

UNOFFICIAL MINUTES

TOWN OF HUME JUNE 25, 2013

A regular meeting of the Hume Town Board, Allegany County, New York was held on June 25, 2013 at the Fillmore Park Pavilion, 17 Park Drive, Fillmore, New York.

Supervisor Dennis Ricketts called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM, and he led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Officials in attendance: Supervisor Dennis Ricketts; Council members Christopher Austin and Bruce Hinz; Town Clerk Sondra MacEwan; and Deputy Town Clerk Joanne Cockle. Councilmen Daniel Miller and Gregory McKurth were absent.

COMMUNITY FORUM

Gary Gayford questioned the Board about the resignation of Dana Potter as Water and Sewer Superintendent. He also exhibited a bottle of discolored water from his home taps.

The Board told him that Mr. Potter had resigned, but they were unable to expound on his resignation. The Town of Hume will be purchasing water from the Town of Caneadea, and the flushing of lines in preparation for this purchase, could be the cause of the discoloration.

Mr. Gayford asked for a status report on regulations for the manure accumulating in public areas. He was told that a hitching post program was planned. Councilman Hinz stated that this subject could still be reconsidered.

Councilman Hinz, asked if he was going to build a new apartment complex, stated that a plan was waiting for approval.

The Cold Creek Armoring Project is slated to begin on July 8, 2013. Mr. Gayford commented on the Town's approval for a 10-hour work day.

Rick and Sandi Young of Minard Street in Fillmore were present and asked for information on the 911 numbering system. They were directed to Allegany County to obtain a number for their property. Because it appeared that the property they were concerned with might not be in the Town of Hume, they were given information on surrounding municipal offices.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Supervisor Ricketts moved that the Board enter Executive Session to discuss employee negotiations. Councilman Austin seconded. 3 ayes, 0 noes. The Board entered Executive Session at 7:30 PM and returned to open meeting at 8:30 PM.

EMPLOYMENT

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Councilman Austin moved that Kevin Peet be approved to mow for the Town as needed for \$22.00 per hour. Councilman Hinz seconded. 3 ayes, 0 noes.

Councilman Austin moved that job specifications be developed for a position in the Water, Sewer, and Highway departments, and that the position be advertised as accepting applications. Councilman Hinz seconded. 3 ayes, 0 noes.

The Board agreed to change the next meeting date to July 17, 2013.

Supervisor Ricketts moved to authorize an estimated water/sewer billing for the upcoming billing cycle. Councilman Austin seconded. 3 ayes, 0 noes.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Superintendent Peet asked the Board to consider a budget change because of an increase in CHIPS funding.

Councilman Hinz moved that the Town of Hume accept the increase in CHIPS fund of \$27849.50, and that the amount of \$27849.50 be transferred from unappropriated funds to DA5112.2. Councilman Austin seconded. 3 ayes, 0 noes.

Supervisor Ricketts moved that the meeting be adjourned, and Councilman Austin seconded. 3 ayes, 0 noes. Meeting adjourned at 8:35 PM.

The next regular meeting of the Hume Town Board will be JULY 17, 2013 at 7:00 PM at the Town of Hume Museum.

Respectfully submitted,

Sondra MacEwan,
Town Clerk

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