



TOWN OF RYE SEWER COMMISSION

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SEWER COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

Monday, August 10, 2020, 8:00 A.M.

Rye Beach Village District Building

830 Central Road, Rye Beach, NH

In attendance: David Kohlhase, Chairman; Peter Kasnet, Commissioner; David Adams, Commissioner by phone and Lee Arthur, Administrator.

Guest:

I. Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance

The Rye Sewer Commission Meeting was called to order at 8:02 a.m.

II. Roll Call

III. Discussion Items

Moratorium on Connections

The Rye Sewer Commission will hold a public hearing at 8:00 a.m. on August 10, 2020 at the Rye Beach Village District Building, 830 Central Road, Rye Beach, NH, 03871 on an amendment to the Sewer Use Ordinance which would add the following new section to the ordinance. "§ 603 Moratorium. Due to capacity limitations at the Jenness Beach and Church Road pump stations the Sewer Commission will not approve an extension or an expansion which adds additional wastewater flow to the collection system. This provision supersedes the moratorium adopted on by the commission on November 26, 2019."

Motion was made by David Adams to open the Public Hearing on the Moratorium on Connections at 8:04 a.m. Seconded by Peter Kasnet. All in favor roll call vote: David Kohlhase, yes; Peter Kasnet yes; and David Adams, yes. Motion carried.

The Sewer Commissioners reviewed the Sewer Use Ordinance and made the following revision, by adding the following new §603 to Article VI Extensions and Expansions.

§ 603 MORATORIUM

Due to capacity limitations at the Jenness Beach and Church Road pump stations the Sewer Commission will not approve an extension or an expansion which adds additional wastewater flow to the collection system. This provision supersedes the moratorium adopted on by the commission on November 26, 2019.

David Kohlhasse asked if there was any discussion and/or public comments. It was noted that no public were present. There was neither.

Motion was made by Peter Kasnet to add “§603 Moratorium, Due to capacity limitations at the Jenness Beach and Church Road pump stations the Sewer Commission will not approve an extension or an expansion which adds additional wastewater flow to the collection system. This provision supersedes the moratorium adopted on by the commission on November 26, 2019.” to Article VI Extensions and Expansions of the Sewer Use Ordinance. Seconded by David Adams. All in favor roll call vote: David Kohlhasse, yes; Peter Kasnet yes; and David Adams, yes. Motion carried.

Motion was made by David Adams to close the Public Hearing on the Moratorium on Connections at 8:10 a.m. Seconded by Peter Kasnet. All in favor roll call vote: David Kohlhasse, yes; Peter Kasnet yes; and David Adams, yes. Motion carried.

IV. Adjournment

Motion was made by David Kohlhasse to adjourn the meeting at 8:11 a.m. Seconded by Peter Kasnet. All in favor roll call vote: David Kohlhasse, yes; Peter Kasnet yes; and David Adams, yes. Motion carried.

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