

Town of New Hope Regular Board Meeting
Thursday, March 19, 2020 – 7:00 p.m.
North New Hope Church, 845 County Road T North

Members present: Chairman Knepfel, Supervisor Raddatz, Supervisor Zaborowski
Also Present: Kari Yenter, Dorene Stolpa, Tom Trzinski and Niles Yenter

1. Call to order.

Chairman Knepfel called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. He opened the meeting leading us in the pledge of allegiance.

2. Review/Approval of minutes.

The minutes of the last monthly meeting were read by Clerk Yenter. Supervisor Zaborowski moved to approve the minutes, seconded by Supervisor Raddatz. Ayes – all. Nays – none. Motion carried.

3. Persons who wish to address the Board.

Tom Trzinski addressed his concerns with the land use category and rezoning for the property he plans to purchase from Terrance and Sharon Domaszek.

Chairman Knepfel reviewed the actions taken at the Plan Commission meeting of February 27, 2020 regarding this property.

4. Road Improvement report.

Chairman Knepfel would like to begin the tree trimming and brushing with the additional funds approved at the February Board meeting. The Chairman reviewed the specifications for town roads and would like to look at amending the current ordinance in April.

5. Spring Election and Presidential Preference – Number of Election Officials.

Clerk Yenter reviewed what is on the ballot for this election. There has been an increase in absentee ballot requests with the health concerns from the Coronavirus (COVID-19). Treasurer Stolpa is concerned no one will want to work for this election including herself. Supervisor Zaborowski moved to approve five Election Officials for the April 7, 2020 Election, seconded by Supervisor Raddatz. Ayes – all. Nays – none. Motion carried. Supervisor Zaborowski moved to approve paying tabulators if needed for the April 7, 2020 Election, seconded by Supervisor Raddatz. Ayes – all. Nays – none. Motion carried.

6. Payment of bills.

Supervisor Raddatz moved to pay the bills, seconded by Supervisor Zaborowski. Ayes – all. Nays – none. Motion carried.

7. Set dates of the Annual Meeting, Road Inspections and next Board Meeting.

The annual meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 21, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. at North New Hope Church followed by the regular Town of New Hope Board meeting at 7:00 p.m. Road inspections will take place on Saturday, April 25, 2020 at 8:00 a.m.

8. Adjournment.

Supervisor Raddatz moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:00 p.m., seconded by Supervisor Zaborowski. Ayes – all. Nays – none. Motion carried.