

Public Utilities Committee Minutes for

20 January 2023

Attending:

Mark Porter (MP)
Chris Berger (CB) - Chair
Mayor Koons (WK)
Tim Alder (TA)

Meeting called to order at 8:02AM by CB. The meeting was held in person at The Village Hall.

1. A joint discussion reviewing the Tuesday night, January 17, 2023 Special Council Meeting concerning Storm Water ensued. All agreed that the meeting was beneficial in explaining stormwater issues to the Village Residents as well as being made aware of new stormwater issues.
2. The Committee agreed, upon suggestion by CB, that a better explanation of the installation of the new culvert pipes, sizing, and function needs to be shared with the Village.
3. TA explained the placement of trees in the Manor Brook 319 grant area that will be done in the Spring of 2023 and the resident's request to have additional screening placed in the "notch" of the easement property. MP discussed adding trees for the benefit of 114 Manor Brook. 3-4 trees @ 4-6 ft. tall evergreens to be placed in the notch on the easement property.
4. MP noted that Manor Brook II phase should remain on the plan.
5. Silt remediation – Committee discussed. Agreed that a formula should be developed to determine a course of action and discuss in February.
6. Wet, swampy areas - Agreed to make a list and then evaluate with the Engineer and Streets Commissioner.
7. Septic systems – CB reported that Councilman Canton and the Building Committee were already addressing the issue regarding Paw Paw Lake.
8. Fox Run – MP suggested waiting to see how the Manor Brook Stream project would handle stormwater.
9. Madroo Park - CB suggested contacting the Geauga Park District to review.
10. TA advised that the Culvert pipes for Chillicothe bids need to be let quickly as Paving is anticipated for early Spring 2023. TA to contact EH to get an update.

MP moved to adjourn at 8:43AM. CB concurred.

Submitted by

Christopher J. Berger, Public Utilities Committee Chair