

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS
MINUTES OF MEETING – June 10, 2014

Members Present: Robert Bartini Chairman, Bill Enser, Peter Jahn, Nelson Daley, Roger Scheurer and Monica Ryan. Others Present: Bob Nason
Chairman Robert Bartini called the meeting to order at 3:30 PM.

Commitment

BPW signed Water and Sewer Commitment

Abatement

Bud Brown – Bud Brown submitted a request for adjustment to his Water and Sewer bill, Bud stated that he replaced his pool. BPW agreed that they cannot take any action until his next reading which would be July 2014. Angela will send a letter to Mr. Brown stating to resubmit another request when he receives his next Water and Sewer bill and if approved it would only be for the Sewer portion.

Water Dept

Sanitary Survey– Will be discussed at next meeting when Chris Pompei is present to address some of the deadline issues.

Water Shut- Offs – Bob Nason informed the BPW that the first delinquent letters went out on June 2, 2014. Monica Ryan requested to get a report of the delinquent amounts owed for next BPW meeting with a comparison of prior years.

Water Tank – Bob Nason updated the BPW and informed the Board that at this time the Town's only cost would be emptying the tank.

Schweitzer-Mauduit – Roger Scheurer reported that on behalf of Schweitzer-Mauduit there was a 4" water line that had frozen and burst. Roger stated that the valve is broken and could not be shut off. The water dept tried to shut the water off at the intersection of Columbia St and E. Center St and was unsuccessful. Roger stated that he was able to successfully shut the water off. Roger Scheurer informed the Board that with the new buyer they will have another problem this winter and it will freeze and break and has suggested if the town can repair the valve that is broken on Columbia and E. Center St.

Sewer Dept - None

Highway/Cemetery Dept

Tyringham Rd – Bob Nason brought the Board up to date and also informed the Board that there was a ground breaking ceremony on 06/09/2014.

Other

A letter will be sent out to the Select Board requesting a response regarding the BPW vs. Town Administrator.

Budget Report- Leave on agenda to discuss at next meeting

Executive Session

No Executive Session at this meeting.

Approve May 13, 2014 Minutes

Bill Enser made a motion to approve May 13, 2014 Minutes with corrections, seconded by Peter Jahn. The motion passed unanimously.

The next BPW meeting will be Thursday, June 26, 2014 @ 9:00am at the Airolidi Building.

The meeting adjourned at 4:30 PM

Respectfully submitted,
Angela Cook

cc: Selectman, Assessor, Clerk, Treasurer, Planning/Zoning Board, Building Inspector, Collector, and Town Administrator, Highway Dept, Sewer Plant, and Water Plant