

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

August 2, 2021

Committee members: Dan Banach, Jim Multer, Terry Button, Earle Gleason, Pat Killen, Rick Willson

Others present: Bonnie Percy, Dick Harper, Connie Hayes, Nonie Flynn, Tim Cutler, Ed Bronson, Carlie Chilson, Doug Paddock, Joe Reed, Craig Prior, Doug Rapalee, Leslie Church.

Dan and Earle will do the audit this month.

Minutes of the July meeting were approved as presented.

Public Comment:

Tracy Mitrano, spoke to the Committee regarding the speed limit on Rt. 54 from Morgan Marina to Camp Cory. Residents on Lerch Rd are concerned for their safety and visitor's safety. Currently, the speed limit goes from 30mph to 55mph going out of Penn Yan and 55mph to 30mph coming into Penn Yan. Ms. Mitrano asked for guidance on what the residents can do to get the speed limit reduced.

Chairman Banach suggested that emails be sent and calls be made to the Department of Transportation, Senator O'Mara and Assemblymen Palmesano.

Craig will talk with his representative at the State to see what he can do.

Russ Fisher, also addressed the Committee regarding the speed limit.

HIGHWAY: Craig Prior

Craig reported the 2021 Malibu will be built on October 18th.

Craig reported the yellow blinking lights arrived on July 29th and will be installed the week of August 2nd.

Craig reported the roadway striping began on July 22nd.

Craig reported there will be a building committee meeting on August 10th at 10:30 a.m. in the County Administrators conference room. The Committee consists of Craig Prior, Brian Winslow, Annmarie Flanagan, Joe Reed, Nonie Flynn, Dan Banach, Terry Button, Doug Paddock.

Legislator Killen questioned why he was removed from the Committee. Craig explained that the Committee was too big. Craig explained that anyone can attend the meeting they just won't be able to vote.

Craig reported the second round of mowing is almost complete and surface treating was completed on July 1st.

Craig reported there was some localized flooding in the Milo/Himrod area July 14th and 17th.

Craig reported the shoulders on Ridge and Travis Roads have been completed.

Craig reported striping began on July 22nd. Flyers were placed on West Lake Road regarding paint striping.

Craig reported the abutment and center pier caps have been formed for E. Sherman Hollow Road.

Craig reported the 2021 Dump truck is at Viking for installation of the truck body.

Craig reported on a meeting that was held regarding horse & buggy collisions. Mr. Hurst recommended that the Mennonites put flashing lights on their buggies. Craig stated there was a lot of good information that came out of the meeting.

Craig reported he will need to do a bid for propane this year. Craig suggested that the County purchase tanks instead of leasing them. Craig will look into the cost difference between refurbished tanks vs. new tanks.

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS: Joe Reed

Joe reviewed the Weights and Measurers report.

Joe reported he has not received an update from BQ Energy as to where the County stands on the solar farm.

Joe reported the First Presbyterian Church will be holding a joint worship with other churches in the courtyard on September 5th at 10:00 a.m.

Joe reviewed the various inspections that were done for the month.

Meeting adjourned at 1:05 p.m.