

Minutes of the Public Works Committee on March 24, 2008.

Present

P. Vetro, Chairman
J. Toohey
N. Veccharelli, Jr.
B. Nunno

Also Present

B. Kolwicz, PW Director

Vetro called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. In the absence of a secretary, a motion was made by Veccharelli, seconded by Nunno for Toohey to take notes. The motion carried unanimously.

Minutes

A motion was made by Veccharelli, seconded by Nunno to accept the minutes of the previous meeting as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

Director's Report

- Spring is almost here. The last snow was a while ago and the total cost to date is \$130,889.64. This has been one of the lowest cost to date in years. There is still approximately \$7,000.00 in sand and \$8,000.00 in salt. The balance will go into the storm account.
- Intervale Parkway curbing work has begun. This will keep the cars off and keep the area safe.
- The Ball Fields are being worked on as well as the Little League Field.
- The St. Patrick's Day Parade – there was silly string everywhere. Candy may have been an issue; people were picking it up after the event.
- Pot holes are being worked on as much as possible.
- The new recycling truck is coming.
- Sweeping has not been a huge issue since less salt was used. Downtown and Devon have been cleaned to date.

Next months meeting will be held on 4/29/08 at the Housatonic Plant at 7:00 p.m. The Committee will be able to see the renovations. All Aldermen are welcome; Vetro will extend the invitation to the Board. Veccharelli asked about the smell from the plant. Bruce stated that it is getting better; the leaves that are turned in the area have a worse smell.

Discussion followed regarding Silver Sands, Walnut Beach and Gulf Beach.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 8:50 p.m.