

Village of Norwood Regular Board Meeting  
June 15, 2015

The regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Norwood was called to order June 15, 2015 at 5:00 PM by Mayor Tim Levison.

Also Present: Trustees Besaw, Boprey, diVincenzo  
Clerk Susan Bartlett  
DPW Supt. McGregor  
Police OIC Jay Harris  
Youth Dir. Nick Orologio  
Zoning Officer Leonard Halpern

Others Present: Margaret Enslow, Sharleen Jay, Jim Tyler, Fred LaPlante, Alice Osoway, Gabriel Thomas, Alice David, Mary Ellen Todd, Glen & Elaine Perry, Aaron Jarvis, Phil Canatta.

Motion Besaw/Boprey to approve minutes of the last meetings. Ayes 3.

Motion Besaw/diVincenzo to approve payment of the abstracts of audited bills in the following amounts: General \$76396.93; Water Fund \$1499.61; Sewer Fund \$3862.51. Ayes 3.

A petition "We, residents of Baldwin Avenue, are requesting that the work on the new 16 Unit Project be suspended. The residents of Baldwin Avenue have incurred damage from sewer and water backup into our homes and properties which has resulted in considerable cost. We request that an emergency meeting be held to determine the cause of and solution to the problems that we are facing before the completion of the 16 Unit Project" was received June 8, 2015 signed by Gloria VanAtter, Mary Ellen Todd, Rita LaPlante, Pat Larose, and Alice Osoway. Aaron started by telling plans of the project and then individuals voiced their concerns which primarily consists of water runoff and the fact that the sewer line has plugged before. It was pointed out that the sewer backup is not the engineer's responsibility or should affect the project. They can't be held accountable for those problems. The Village is going to take care of part of the ditching, but the problem with water runoff is that the RR culvert is what controls the water level and it is not low enough. The RR says it is fine and will do nothing more.

**DEPT. HEAD REPORTS:**

**DPW** report. Paving June 22<sup>nd</sup>. Need to decide on purchase of loader.

**POLICE** report. Getting busy.

**FIRE DEPT:** Name for membership approval

**ZONING:** A few complaint issues being handled; going to issue Parham appearance ticket.

**YOUTH:** Beach opening full time this weekend. Sign in honor of Pete done but not placed yet; first duathlon tomorrow. Nick says Lavack, construction guy still has keys to gate and arena that need to be returned.

**MAYOR:**

1. Summer help to beach July 13.
2. Dollar General coming slowly.
3. Are keys to front door accounted for. Answer is yes.
4. NCC wires everywhere – waiting on Watson to finish

**TRUSTEES:**

Boprey wants something in the park to honor Jim. Possibly get donations from community.

diVincenzo attended Mayors Assoc. meeting and found it helpful and interesting; made contacts; will continue. The RR Museum needs a Board.

**VISITORS:**

Glen Perry – no separate road for rowers at beach as planned... answered no, decided not to.

- Says he was told by Jim that the River St. lot he bid on would be cleaned before purchase. Tim says no, that we would have to hire it out. Glen asked if Village would mow one more time. Will do.

**ACTION ITEMS:**

1. **FD MEMBER:** Motion Boprey/Besaw to approve name of Joshua Cook for FD membership. Ayes 3.

The Sue, the Clerk, passed out a blurb originally planned for Jim about the need to hire a deputy clerk to be training for her eventual retirement; someone who would plan on taking over the job and who could be actually taking over some tasks. Perhaps advertise. The Board will consider it.

Meeting adjourned 6:30PM.