

Minutes
 Borough of Naugatuck
 Board of Street Commissioners
 March 21, 2012

The Board of Street Commissioners Regular Meeting was called to order at 6:00 P.M. Chairman with the following members in attendance.

MEMBERS:

Chairman John Ford
 Vice Chairman Sebastian Barbosa (**absent**)
 Co-Secretary Mark Ruccio
 Commissioner Judith Rossi Scatena
 Commissioner Timothy Walsh (**absent**)

OTHERS:

James Stewart, Director of Public Works
 Bob Roland, Public Works Supt.
 Sheila Baummer, Recycling Coordinator
 Lydia L. Bozenski, Asst. to Supt. of Streets, Absent
 Sandra Lucas-Ribeiro, DPW Sec.
 Public: Daniel Mina, Bob Wilson

Chairman John Ford led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion made by Commissioner Ford and seconded by Commissioner Barbosa to accept the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on January 18, 2012 as submitted, all members having received copies for review.

Voted in favor	Voted against	Abstained
Ford		
Ruccio	NONE	NONE
Scatena		

Motion Carried

Public Comment – Daniel Mina, 75 Spruce Drive: Trying to resolve trash issue on Spruce Drive since DPW has changed the placement of his trash cans because he lives on a private section of road and believes there is a discrepancy on the location of the town line. Sheila Baummer passed out a map and photos taken by her to show where the trash is currently being placed. Mr. Mina feels he is being harassed by the trash collectors because they put the trash cans close to the cars to prove a point that the cans are blocked in. Chairman Ford made him aware that they are working on a uniform situation for collection on private roads. Mark Ruccio also believes there needs to be consistency. Bob Wilson 53 Spruce Dr. says he ends up with Mr. Mina's trash in front of his house and wanted to know if the commission had the authority to allow it. Mr. Ford explained that he did not know the legalities concerning the use of the right of way but did say they never intended to infringe on anyone's property and have found an appropriate location by the pole to place Mr. Mina's carts.

Collection of MSW on private roads: Sheila Baummer requested a change in the collection of trash collection at 770 & 776 New Haven Rd. asking that they bring their trash to the road because the truck cannot maneuver in the parking lot. The commission concurred with the decision.

Commissioners Concerns- Com. Scatena asked if Clark Rd. was going to be paved and Jim Stewart answered that this year's paving plan was not yet decided but he would take a look at Clark Rd.

Sub-Committee Reports – NONE

Report of the Public Works Supt: - Bob Roland: Patching Potholes, Replacing and repairing street signs, Reported that the pretreated the roads with the salt brine worked well through the winter, working on equipment maintenance, taking the sanders and plow off and making repairs and reported that the fencing around the salt shed at the heights has been completed.

Director of DPW- Jim Stewart: Handed out a copy of the new fiscal year proposed budget. He told the commission that the Hoadley St. sewer line has been completed and is waiting for the gas company to complete work of theirs so that the final paving could be done. Nettleton Ave. pipe project should begin on 4/1/2012. The Maple St. signal equipment is on order. The Maple St. bridge project is going out to bid. He also reported that he has put in for a grant to replace the Hoadley St. & Rubber Ave. traffic light.

Sheila Baummer, Recycling Coordinator – Due to additional grant money the residents with the manual trash collection on Tuesday and Thursday have received the Recycling carts ahead of schedule.

Personnel Issues – NONE

Motion by Commissioner Scatena and seconded by Commissioner Ruccio to adjourn at 7:15 P.M.

Voted in favor	Voted against	Abstained
Ford		
Ruccio	NONE	NONE
Scatena		

Motioned Carried