



Village of Wells River
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May 2 , 2024 Minutes

Present: Chip Conquest, Mike Thomas , Jean Welch , Mary Schilke , Jason Winchester, Shannon Young , Richard Roderick

Call to Order Spm by Chip Conquest

Approve Agenda - Public Comments will be moved to the top in all future agendas. Jean made Motion Mike seconded All in favor

Approve and accept minutes of April 18, 2024 Mike Approved Chip Seconded all in Favor

Public Comments: None

Misc: Brian Kovalic did not attend but a deadline was postponed till the 15th Village Designation –Richard feels it should be expanded to include the Wells River Garage , Dads and possibly the real Estate and gun Shop. Status of Sidewalk Repair Jock Oil

Water & Sewer – Sewer Repairs Scheduled for today were rescheduled due to high river water. No significant change after Hatchbox Repair

Mary asked for approval of the final door notice See Attached for the delinquent water /sewer accounts who have not made arrangements .

Highway –Estimate For Paige to Repair Flood Damage from July Floods was Given Estimate #1043 Once the road is open, and we have a state engineer here to look at it we will proceed with determining the extent of damage

Jock Oil Sidewalk was filled in .

Crosswalk Signs – Mike wanted to know if we should permanently put out the sidewalk signs, We need to check with the state to see if they can be permanently installed. Shannon will discuss it with the state and come back with an answer.

Discussion over people parking in no parking area and Handicapped slot all day Trustees say this issue must be addressed.

Flags – Jean guesstimate that it would be approx. 25.99 each the pole and Hangar would be 5ft , White pole with a spinner for 27.99 so based on Motion was made by Chip to count the # of poles with lights we would need and voting on it next meeting. Chip made a motion for the amount of \$1500 be



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authorized for the purchase of flags and installation in the Village. Mike Seconded all In favor.

Shannon got some estimates for the Sidewalk Repairs needs to know if we will use the Granite or cement Curb Stops.

Financials – Congressionally Directed Spending was applied for and Chip got requests for more info. If we do get this, we need to decide what we would use it for Sewer wise.

Mike discussed talking to Newbury Selectboard re the Speed signs. No direct answer was given.

Mike also asked what the Wells River Road tax did that was given to them, how did it benefit us. Susan Culp said she is going to help follow up on that.

Tax Sale Guidelines will be set at the next Meeting.

We Need to still find another Auditor. Jean Suggested Frank Tegethoff. Adjourn Meeting 5:30 PM Jean made motion Mike Seconded All in favor.