

ANSONIA BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS  
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING  
JUNE 02, 2015  
6:00 P.M.

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**Members Present**

John Finnucan  
Andrew Geruntho  
Kenneth Plavnicky

**Members Absent**

Robert Ramadei

**Others Present**

Doug Novak  
Charlie Stowe

**Call to Order:**

Chairman Finnucan called the Board of Public Works meeting to order at 6:00 P.M. All rose, Pledged Allegiance to the Flag. The recording clerk took a roll call attendance and a quorum was declared present. (3) P (1) A

Mr. Plavnicky states that he would like it noted that this is Mr. Ramadei's third consecutive absence.

**Consideration of Previous Minutes:**

Mr. Geruntho made a motion to accept the minutes from the meeting dated May 05, 2015. Mr. Plavnicky seconded the motion. All in favor, so carried.

**Public Session:**

No one from the public wishing to speak at this time.

**Superintendents Report:**

Mr. Novak states Carmen Pitney returned Monday June 01, 2015. Mr. Novak says that there was a pre-bid meeting today regarding the transfer station. This meeting was NOT mandatory for bidders.

Mr. Novak says the installation of a new kitchen at ARMS is almost complete.

Mr. Novak states that the seasonal staff have been going great, he is looking to hire more next year.

Mr. Novak explains that he is looking into hiring an engineering firm to design a project at the Ansonia Nature Center grounds.

Mr. Novak says the sewer project at City Hall has been completed.

Mr. Geruntho makes a motion to accept the Superintendents Report. Mr. Plavnicky seconded the motion. All in favor, so carried.

**Communications:**

Chairman Finnucan reads aloud a letter received from the Conservation Commission. The letter asks if the Public Works would remove an old picnic table at Fountain Lake. Mr. Novak says he has looked into it and is trying to get there later this week.

**New Business:**

Mr. Novak said there have been three bids received for the repairs at Eagle Hose Fire House. The bids are as follows:

- Reis Construction \$8,900.00
- Teodosio & Sons \$8,600.00
- DiGiovanni & Sons \$7,999.00

Attorney Marini says that two of the three businesses who placed bids owe taxes to the city. Attorney Marini states that if the Board of Public Works chooses a bid placed by a business or person owing taxes it would have to be approved by the Board of Alderman.

Mr. Ed Teodosio explains to the board that he has lived here in Ansonia for 65 years and has done between 50-80 jobs for the City of Ansonia in his years of working. Mr. Teodosio says he is aware of his back taxes and says that he fell behind on taxes in 2013 when the last tenant left and the 12 mil tax increase was the cause of his overdue taxes. Mr. Teodosio states he has never missed a payment until 2013 and is now trying to catch up. Mr. Teodosio said that he has gone and set up payment arrangements with Attorney Marini to have the back tax resolved.

Chairman Finnucan makes a recommendation to go with Teodosio & Sons with a bid of \$8,600.00. Mr. Plavnicky makes a motion to accept. Mr. Plavnicky seconded the motion. All in favor, so carried. The bid approval is contingent upon approval of the Board of Alderman.

Mr. Donald Smith Jr. an engineer from Seymour goes on to discuss the approval of a bid for the Ansonia Library Boiler Conversion. Mr. Smith presents a bid of \$67,450.00 placed by West State Mechanical. Mr. Smith recommend the City award West State Mechanical.

Mr. Plavnicky made a motion to accept the bid of \$67,450.00 from West State Mechanical. Mr. Geruntho seconded. All in favor, so carried.

**Consideration of Bills:**

Mr. Geruntho made a motion to accept the bills as presented. Mr. Plavnicky seconded the motion. All in favor, so carried.

**Date of Next Meeting:**

July 07, 2015

**Adjournment:**

Mr. Plavnicky made a motion to adjourn at 6:41 P.M. Mr. Geruntho seconded the motion. All in favor, so carried.

Respectfully Submitted



Handwritten signature of Jacquelyn Craig in cursive script, written over the printed name.

Jacquelyn Craig, Recording Clerk

Board Secretary