

Village Of Newport regular meeting – April 15, 2019

The regular meeting of the Village of Newport was called to order on April 15, 2019 @ 7:02 PM by Mayor Hennings with the following members present:

Mayor - Ashley Hennings
Trustee – Steven Woods
Trustee – Thomas Roberts

Tricia Foster (clerk), Cathy Asaro (deputy clerk), Herm Harris (street superintendent), Michael Woods (water superintendent), Daniel Burgess (Village Lawyer), Dale Moran, John Piseck (Herkimer County), Darren Heidelberger (KVAC), Jack Hasse (KVAC), Jim Doyle (KVAC), Bill Keiffer, George Farley (codes & Zoning), Bob Deacon

Absent:
Michele Weakley (treasurer)

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Minute:

Motion made by Trustee Roberts, Seconded by Mayor Hennings to accept the minutes as written for the February 18, 2019 meeting.

All in favor: Mayor Hennings, Trustee Roberts

Opposed: None

Trustee Woods abstained

Motion carried

Dept. Heads Report:

History:

No report

Water Superintendent:

Michal Woods gave his report and it will be placed on file,
Will need to do lead & cooper sampling this year, 10 samples will need to be taken from homes with older service lines or older interior plumbing.

Street Superintendent:

Herm Harris gave his report and it will be placed on file.

Codes & Zoning:

George Farley gave his report and it will be placed on file.

Fire District:

Mayor Hennings stated that the calendar is not working. Meeting are being changed and other meeting already on the calendar are not being informed. Will follow up on this.

Playground:

No New Business

Treasurer:

No report given at meeting time

water abs 10 vouchers 43-49 \$1666.25 checks 3481-3485

general abs 10 vouchers 125-140 \$62129.56 checks 11001-11015

Kuyahooro Vol. Ambulance:

Jack Hasse came and spoke about the current standing of the ambulance and the hardships that they are starting to face. Discussion ensued.

Herkimer County:

John Piseck was here to talk about current things going on and what type of grants are out there and things that they can do to help. Discussion ensued.

Public comment to start @ 7:58PM not to exceed 30 minutes:

Dale Moran and Bob Deacon were present to speak about the water main leak that they are having at their homes. The service line is outside of the village limits so not sure if there is anything that the village can do to help with this, there are only 2 people of this line. Michael Woods stated that Rural water would come for free and help detect exactly were the leak is. Discussion ensued and Mayor Hennings stated that the village would talk about if there was anything that we could do.

Bill Keiffer was there about his water bill and the usage being so high. Stated that he is working to Herm Harris and that the last 2 quarters his usage has been high, Mayor Hennings stated that she would talk with Michele Weakley about this. Also stated that at the playground there are people hitting balls and wants to make sure they none of them end up at his house. Mayor Hennings stated that we are working on getting a rules of the park sign together and hoped to have the competed soon.

Motion made by Mayor Hennings, seconded by Trustee Roberts to close the meeting @ 8:32PM

All in favor: Mayor Hennings, Trustee Woods, Trustee Roberts

Opposed: none

Motion carried

The vouchers were reviewed and signed and the bank statements and balance sheets were reviewed.

Respectfully submitted,
Tricia L Foster
Village Clerk