

VILLAGE OF FREDERIC PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MINUTES

Village Hall · 110 Oak Street E
Monday, January 30th, 2023 · 4:15 pm

Call to Order by Duane Wisse at 4:15 pm at the Village Hall and Zoom.

Members Present: Duane Wisse (Chair), Amber Johnson, Rob Lillehaug.

Others Present: Janice Schott, Village Clerk/Treasurer; Roxanne Howe, Deputy Clerk/Treasurer; Bill Struck, Director of Public Works.

Public Comment

None

Approve Previous Meeting Minutes

Motion to approve the November 9th, 2023 minutes as presented by Lillehaug/Johnson Vote: Carried

Sewer Report for 304 First Avenue N

B Struck reported that a resident was upset about a back up she believed was on the side of the Village, even after he had confirmed that the Village end was clear. The company that cleared the blockage confirmed the issue was at her residence.

2023 Snow Removal

B Struck reported on the high amounts of snowfall and the obstacles they have come up against. They have to re-prioritize on a regular basis due to changing conditions, but are daily trying to catch up.

Birch Street Parking

A discussion was started about the problems with the street parking at the apartments on Birch Street. A large amount of complaints come into Public Works and the Police Department for this. A suggestion was made to make it year-round "no parking". Discussion was tabled as to give members time to look into possible solutions.

Financial Planning for Current and Future Needs, Equipment and Projects

The Committee was briefed on the upcoming large street projects and equipment needs that will need financing over the next 5 years, that include: a boat; lawn mower; flail mower; wastewater electric panel; lagoon aeration maintenance; plow/sand truck; loader angle plow; 3rd Ave Street Project; well #2 inspection/rehab; lead/copper compliance and a standby generator.

Adjourn

Motion to adjourn at 4:35 pm by Lillehaug/Johnson Vote: Carried

Respectfully submitted,

Roxanne Howe
Deputy Clerk/Treasurer