

Town Clerk's Reports for February and March, 2021 were approved by a motion from Councilman Hillman and a second from Councilman DeRock. All in favor Carried

Highway Superintendent Kish stated that the River Bridge going to Co. Road 26 has bad bearings and will be closed next year for repair. The Highway Department is busy changing sluice pipe, doing road repair, mowing, and changing out pipes. Mr. Kish informed the Board that they will be paving around the Park, he's rented a crusher and they will be hauling gravel out of Fillmore. Tom Yackeren is back to work after his surgery.

Mr. Kish reported that the new Peterbilt truck can be financed with a 4.6 fixed rate or through the bank with a BAN loan. He is able to put \$50,000 down leaving a balance of \$200,000 for a 4 year period. This purchase was approved at the March 15, 2021 meeting.

Water Superintendent Atherton's report included the following:

- Marked out 8 water lines
- Repaired water leak at 81 Sherman
- Checking chlorine and routine maintenance
- Arranged to have light poles in the park repaired
- Helped with John L. Sullivan banners
- Fixed Library parking lot light
- Put out flower barrels for filling
- AWQR is done and ready for mailing
- Ordered new water meters – Supervisor Jennings received info on possible grant money
- Mowing
- Preparing to flush around town
- Called Crandall's to come and clean monument in the Park

Mike Unfus reported for Code Enforcement that lingering issues are being dealt with and if no satisfaction is derived, Orders of Remedy will be delivered. When asked about the drainage problem behind the Library, he stated that possibly the sump pump from the residence behind the Library could be directed to a drain tile. It was suggested that the catch basin would

be a better solution. When questioned about the Davenport property, he stated that there were 9 violations with the abandoned house and that the Allegany County Land Bank is negotiating to acquire the house through the “Zombie Law”.

Under “Old Business”, Supervisor Jennings reported:

- Bingo begins June 2nd and they are still looking for an organization to run the kitchen. He’s had an individual approach about doing it, but felt that was not an option
- Appointed Leslie Clagett as Dog Control Officer – waiting on kennel contract from Caneadea

Councilman Chamberlain stated he’s heard nothing from Lions Club regarding purchase of trees, but he’s reserved 6 trees from East Wind. Contact will be made with the Club to see if they are willing to pay for them.

Councilman Hillman said he has no new information regarding the American Rescue Fund money that is being distributed to municipalities, but he will contact Teri Ross, County Treasurer, to see if there is any news.

Supervisor Jennings reported that Lisa Denning, who has run the Summer Reading/Rec Program for the past few years, is not available this year. There is a possibility the program will not take place this year.

The establishment of a local law pertaining to All Terrain Vehicle Use was discussed. A map of roads/streets was presented and Mr. Kish stated that there would be “one road in and a one road out” of the Town. \$20.00 per year for registration was suggested and all vehicles need to be insured and helmets are required. Supervisor Jennings will have Attorney Pullen’s office draw up the Local Law for discussion at the next meeting.

Councilman DeRock stated that the Justice Audit has been completed and signed by he and Councilman Cole and is ready to be submitted.

Councilman Chamberlain shared that he has contacted Ashley Yackerren, Joe Curcio, Aran Heaney, Eva Heaney and Carol Ace and invited them to serve

on a committee to present Alfred architectural students with suggestions when they are putting together a plan for improvements to the Town. Alfred students do this for course credit and there is no charge to the town.

Supervisor Jennings distributed a sheet with a list of webinars regarding shared services in local government. Anyone interested can participate in a webinar.

At 8:10, Councilman Cole moved and Councilman Hillman seconded to go into Executive Session to discuss personnel and land contracts. All in favor
Carried

Board members, Tim Atherton and Patty Oliver stayed for Executive Session and all others left the meeting.

At 8:35 p.m., Councilman Hillman moved and Councilman Cole seconded to come out of Executive Session.

Councilman Hillman moved and Councilman Cole seconded to try and continue with a Summer Reading/Rec Program by placing an ad in the paper for a director. All in favor

Carried

The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 by a motion from Councilman Cole and a second from Councilman Chamberlain. All in favor Carried

Respectfully submitted

Patricia Oliver
Town Clerk

