

Hooksett Sewer Commission
September 7, 2010
Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 12:00 PM. Present were Chairman Sidney Baines, Commissioner Raymond Robb, Commissioner Roger Bergeron, Superintendent Bruce Kudrick and Bethany Hague.

APPROVE & SIGN MINUTES FROM AUGUST 17, 2010

Commissioner Robb made a motion to accept the August 17, 2010 meeting minutes as read. Commissioner Bergeron seconded. All in favor, motion carried unanimously.

APPROVED AND SIGNED MANIFESTS

READ CORRESPONDENCE

FINANCIAL REPORT – There was no financial report.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

23 VIRGINIA COURT – Supt. Kudrick informed the Board that after much research it was found that 23 Virginia Court does have a sewer service after all. The reason it was so hard to find was that whomever installed the lines did not put them straight in from the street to the house, but actually in such a way that they used much more pipe than they had to and put the lines on a 60 degree angle. This made it look like it belonged to the house in the next lot.

BODS – BODs have been an ongoing problem for the last two months, but the cause has yet to be found. The processes used to do the testing are being systematically analyzed to see if any are the problem. However, it has been found that some of the blanks are showing a .5 result, and the acceptable reading .2 or under. The reason for these result are also unknown. Eastern Analytical is reviewing everything with Supt. Kudrick and Scott Tremaine, and representatives may come down to the plant run tests here to see if any differences occur.

WASTE MANAGEMENT – The driver for Waste Management refused to take a load last week to Rochester, stating it was too wet, despite being told that it was no different from other loads. Supt. Kudrick offered to take some out, but the driver still refused and Supt. Kudrick ended up hauling the load to Merrimack himself. The dispatcher for WM came down to discuss the problem with Supt. Kudrick, and it was decided that a plate will be welded to the front of the container to prevent any spillage that might occur, as has been done to the back of the container. The problem may have been that WM seems to have gotten into some trouble with the state because of the spill a couple of weeks ago in Allenstown, and drivers are afraid other problems could occur.

The Commissioners asked if Supt. Kudrick knew the exact cost of upgrading the dump truck to haul the sludge to Merrimack permanently, and were told around \$10,000, as the gears had to be upgraded and tires replaced. Supt. Kudrick will also research other companies to haul the waste as well, and see how they compare to Waste Management.

SCHEDULED APPOINTMENTS

BULL RUN RESTAURANT – Paul Andrade - Mr. Andrade came before the Board to discuss the letter sent to him regarding a grease trap needed for his establishment and the lack of response to this problem. Mr. Andrade explained that the restaurant has returned to using only disposal dinnerware, and he has actually removed the dishwasher from the premises as it is no longer needed. He provided pictures of the kitchen with the lack of dishwasher, and photos of the grease traps attached to the three sinks on the premises. He also had paperwork showing that these grease traps are serviced by Felix Pumping every 6-8 weeks. The Commissioners told Mr. Andrade that they no longer have a problem with the establishment, now that he has proven that there is no dishware being washed. However, he was told that at any time in the future they decide to use glass and china, they will need to install a proper grease trap and inform the Sewer Commission.

OLD BUSINESS

There was no old business.

NEW BUSINESS

There was no new business

NON-PUBLIC SESSION

The Commissioners did not go into non-public session.

PUBLIC INPUT

There was no public input

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Bergeron motioned to adjourn at 1: 00 PM, Commissioner Robb seconded. All in favor, motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted

Commissioner Raymond Robb
Clerk