

NORRIDGEWOCK BOARD OF SEWER COMMISSIONERS MINUTES

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 9, 2016 4:30 PM

Present: Kristina Gossman, Josh Chartrand, Bruce obert, Charlotte Curtis

Absent: Ronald Currier

Others Present: Sewer Administrator Richard La Belle

1. Meeting opened by Chairman Gossman at 4:30 PM.
2. Review minutes of January 25, 2016 Bruce Obert moved to accept as read, Josh Chartrand seconded. All in favor.
3. Chairman informed the Board that we could view the December 2015 DMR on the DEP website.
4. Josh Chartrand moved to put the RFP for an engineering firm out to bid (after a discussion that the Selectmen suggested Dirigo), Bruce Obert seconded. All in favor.
5. DEP letter: The Chairman was waiting for finalization of the RFP process and will finish it and e-mail the Board members.
6. Sewer Abatement: Charlotte Curtis moved to approve the abatement to Acct. #730 in the amended amount of \$120.00 and 2400 cf of usage, Tina Gossman seconded. All in favor.
7. Rates: The rate hike will start taking effect with the July billing and each month of the quarterly cycle until September 2016 when all users will be billed at the new rate.
8. Discussion of changing the septic disposal system to do away with having septage delivered to Norridgewock and send it to another facility. No decision was made.
9. Bruce Obert proposed : the Sewer Operator should get no fewer than three (3) bids or quotes (from different providers) on repairs that need to be done. Also, the Sewer Operator should provide us with a provisional budget for review. He had requested from the Sewer Administrator a Grace Love Worker Program at a cost of \$3940.00. The Board did not approve this as the SO has a cell phone on him at all times and he should check to see if there are places in the plant where he normally works for cell phone reception.
10. Our next meeting will be Tuesday March 1, 2016 at 4:30 PM.
11. Chairman Gossman moved to adjourn at 5:35 PM, Bruce Obert seconded. All in favor.

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