

## Town of North Stonington Board of Selectmen New Town Hall Conference Room August 22, 2006 7:00 PM

Call to Order-7:00 PM with Selectmen Mullane, Peterson, and Hescock present. Public Comments and Questions-Minutes-August 7, 2006, Tabled for amendments Correspondence

- Invitation to Hexagon Grand Opening in Rhode Island
- Invitation to Officer of the Year banquet in Groton
- Connecticut OPM Estimates of State Formula Aid to Municipalities
- DEP instructions on reporting a chemical spill
- CT Board of Education report "The Condition of Education in Connecticut"
- Secretary of State notice of demonstrations of new voting machines
- CT Department of Agriculture survey of dogs request
- Eastern Connecticut Resource Conservation and Development Area, Inc. Plan of Work
- Copy of memo stating that Town has met standards for Revaluation
- Pre-trial notice from Frank Eppinger regarding the STC and Route 2 improvements
- Opinion letter from Frank Eppinger regarding the reallocation of funds from the fees collected for Lake of Isles project to another project by Inland Wetlands
- Letter from Frank Eppinger regarding Richard Blodgett's questions on the Conservation Commission
- Letter to SCWA regarding the Exclusive Service Area changes in regards to the new hotel on Route 2 and the Village Waterline project
- Village Enhancement and Rural Land Conservation proposal by the Nature Conservancy
- Tonnage statistics from the SCRRRA, our tonnage is down 78 tons from this time last year
- SCRRRA Agenda
- SCCOG DEMHS Grant allocations, North Stonington's allocation authorization to North Stonington, Request from SCCOG for allocation to be forwarded
- Radio equipment bid for the Homeland Security 2004 grant funds
- Request from EDC for replacement member due to the death of Paul Knapp
- Bicentennial Committee forms for commemorative brick orders
- LoCIP check for projects \$35,808
- CT Public Records Administrator newsletter

- Letter from BOS to BOF to clarify return of \$303,000 town funds for Village Water Line, Town received a grant from the State for the installation
- Copy of letter to BOF from North Stonington Volunteer Fire Company Board of Directors in response to budgetary questions
- Memorandum from President Steinhart, NSVFC regarding facilities upgrade project
- GEI 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter testing results
- Eastern Connecticut Workforce Board meeting schedule
- Letter from Patrick Levantino, developer regarding problems with SCWA and agreement, Letter to Aqua Pool & Spa for hotel regarding permit process for Town
- Problem Gambling Connecticut Council letter
- Letter from Land Use Leadership Alliance informing Selectman Mullane of nomination of participation

## **Old Business-**

- 1. Tribal Recognition-No report
- 2. Annexation-No Report, next week to address letter on GAO report
- 3. Route 2 Road Modifications-Pending Pre-trial meeting with MPTN
- 4. Subdivision Review and Planning and Zoning Issues

Conservation Subdivision –11 lots-Babcock Road-Being revised Shunock Brook Study-Tentative Meeting Date is September 28, 2006

Hollowell Road Subdivision Special Permit-Pending new drawings

Other-Main's Crossing—No comments from Selectmen

- 5. Assekonk Swamp Walkway-The bridge is in, site work will continue
- 6. Permanent School Energy and Building Project-Meeting next week with Chief Main, George Brennan, Fire Marshal, School Maintenance Staff and Board, also PSPBC members if they can attend.
- 7. Town Meeting candidates lists-potential agenda items-Review next week
- 8. Hydraulic Study with SCWA on water tank additional appropriation— Tabled by SCWA Board.
- 9. Appointment to

**Inland Wetlands Commission**-No candidates at this time.

**10.Wyassup Lake Drawdown**-Board wanted to know when last drawdown was, item tabled.

## **New Business**

1. 2006-07 Transfer Request – Town Clerk Restoration funds

Do we need to ask the Board of Finance or can we just expend?

What is balance of account?

2. Soil for Landfill-Soils from Waterford are not acceptable and New London soils are OK to accept, Selectman Hescock would like letters and manifests for

- soils. Selectman Hescock made a motion to act upon requests, seconded by Selectman Mullane, carrying. 3-0
- **3. DEP request to waive 10 mill penalty-**Board is OK with theory and will refer to the Town Attorney for proper procedure.
- **4. Bicentennial Brick**-Selectman Mullane raised the issue of the Town purchasing center bricks for walkway, no interest at this time.
- **5. Homeland Security/EMS Grant-**Selectman Mullane is working with Chief Main on submittal.
- 6. Water Line Specifications-First Selectman Mullane is drafting specifications
- 7. Voting Machines-General Information is being provided
- 8. EDC Replacement-Letter to EDC, no candidates have been identified as of this date.

Public Comments and Questions Adjournment-8:40 PM