Town of Wilmington Water & Sewer Commission June 24, 2021 Meeting

The Water and Sewer Commission on June 24, 2021. The meeting was called to order at 5:34 PM. Present were Chairman George Allan, Commissioner Robert LaVita, Commissioner Michael Camoscio, Utility & Business Manager Joseph Lobao, and Recording Secretary Diane Forest.

Approval of Minutes – May 20, 2021

ON A MOTION MADE BY COMMISSIONER LAVITA, SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER CAMOSCIO WAS UNANIMOUSLY VOTED TO APPROVE THE WATER & SEWER COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES OF MAY 24, 2021.

Middlesex Avenue Sewer Extension

Paul Alunni, Town Engineer, was present and provided to the Commission information regarding the Middlesex Avenue Sewer Extension Project proposal for review. Mr. Alunni explained that the scope of the project includes a 2,900 lineal foot sewer extension along Middlesex Avenue, from Jefferson Road to Salem Street. The Town recently received a grant to fully finance this sewer extension through the Commonwealth's Mass Works Grant Program. The private residential project associated with this grant is referred to as Princeton Wilmington Smart Growth Housing Development, which is 108 unit of mixed income housing on Jefferson Road.

Mr. Alunni continued to explain that the Town received a 2.89 million dollar grant for financing three (3) public infrastructure projects which included"

- 1. Middlesex Avenue Sewer Extension Project (Jefferson Road to Salem Street)
- 2. Culvert Replacement (Middlesex Avenue over Lubber's Brook)
- 3. Roadway Improvements, including pedestrian mobility (along Middlesex Avenue to High Street).

Following the presentation and a lengthy discussion relative to the proposal, the following motion was made: ON A MOTION MADE BY COMMISSIONER CAMOSCIO SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER LAVITA IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY VOTED TO SUPPORT THE SEWER EXTENSION PROPSAL FOR MIDDLESEX AVENUE FROM SALEM STREET TO MIDDLESEX AVENUE AT JEFFERSON ROAD.

Billing Adjustments & Corrections

There were none.

Commission Reorganization

ON A MOTION MADE BY COMMISSIONER LAVITA SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER CAMOSCIO IT WAS VOTED TO APPOINT GEORGE ALLAN AS CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD.

Monthly Report

The May monthly report was submitted to the Commission for review.

Consumer Confidence Report 2020

The 2020 Consumer Confident Report has been issued and residents should see it in the mail. If one does not receive a copy, they can contact the Water Department at 978-658-4711 and request one. The reports are also available on the Town's website as well as the Department of Environmental Protections website.

Nassau Avenue WST AT&T Equipment Transfer

AT&T has begun removing and transferring their equipment onto the new tank. Once they are finished, Verizon will begin with their transfer of equipment. Once the equipment transfers are complete the Town can begin the process for planning the demolition of the old tank which will probably be late this fall or next spring.

Annual Water Main Flushing Program

The annual water main flushing program is complete. There were very minimal calls or complaints. A total of 9,810,970 gallons of water was used to complete the task.

Other Business

No public comments

Public Comment Period

No public comments

Next Meeting

The next meeting is scheduled to be held on July 15, 2021.

There being no further business a motion to adjourn carries at 6:15 PM.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Diane Forest, Recording Secretary