

**BOARD OF WATER/SEWER COMMISSIONERS**

**166 John Scott Blvd., Norton MA 02766**

**Tuesday August 8, 2017**

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**6:30pm Meeting called to order. Commissioners Luke Grant, Tom Weir, Steve Bishop, Bernie Marshall and Fran Yanuskiewicz, Steve Pederson, Citizens' Paul Gallant 40 Freeman Street; Adrian Vodraska, Pam Cruickshank, 92 Plain Street**

Call to order:

Paul Gallant addressed the Board with concerns for additional literature at the Town Hall, as to contact information regarding the Water/Sewer Offices. Mr. Gallant also asked questions pertaining to the water quality, and what was being done, and referenced a Facebook page that community members started. Mr. Gallant was informed of the issue with the Archaeological work that was ordered to be done, and the time that the project has been set back by the work. He also was informed that the project was now back on track. The residents of 92 Plain Street came in for the same information, as their water quality had been disrupted over a period of time. The Board assured them of the Treatment Facilities capability to overcome this issue, and that there were temporary avenues that they could look into, namely a water filter, and that they were relatively affordable, and that the Produce Barn gave Norton residents a discount. Home Depot also sells cheap effective filters as well.

Weston & Sampson Updates:

Steve Pederson gave an overview of the paving to be done on Pine and Plain Streets. Contractor will be raising structures on the 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>, and will be asphaltting on the 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>. Fran spoke of a few projects such as the Grant work for the Mass Works application, and also the Smart Growth Land Use Controls that were sent for DEP to approve. Discussion also included water work projects, such as East Main Street, and Condyne's work on Leonard St. and Rt. 123. Fran also spoke of the West Main Street project, and involvement with Jay Barrows, Mike Yunits, and the Selectmen.

Motion from Board member Steve Bishop: To authorize Bernard Marshall, Superintendent to sign a contract with Weston and Sampson for professional services, as long as the dates and scope of work was updated, and in line with last year's contract.

Tom Weir: Second

LUKE GRANT; AYE

STEVE BISHOP; AYE

TOM WEIR; AYE

Superintendent's Update:

Lighting Contractor to be on site next week.

Fran and Bernie met with the DOT and SRPEDD people in regards to the West Main Street Sewer Project.

E-mailed Town Counsel on the SBA Electric discrepancy.

Video Camera was fixed, and company will give a quote to update the system.

Manholes on Reservoir St. were addressed, more parts on order to complete.

A letter was sent to the Great Brook Condo Association in regards to their inquiry of the sprinkler line charges.

Fire Department Personnel notified that Water/Sewer Personnel need ID's.

**Chairman's Business;**

Chairman Grant asked Bernie to look into which Department was being serviced by the Tower on Newland St. Investigate who needs the power there, and which Departments are responsible for the use.

All appropriately processed bills were signed.

Next meeting: August 22, 2017 6:30 PM.

Meeting adjourned 8:30 pm.

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ACCEPTED AND APPROVED MINUTES FOR THE

Board Meeting Held: August 8, 2017

Respectfully submitted,

Donald E. Michale

Superintendent

[Signature]  
Luke Grant, Chairman

8/23/17  
Date Approved

Steve Bishop, Clerk

Date Approved

[Signature]  
Thomas Weir, Member

8/23/17  
Date Approved