New Buffalo Borough Meeting Minutes June 10, 2024

Call to Order

Secretary Jessica Ibaugh called the meeting of the New Buffalo Borough Council to order at 7:00 pm on June 10th, 2024 in the basement of the New Buffalo United Methodist Church.

Roll Call

Present were council members: Adam Pavusik, Jason Foster, Irene Conjar, and Jessica Ibaugh. The following persons were also present: Joe Kistler

Reading of last Month's Minutes

Upon motion of Jason Foster seconded by Irene Conjar, the May 2024 minutes were approved as presented. All in favor none opposed.

Comments from Visitors

Correspondence-

Borough Treasurer's Report

-Upon motion Adam Pavusik seconded by Irene Conjar, the June 2024 Borough Treasurer report was approved as presented. All in favor none opposed.

Sewer Treasurer's Report

- Upon motion of Irene Conjar seconded by Jason Foster, the June 2024 Sewer Treasurer report was approved as presented. All in favor none opposed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Sewage/Sewage Authority Report

Adam- Rough month, pump 1 clogged early in month then failed later that month. Pump #2 also failed. Section of pipe worn through and needs replace; repaired eventually. Screen also was clogged, venturi for pump #2 couldn't put back on because of debris clogging. Adam to coordinate with Skelly and Loy to do confined space entry to repair pumps and screen, pipe. Control failure, Adam still trying to find replacement. Asked Skelly and Loy to help find a replacement. Stan ordered level sensor around \$1300 since our original controller is obsolete we will need to reconfigure new controller and have it re-wired. Also talked to Stan about getting train 2 operational and Stan said he wanted to avoid that and just clean out train 1 and reopen the same day. -Need Klines to pump grease and solids. -Need to check on grease trap at Pizza shop to make sure it's still in use. *Motion to have Klines pump sewer plant, first by Jason Foster, seconded by Irene Conjar, all in favor none opposed.

-Check on generator cost, need to have someone look at our current system set up and quote what we need to run what we currently have plus the auger.

<u>Sewage Solicitor-Dennis Shatto-</u> Borough is in need of rules and regulations for new sewer connection and reconnection fees, etc. Council to review copy of another municipality's sewer rules and regulations.

PCCOG-

<u>Street Committee</u> Refine resolution. Issues with people speeding in town, ask State Police to patrol every once in a while.

Refuse coordinator -

<u>Playground</u> - Camera to be installed. Adam boarded up other two windows facing the park.

Ordinance Violations-

<u>Rental</u> – Adam to be moving in a couple months, start getting quotes for new room and insulation. Gutters on control room building also need cleaned out.

NEW BUSINESS

Borough Bills

-Upon motion of Irene Conjar seconded by Adam Pavusik, the June 2024 Borough Bills were approved to be paid as presented. All in favor none opposed.

Sewer Bills

-Upon motion of Jason Foster, seconded by Irene Conjar, the June 2024 Sewer Bills were approved to be paid as presented. All in favor none opposed.

GOOD of the ORDER/ANNOUNCEMENTS ADJOURN

Upon motion of Jason Foster seconded by Irene Conjar, all in favor none opposed, council adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Jessica Ibaugh- Secretary/Treasurer