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PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING Trash/Water/Sewer (Pruett/Albers/Blaies/Matchett) Wednesday, October 12, 2016 at 5:45 p.m.

The Public Works Committee Meeting was called to order at 6:02 p.m. on Wednesday, October 12, 2016, by Chairman Dean Pruett. Members present were Chairman Dean Pruett, Trustee Denise Albers (absent), Trustee Mike Blaies, Trustee Ray Matchett, Mayor Seth Speiser, Village Clerk Jerry Menard, Trustee Lisa Meehling, Trustee Matt Trout, Public Works Director John Tolan, Village Administrator Tony Funderburg and Office Manager Julie Polson.

A. OLD BUSINESS:

1. Approval of September 14, 2016 minutes: Trustee Ray Matchett motioned to approve the Septemer 14, 2016 minutes and Trustee Mike Blaies seconded the motion. All voting yea, the motion carried.
2. Sewer project: Administrator Tony Funderburg said the project will be staked out next week. Haier said they will come out as soon as they are able to. Tony will get a weekly update from Tim Pruett.
3. Sewer issues: Public Works Director John Tolan said he had Hans and the Fire Department go out and check for combustible or explosive gases in the manholes last week, and the tests came back negative. There is a strong smell inside Lucky Joes. They vented for several minutes which helped, and Gregg is venting every other day. We aren't seeing a sheen anywhere and it's not showing up at the plant. A gentleman from the Groundwater Division of the EPA visited Mary McGraw, and John advised him of all we were doing. He also told the EPA representative that we were going to have Walden out to televise. The EPA representative has no clue where it is coming from either, and agreed it could be air currents. John said the manhole at Jacks Car Wash is in bad shape, and the sewer line behind Jacks is collapsing. His would like to have that one lined.

We are cleaning the sewer lines from Woodsvew to Lakeview, and Bob Jenkins found large pieces of concrete in the sewer. We will also televise that to see where those are coming from, and may line that one as well. Tony said mine subsidience in that area could be a contributing factor.

4. FSH Minutes: John said when SLM switched over to free chlorine, we didn't get much and complained to them, and have received more. We will be back to normal shortly and shouldn't smell the extra chlorine.
5. Radio Read Meters: We are waiting fr Midwest Meter's contractor to come replace the defective meters.
6. New Water Lines: There is nothing new on this.
7. Tracer Wire for New Service Line Installs: John is working n this.

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B. NEW BUSINESS: John said we conducted our lead and copper sampling and collected 20 samples. We had 1 over the limit at 105 S. Alton, and that house has been vacant for about 6 months. We are ranked in a percentile, and all the other samples were well below. He doesn't think we'll have a public notice on the one high sample. Jesse contacted the homeowner to advise him it was high. We are going to have the water flushed out of house and then resample. We also have to send a letter to all of the other homeowners to let them know the results. John said we received a call from BND regarding school sampling. Tony reached out to the grade school, and we collected 72 samples at the Primary Center and Grade school and those were sent off today. We are going to reach out to the daycares as well.

Tony advised we have a resident with a high water usage on Kamper Cottage. We are reeding it once a week to see if we can catch it. John bought a water-saver kit to hand out to customers. John advised the hydrant flushing is almost done. JT said Hubbel Wiegmanns has applied for a NPDES permit. They have done a couple test runs, and John is comfortable signing off on it.

C. GENERAL CONCERNS: None.

D. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: None.

E. ADJOURN: *Trustee Ray Matchett motioned to adjourn the meeting at 6:17 p.m. and Trustee Mike Blaies seconded the motion. All voting aye, the motion carried.*



Julie Polson,
Office Manager