

## Groveland Water & Sewer Commissioners Meeting

November 16, 2015

Attending: Chairman, Jack Willett, Jim Sheehan, Richard Danforth

Chairman, Willett opened the meeting at 4:35 PM.

Jack Willett motioned to accept the minutes of October 19<sup>th</sup>, seconded by Jim Sheehan. Both were in favor, Richard Danforth unstained.

There was a discussion in regards to Shawna and Jason Murray residents of 99 King Street. Jim Sheehan wanted to know what type of service in the street they had. Tom Cusick would like to e-mail them separately to discuss this situation. Tom would like to schedule their service in the spring but the Commissioners would like it done before winter.

Tom also suggested that we could jet pump the service. First the department would have to look at the interior plumbing first. We could remove the meter from the pit. Hook up filling the drawing water from the service if the plumbing inside the house is uncertain. There was some question of how many times do they complain. Jim Sheehan felt that we should just je the line out. Tom will send both of them e-mails separately. The board would also like this done before winter.

Tom Cusick stated that the department deals with the dirty water calls immediately.

There was a lengthy discussion regarding the integrity of the pipes of King Street and Main Street. Main Street's water pipe is punky where the pipe on King Street is solid metal, stronger. In the Capital Plan it suggests replacing both pipes and replacing Perry Hill. Tom stated the Capital Plan suggests fire connection fee by the inch. Such as Eric Harper in Main Street.

Ryan Allgrove from Environmental Partners proposed a hydrant fee and fire service fee along with our system development fee. He will be attended the next meeting to discuss all these fee and adjusting them if necessary. Also there was a question of how many customers benefit from the fire services that don't have water. Also the ISO rating effects the whole town. Tom feels this should be worked out with the Fire Department. Ryan Allgrove will be at the next scheduled meeting to discuss all of this.

King Street – Homestead

This project is completed and tied into the low side of the town's water. Francis Ave is tied into the high side of the water. All the taps are done for both the water and the sewer.

Pecker Lane

This job is completed. The taps have been completed and tested.

The crew has been very busy they did five taps for Homestead and three for Pecker Lane. There was one done on Pecker Lane be it was not allowed to be built on.

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Salem Street Tom will send another letter stating what is expected. The completion of the water line connection before any water is connected. At this time their permit is "at risk" This letter should go to the Planning Board and the Building Inspector.

Sam Jocelyn, Building Inspector attended the Board's meeting and there was a discussion regarding issuing foundation permits.

Superintendent's Report

II Study

Victor Olsen is setting up places for the meters.

Governor's Road

Not till the spring.

Rte. 97

This will be starting in the spring, Tom will get invited to that meeting. The Board discuss talking to the contractor to make a side agreement to cross in that area for sewer, sleeve it.

There was some discussion regarding selling water to West Newbury the feeling is that it's too late, West Newbury has allotted money to get another well.

The next meeting will be December 7, 2015 at 4:30 PM

Jack Willett motioned to adjourn at 5:15PM seconded by Richard Danforth.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat Rogers