

ABBOTT LOOP COMMUNITY CO.

Minutes 1/29/2010

7:05 Meeting called to order by Al Tamagni

Officers present: Al Tamagni, Chair

Tommy Johnson, Vice Chair

Patti Higgins, Treasurer

Lynda Zaugg, Secretary

Minutes approved as corrected to include name correction – Steve Noble for snow dump discussion.

Treasurer report: Patti indicated we have \$72 in our bank account. Additional donations are welcome. Note this money is used for small co. expenses - such as stamps etc.

Legislative report: No reports.

Muni reports: Elvi Gray-Jackson reported back on the past 3 months of work and answered questions from council members. On Feb. 2 the Assembly had a public hearing re paying members of boards and commissions \$20 per meeting. March 15th is the new filing date for all Muni tax exemption. Reminder that all folks age 65 and above need to apply for their home owners tax exemption by March 15. Elvi discussed upcoming Bonds for road, fire, and public transportation. A number of questions came up re Churches still getting tax exemptions. Kirk requested information on how much property were covered by Church exemptions. Al Tamagni requested an audit of Churches.

Candidates: Andy Clinie and Kelly Loni are both running for the assembly. Both took a few moments to speak about why they were running for office and what they hoped to do.

Presentations:

Bruce Robson, Anch Water & Waste Water, discussed const involved in crossing the creek between Abbott and O'Malley on Elmore. The area will be blocked off between Feb 15 & March 15th for const.

Anch Fire Dept. reps stopped by to talk about the Fire Dept. Bond and what it covers. 1. Station 8 – new fire truck which will replace a 20 yr old truck. 2. New medical rigs for Sand Lake. This will help our area as it will allow Station 12 med unit to remain in our area rather than being pulled off to help in Sand Lake. 3. Replace a 15 yr old eng at the downtown station.

Brad Melocik, Allison Lohrke of Dowl HKM along with Tammie Wilson from Muni Project Management & Engineering Dept. discussed improvements to Spruce street and snow dumps. Re Spruce St the draft design study report will be out in early March. The concept report for the road is due out in mid-Feb. Re snow dumps, zoning requires a conditional use permit. The process for obtaining the permit will address issues of noise and drainage. The road right of way is 60 ft or 30 ft from the center line both directions. Members were strongly advised to put their questions and concerns in to the city.

Old Business: The school crossing lights are in the bond issue as is a request for 5 million from the state legislature. Per AI T one way or another the flashing lights will be put in place this summer.

New Business: Question re road walk ways and painted lines.

Adjourned: 8:10

Lynda L. Zaugg



Note: no meeting in Feb 2010