

Regular Monthly Meeting of The North Hornell Village Board

Monday, May 9, 2005

Deputy Mayor, John Falci called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

ATTENDANCE: Deputy Mayor John Falci
Trustees: Glenn Thomas, William Coleman & Joseph Dick
Village Clerk: Kristene Libordi

The Minutes of the April 4th meeting were approved on a motion by Glenn Thomas and second by Joseph Dick and carried.

FIRE DEPT

Fire Chief Charlie Chick reported 3 incidents in the Month of March. For the Month of April reported 3 water problems and 18 fire calls. The Almond fire dept lost their rescue truck - caught fire and burned. Chief Chick received approval from Mayor Terry to loan them our rescue truck. This was a truck that the fire dept was trying to phase out. Almond asked to buy it and it was sold for \$19,000.00.

The board gave approval for the fire dept. to be in the Dansville Dogwood festival. They send a minimum amount of fire personnel. Air pacs were tested and met approval.

Chief Chick gave a brief description of the fire on Cameron St. and thanked the fire fighters for their work.

The fire report was approved on a motion made by Glenn Thomas and second by William Coleman and carried.

POLICE DEPT

Police Chief Marcus Smith reported 1 criminal, 2 general and 1 animal complaint during the month of April. 1 car was ticked and 10 vehicle traffic tickets were written for a total of 44 patrol hours and 3 hours in court. New tires for the police car have been ordered.

A motion was made by William Coleman and second by Joseph Dick to accept the Police Report.

DPW

Seneca Rd and other streets have been swept using the new broom with good results. Patching of potholes and cleaning sewers with new sewer cleaner. Also cleaned some of the pipes on Mary St. with the new cleaner. Installed 150' of storm drain on Cleveland Ave. and put in a catch basin. Paving Parking Lot on W Maplewood sometime mid summer. Will have to take out some concrete to do repairs on catch basin in front before paving will occur. Repaired some of the ditches on Elmwood Ave where the ripraf had been ploughed out and also on Third St. A hanger system had been set up in the garage to hang the spreader. A spring yard waste cleanup scheduled for May 16, 17 & 18th. An ad will be put in the laser ads of the Evening Tribune. Greg would like the board to think about moving the maintenance garage to the lot on Chambers St. He is checking on material for a steel building. Prices start at \$20,000 for just the materials. Does not include concrete, heating plumbing. Tear down the old bldg and put a steel bldg on that lot for new fire hall or sell the land. Deputy Falci asked that Greg come up with benefits to having the bldg. moved to that location. And suggestions with what we can do with old bldg. Greg would like to update equipment. The one ton truck needs a plow and hydraulic system for \$10,000. Trailer mounted rig for sucking debris out of the sewers, catch basins and manholes. Possibly this could come out of the sewer fund. Joseph Dick recommended that a computer be installed at the maintenance shop and would like the board to consider. A motion was made by Glenn Thomas and second by William Coleman to accept the Maintenance report. Motion was carried.

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MONDAY MAY 9, 2005 (continued)

TREASURERS REPORT

Treasurer's report was approved on a motion by Joseph Dick, second by William Coleman and carried.

TAX WARRANT

Tax warrant was approved on a motion by William Coleman, second by Joseph Dick and carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Rich Scavo was accepted to the planning board on a motion by William Coleman, second by Glenn Thomas and carried.

Mr. David Ferringer made a formal complaint regarding the road that runs alongside his home and goes back to the Wallace's property, which he believes, is owned by Richard Giles. His complaint is the dust from the road. He talked to Mr. Giles and was told that it is the village's responsibility. Mr. Farringer's wants the road taken care of by the party who owns it. John Falci will give this information to Mark Norfolk the zoning officer to look into it. It will be addressed at the next board meeting. Mrs. Giles commented that the board should contact their lawyer. Glenn Thomas asked Greg Zdanowski if the road had been taken over by the village. Greg said that it had not been taken over. The Giles had not brought the road up to code. We are under the same code as the town of Hornellsville. John Falci warned Mrs. Giles that the village is going to get tougher in regards to what happens at Marick Park. There is a 10-day period from the time of the complaint to have it corrected.

Mr. Frank Libordi asked if there was a home being put in the village that was in code violation. Joseph Dick has looked at the home being put in by Doug Hess. It appears that it is a doublewide trailer. The code officer, Steve Kilmer issued a building permit. Mr. Libordi pointed out that last year it was not allowed to put a double wide in the village. John Falci asked that Steve Kilmer be called for questioning regarding code violation. It was also brought up that this house is 6' from the Conner's swimming pool.

CAT LAW

Mr. Graham wanted to thank the board for having the cat law enacted. Their cat problem has now been resolved. Policeman Mark Smith aided the Grahams in this situation. He hoped more people would license their cats and be aware of where they are.

911

Joe Dick brought to the attention of the board, the 911 contract between the county and the village for 911 dispatching. Contract needs approval from the board. John Falci scheduled a public meeting to discuss 911 for 6:45 PM on June 13, 2005.

PAY BILLS

A motion to pay bills was made by William Coleman , second by Glenn Thomas and carried.

Executive Sessions

The board went into executive session to discuss contracts with Greg Zdanowski Thomas Vondracek and Marcus Smith.

Village Clerk
Kristene Libordi