

Roads Committee Meeting

Boston Heights Town Hall

January 20, 2014 5:00PM

Attendees: Mayor Goncy, Road Superintendent Pickering, Engineer Krock,

Councilmen Bartko, Polyak & Fenn

1. Road superintendent Report-

Equipment: Leaf Vacuum has broken clutch

F-550 Plow- replaced cutting edges & shoes

F-650 Plow- electrical wiring and valve cable repairs

International- Ordered new plow as old one was beyond repair

Cat Backhoe/Loader- 4 wheel drive not operational, wiring problems

Needs: Pneumatic greasing system

Parts Washers for maintenance work

30Ton air/hydraulic jack for mechanical repairs

Miscellaneous hand tools

Additional Help: Hired w/ Mayors approval part time worker for 2 days per week to assist in performing equipment maintenance

2. Engineer Report

OPWC Grants for Strom Water Improvements- A 50K loan would improve chances of securing grant money.

ODOT Bridge Inspections- Need legislative consent for 3 years free inspections

SR 303 Bridge Project- no decision from ODOT on potential road closures during construction

Turnpike Mitigation- Grant monies available to minimize any adversely affected by the presence of the Turnpike- such as noise, drainage, road damage, etc.

Zoning Contract- discussed reducing the number of inspections during winter months. Any changes would require legislation to revise contract.

3. Other Issues

The salt shed rear wall is broken and will be repaired when the weather cooperates.

Road Repair Plan will reviewed and updated as funding becomes available.

Ronald Fenn, Chairman