

Minutes of the Public Works Committee on August 20, 2012.

**Present**

B. Nunno, Chairman  
P. Vetro  
B. Anderson  
P. Smith  
D. German

**Also Present**

B. Kolwicz, PW Director  
L. Streit, Recording Secretary

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

**Director's Report**

The Oyster Festival was this past weekend and the green is a mess.

Easy Street – a letter was received regarding missing street signs. This has been reported many times and has been replaced many times. It will be replaced.

Sparrowbush Lane – the tree has been removed.

Crabtree Lane – a tree was discussed. Public Works went out and found that there is underground power at this location. Therefore, an asphalt walk was made around the tree.

Bittersweet – reported a water problem. The pipe will be taken care of.

Botsford Avenue – the end of the road; the stairs are being worked on.

Grove Street has been taken care of.

Baker Street has been taken care of.

Trees and limbs down were discussed; this is an ongoing issue. There are 1100 trees on the list and approximately 400 – 500 are taken care of per year.

Utilities and sewers in Milford Center were discussed. They are very old; especially High Street.

All of the ball fields have been worked on, getting ready for the fall season.

Winter preparation has begun.

It was discussed that the Board of Education is doing a lot of costly major projects at the schools.

The City Engineer went out and spoke to the Silver Street residents. Bruce will follow up on this.

**Concerns**

**Anderson** – stated that he has had a report that a recycling bin broke; the metal bar. Bruce stated that he is aware of this and is seeing if this can be fixed (52 Nutmeg Street). 37 Fairview – there is a huge tree. Bruce stated that they are awaiting a quote for this. Anderson stated that sewers are to be put in in the Jennifer Lane, Roller Terrace area and asked if there is a schedule for this. Bruce stated that there should be shortly. There are limbs hanging at Washington and Hill Street. 43 Gunn Street there are no sidewalks and he asked how far back trees have to be. Bruce stated that Gunn Street is unique and he would look into this.

**Smith** – asked for a schedule for street and repairs. Dave Rainey, Tom Hunt and crew did an outstanding job at the Oyster Festival.

**Vetro** – 113 Pullman Drive has a problem with rain and flooding and 1 ½ to 2 years ago it was snaked out. Bruce stated that this is a problem area and he will look into it.

**German** – Settler's Woods would like the grass cut. Bruce stated that the State was called on this; they cut this area. Beach Avenue has a problem. Bruce stated that this is in the Borough of Woodmont and is their responsibility.

**Nunno** – asked about the Transfer Station striping. Bruce stated that his report was just finished 2 weeks ago and there was paving and curbing going on then. Now the striping can be done. Nunno asked about the Pavillion roof leak. Bruce stated that he saw it and the roof is good; the rain was coming in sideways and they are working on this issue (the cupola).

It was discussed that there should be an Old Business section in the minutes listing outstanding projects. This has to be worked on.

The next regular meeting will be on 9/24/12.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Streit