

Village of Norwood Regular Board Meeting  
May 16, 2016

**The next regular monthly Village Board meeting will be June 7, 2016, the first Tuesday of the month and scheduled as such from that date on.**

The regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Norwood was called to order May 16, 2016 at 6:00 PM by Mayor Tim Levison.

Also Present: Boprey, diVincenzo, Zagrobelny, Nezezon  
Clerk Susan Bartlett  
DPW Supt. McGregor  
Police OIC Harris  
Recreation Dir. Nick Orologio

Visitors: Alta Robinson, Sue LaValley, Ti Simcox, Jane Peacock & Joe Liotta (came in later)

Motion Zagrobelny/diVincenzo to approve minutes of the last meetings. Ayes 4.

A suggestion was made that the FD note a date and initials on bills submitted so that it is recorded when they get them to the clerk. Motion Zagrobelny/Boprey to approve payment of the abstracts of audited bills and authorize transfers. Ayes 4.

**DEPT. HEAD REPORTS:**

**DPW** report. Mike di asked if there was any news of getting to use a stumper this year. Dan said (we got charged for it last year) that it is usually in the Fall and the County got new ones so not sure if we will even get one. Mike also asked how Kuenzler is doing? Response is, he is working on his driveway: no complaints.

**WATER/SEWER** report.

**POLICE** report.

**BEACH** opening Memorial Day weekend for just weekends until third week of June, then full time until Labor Day. School kids coming; Cleanup for boat launch area started.

**MAYOR:**

- Blue Water Kiosk going to be taken on by Kiwanis with help from Historian Tony Nocerino; crew will do the ditch & sidewalk with the funding.
- The dock at the boat launch needs repair and Larry Averill feels it poses a safety hazard. The Mayor dispelled the notion that it is a Village boat launch and dock – it is Brookfield Power's boat launch and the dock is put in by the Lake Association. Kris Nezezon stated that Brookfield is required to provide the boat launch ramp and a handicap accessible fishing dock, but does not have any other dock at any of the other locations. The Lake Assoc. will maintain it again this year, but unknown for the future.
- Residents along Rt. 56 from the Village to the school are pursuing that issue.
- new building permit fee rate schedule proposed for approval.
- FD treasurer, Mayor, and Village Clerk to meet to attempt a system so the FD knows what their monthly maintenance bills are.
- Steffanic visit was good- 12 from various fields of interest got to ask her about issues.
- complaints of yard sale signs left up after sales unsightly; the code says they are to be taken down directly after the sale period; also, garage sales sometimes cause a traffic hazard – people having sales should have a place for people to park.
- hydrants flushed last Thursday. No apparent complaints.
- Trivilino Hill sign in progress – comes from State.
- 4 wheeler run went well apparently.
- Memorial Day Parade participation requested.
- FD call to Baldwin Acres second building and no one had a key to turn off the alarm. The FD has never had a run-through of the new building; the Mayor thinks they should have a drill and be shown through it.
- there has been a lot of interest in the old fountain at the old elementary school, hopes that it could be renovated and operational again; Alta and Sue here to speak about it.

**VISITORS:**

Erick Ericksen from 1 River Road cited a letter he sent to the Mayor and Board regarding a decline in the property at 38 Ridge St. Prior there was an old sofa left by the road and portions of his fence down, which he was notified about and remedied, but now he is trucking in old vehicles – at least 7 so far which are very unsightly. Leonard will be informed.

Alta (Haggett) Robinson spoke about all the nostalgic “chatter” on the internet concerning the old school fountain; there is interest in making it and possibly the school site useful again. Considerable discussion resulted in the idea of a committee being formed to get all input, suggestions, and/or funding possibilities.

Joe Liotta mentioned fund raising through “Adirondack Gives”.

Tim Simcox has a culvert in front of his house that collects sand and debris and poses a parking problem for his residence. He would like to propose it be piped/covered over; he would pay for the pipe if the Village would put it in. Discussion followed. Dan will work up the feasibility.

**ACTION ITEMS:**

**1. REVISED BUILDING PERMIT FEE SCHEDULE:** Motion diVincenzo/Zagobelny to accept the ew fee schedule as presented. Ayes 4.

Meeting adjourned 7:17.