*
- Carried.*

b. Approval for agreement to spend Town Highway Funds.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Tremper and seconded by Councilman Sweeney to approve agreement to spend Town Highway Funds as submitted by Highway Superintendent Remington.

All in favor.

c. Bids for line striping / Town parking lots

A motion was made by Councilman Cook and seconded by Councilwoman Robinson to accept the bid from Barney and Smith.

All in favor.

Correspondence Received:

a. National Society of the DAR has requested more information on an approved cemetery marker.

Supervisor Votra will work with Madeline Pennington to send the information to DAR.

Highway Report:

Highway Superintendent Remington reported that he is working on getting the spring work done.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Robinson and seconded by Councilman Sweeney to accept the Highway report as given by Highway Superintendent Remington.

All in favor.

A motion was made by Councilman Cook and seconded by Councilwoman Robinson to authorize the Highway Superintendent to proceed with expanding the ball fields at the Parishville Park.

All in favor.

Bills:

A motion was made by Councilman Cook and seconded by Councilman Sweeney to accept the bills and payrolls as follows and the Town Clerk's Report as filed in the Town Clerk's Office:

1. General Account Bills: \$13,884.20
2. Highway Account Bills: \$29,138.49
3. Water Account Bills: \$3,846.68
4. Supervisor's Report ó
Payroll #13 ó 03/21/15 (General- \$ 6,987.67, Highway- \$ 11,157.53,
Water- \$ 630.20)
Payroll #14 ó 03/28/15 (General- \$ 2,793.51, Highway- \$ 10,831.25,
Water- \$ 227.35)
Payroll #15 ó 03/31/15 (General- \$ 1,038.97) Quarterly pays.
Payroll #16 ó 04/04/15 (General- \$ 6,915.52, Highway- \$ 11,309.54,
Water- \$ 283.87)
Payroll #17 ó 04/11/15 (General- \$ 2,794.67, Highway- \$8,495.28,
Water- \$ 372.37)
Payroll #18 ó 04/18/15 (General- \$ 7,269.20, Highway- \$7,806.51,
Water- \$ 458.13)

All in favor.

A motion was made by Councilman Cook and seconded by Councilwoman Robinson to adjourn the meeting at 6:45 PM.

All in favor.

Meeting Dates:

May 26, 2015 @ 10:00 AM

Auditors: Councilwoman Tremper and Councilman Cook

Sherry Remington
Deputy Town Clerk