



PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES AGENDA

Thursday, June 17, 2021 – 8AM
Virtual WebEx Meeting

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Call meeting to Order

2. Roll Call

Trustee Haskins
Trustee Hartshorn Hilton
Trustee Coalier
Mike Candarella, DPW Director
Joe Foligno, DPW
Sal Renda, Village Engineer
Howard Levison, Water Utility Administrator
Lauren Maluchnik, Recording Secretary
Public: Edward Moore, Dan Dietrich, Michael Parlapiano, Annemarie Maini, David Rubin

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- May 27, 2021 minutes approved

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Mr. Dietrich- Inquiring about updates on the Waterlands project.
Mr. Parlapiano- Inquiring about recycling updates.
Mr. Moore- Scotland Rd history action program on curbs update.

5. REPORTS

- Public Works Report
 - Tree removal- Many trees affected by ash borer and removed. ~150 trees removed in 2020, ~50 removed ytd 2021.
 - Tree Maintenance- Carter park 3 trees planted, ivy removed, asphalt removed & replaced with dirty. Delta gas station being handled by Code Enforcement.
 - Discussion ensued regarding the option to remove asphalt at Founders Park.
- Water Utility Report- PO approved for PRV (pressure regulating valve). Prepping proposal for culvert storm drain issue, possible pipe leak. NJAW contract being finalized to eliminate well 17 and supplement bulk water. Water Code being updated by Post Pollak. AML antenna being installed shortly.



- Joint Meeting of Essex & Union County (sewer) – Trustee Haskins meeting bi-monthly w/ consultant, looking at options for the future. Survey has been released and will be distributed to the Village shortly. Hoping for result report by August for Fall movement.
- Recycling/Solid Waste Sub Committee
 - Update on Consultant work- Trustee Haskins working with consultant to discovery recycling options for the Village.
 - Recycling Facility Site Plan- Design has been drafted, equipment will be added as necessary. *Must meet DEP regulations and keep items dry. Bid has gone out for building plan.
 - Discussion ensued regarding reduce, reuse, recycle options.
- Engineer's Report
 - Grant Projects
 - New Waterlands Bike Path and Bridge- State asking for specifications update, awaiting approval from DOT. After approval, can go out to bid. Timeline unclear.
 - Grove Road- Preconstruction meeting last week, minor changes to crosswalks. Project start ~July. Timeline ~75 days.
 - Looking for additional DOT granting for W. Montrose Ave.
 - Capital Projects
 - Baird Community Center- Additional asbestos has been removed, minor roadblocks have been taken care of. Walkthrough scheduled for next week.
 - Connett Building- Walkthrough with contractors and architect last week. Bids due Tuesday.
 - County Projects
 - Irvington Ave. - County completed handicap ramps on Fairview. Intersection paving to be completed soon. Signs to be replaced by County after completion. No additional SO County streets to be repaved this year.
 - Curb and Sidewalk Program- Have not gone out to bid yet. Measurements to be done. Should not have to go out to bid.
 - Striping- Timeline expected to be a few days.

6. OLD BUSINESS

- Scotland Road- Historic district making curbing difficult to replace. SHPO won't allow Belgian block, must use blue stone.
- Grove Park- Plan to clean up the park. DPW plans to expand the system and install perforated pipe to catch more water. Trustee Hilton wants to assure community outreach is efficient.



7. NEW BUSINESS

- Curb and Sidewalk Program-
- Striping-
- Pedestrian Safety- Looking to replace Traffic Advisory Committee with Mobility Committee.
- Shade Tree Commission- Shade Tree Committee working on becoming a Commission to tackle tree projects.
- Sloan & SO Ave pedestrian concern from member of Senior Advisory Committee.

8. NEXT MEETING DATE

Thursday July 15 at 8:00am

9. ACTION ITEMS

- Candarella to discuss with Julie about community outreach options re: Grove Pk.
- Trustees to discuss traffic heat map.

10. ADJOURNMENT – 9:30 AM