



Williamsburg Water/Sewer Commission

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Minutes for Meeting on: Tuesday, April 25, 2023 @ 5:00 PM Held at Town Offices, 141 Main Street, Haydenville Public Present:	Members:	Present	Not Present
	Eric Cerreta, Chairman	x	
	Paul Kennedy		x
	Gary Benoit	x	
	Paul Sanderson	x	
	James Packard	x	
	Brenda Lessard, Secretary	x	
	Others Present:		
	Bryan Osetek-Oper.	x	
	Dan Banister-Highway		

Meeting called to order at 5:02 p.m.

Article for Town Meeting:

The quotes have been received for the refurbishment of Well 1. The commission will ask for \$50,000 from their water retained earnings at the Annual Town Meeting to do the new electrical pump, motor and integrate Well 1 with the other well controls.

Weston & Sampson:

The Commission is still waiting for the report.

Resignation:

The Commission were sad to hear that Paul Kennedy was resigning from the Water & Sewer Commission effective immediately. (EC) will look into having Northampton send the testing and flow results to someone else.

South Main Street Project:

Bryan Osetek reported that the specifications have been given to the Town Administrator to put the project out to bid. This will cover the remainder of the houses, a 6" insertion valve, and one hydrant. The second phase is Fort Hill Road and the third phase would be Deer Haven, Randall Wade and Highview connection. The work will be split into three projects to help the project stay within the funding.

Computer:

Bryan Osetek has talked with Elm. They suggest a cloud-based back-up. The commission discussed this and decided to allow Bryan to purchase an external hard drive and additionally do the cloud-based back-up as suggested by Elm Electric. The yearly subscription is expected to be about \$90 a year.

16 Main Street:

The hydrant was relocated at the new Public Safety Complex at 16 Main Street. A six inch line was installed.

Eric Cerreta, Chair

Paul Kennedy

Gary Benoit

Paul Sanderson

James Packard

Consumer Confidence Report:

(BO) reminded Ms. Lessard that the CCR report will be due soon.

Abatement Request:

An abatement request was submitted by Eric Cerreta for a pool liner installation. The commission looked over the abatement as submitted by the Collector. Motion made and seconded to abate \$193.75 off the current bill for Eric Cerreta, 157 Main Street. The current bill is \$546.12 and after the abatement, the bill will be \$352.37. (EC) abstained from any discussion or vote.

8 Lawton Hill Road:

The commission reviewed the download from 8 Lawton Hill Road. The owner reported an increase in her billing. After review by the commission, they were all in agreement that the billing looks like it is based on the usage of water that went through the meter. Everything looked okay to them.

Motion made, seconded, and unanimously voted to adjourn at 5:31 PM.

Respectively submitted,
Brenda Lessard, Secretary