

Romulus Town Board Minutes

July 25 2019

Call to Order: The Town Board Meeting was called to order by Supervisor David Kaiser at 7:00 PM.

Roll Call:

Supervisor David Kaiser	Present
Councilman Michael Joslyn	Present
Councilman David Hayes	Present
Councilwoman Joseph Brodnicki	Present
Councilman Kyle Collinsworth	Present

Pledge of Allegiance; followed by a moment of silence.

Others Present:

Town Clerk, Jane Braunig
Jeff Van Horn, Petitioner
Kim Nanson, Laura, Earl Martin, Petitioner
Mary Anne Kowalski
Zoning Board Member, Kenneth Battle
Town Attorney, Pat Morrell
Water & Sewer Maintainer, Hobie Stapleton
Bookkeeper, Mary Farnsworth
Seneca County Sheriff Deputy

Petitioners to the Board:

1. Jeff Van horn brought pictures to further substantiate his ongoing complaint about the Dog problem on Iron Bridge Road. It was stated by Supervisor Dave Kaiser that all the dogs involved are all registered and legal. Mr. Van Horn was trying to make everyone aware that there is a problem and it must be handled right away. He stated that he was going to the court date of the person that was involved

2. Kim Nason spoke next as legal counsel to Earl Martin and brought everyone up to date on the Zoning issues that they had been presented with so far. It was brought up that the Town Board maybe should have an independence study done on the environment impact for the Town Of Romulus. Attorney Patrick Morrell said that there are advantages to this process if the Town wanted to do that. It was decided that there would be a Public Hearing to take place on August 21 at 7pm at the Romulus Town Hall to further discuss the Zoning after this was taken to the County Planning Board. The extra information would help make the Town Boards decision a bit easier.

Approval of Minutes:

June 19 2019 with Resolutions.
Motion to Accept: Councilman David Hayes
Seconded by: Councilman Michael Joslyn
Carried

Romulus Planning Board:

Seneca County Planning Board Minutes/agenda July 2019
Seneca County Planning Board Agenda, August 10, 2019

Highway department: written attached

Town of Romulus Town Highway and Town Board have scheduled the Fall Dumpster days for October 4-5th, 8am to 4 pm, Sunday August 6th from 8am to 1200. The Highway department also brought before the Town Board about paying for the Highway drivers CDL's Physicals. The Board say that they have not done that in the past. There seems to be no reason for the Town Board to change their policy at this time. The Town Board will not pay for CDL physicals.

A motion from the board to pass resolution #46-19 to advertise for Dumpster Days in September.

Motion made by Councilman David Hayes

Seconded by Councilman Michael Joslyn

Motion carried

Bookkeeper report: Attached

Mary Farnsworth submitted a request for her annual Vacation time from Thursday, October 24th through Monday, November 11th 2019. The board was comfortable with this request.

Animal Control report was not given at this time.

Water and Sewer Report.

Mary Farnsworth stated that Robert Stapleton was working on water hook ups for Rt 89 and trying to keep ahead of hook up requests

Supervisor report

Dave Kaiser stated the ongoing sewer debate was still going on. Mary Anne Kowalski was doing her research into this matter as well. County level seems to be divided on many of the issues

Old Business; None

New Business;

Supervisor Dave Kaiser ask our Attorney Patrick Morrell about the hiring of a private Environmental expert to give us an opinion on the how Mr. Martins project would impact our area. The Board was told that we could hire an independent Environmental expert and that it should not cost us but instead go back to Mr. Martin. The attorneys for Mr. Martin said that there are several reason that we could and that they are a few reasons why they do not have to pay for it. She stated that she would address this matter in a letter to be sent to us the following week.

Supervisor David Kaiser also requested that the Board met with the Town Attorney in an Executive session at the end of the meeting.

Town Clerk Report; attached

Motion to except by Councilman Mike Joslyn

Seconded by Councilman David Hayes

Motion Carried

Resolution #44-19 Budget Transfers- Appropriations

Motion by Councilman Mike Joslyn

Seconded by Councilman David Hayes

Motion carried

Resolution #45-19 Verification of Payables
Motion by Councilman David Hayes
Seconded by Councilman Kyle Collinsworth
Motion carried

Resolution #46-19 Dumpster Days to be advertised
Motion made by Councilman David Hayes;
Seconded by Councilman Mike Joslyn
Motion carried

Resolution #47-19 Recommend Petition to Rezone Property on Depot sent to County Planning Board
Motion made by Councilman Kyle Collinsworth.
Seconded By Councilman David Hayes;

Councilman Michael Joslyn	[X]	[]	[]	[]
Councilman Joseph Brodnicki.	[]	[X]	[]	[]
Councilman David Hayes	[X]	[]	[]	[]
Councilman Kyle Collinsworth	[X]	[]	[]	[]
Supervisor David Kaiser	[X]	[]	[]	[]

Motion carried

Resolution #48-19 to advertise for Public Hearing for rezoning of Depot
Motion by Councilman Kyle Collinsworth
Seconded by Councilman Mike Joslyn
Motion carried

Resolution #49-19 Public Hearing for rezoning the Depot August 21
Motion by Councilman David Hayes
Seconded by Supervisor David Kaiser
Motion Carried

Resolution #50-19 Public Hearing on Hiring a Zoning Officer from out of District, Public Law
Motion made by Councilman David Hayes
Seconded by Councilman Mike Joslyn
Motion carried

Resolution #51-19 to allow Town Clerk to advertise for a Public Hearing on Public Law
Motion made by Councilman Mike Joslyn
Seconded by Councilman David Hayes
Motion carried

Resolution #52-19 Hiring of Bob MacCheyne permanent part time for Water and Sewer Labor
Motion by Councilman Kyle Collinsworth
Seconded by Councilman Mike Joslyn
Motion carried

