

Village of Homer Board of Trustee
March 3, 2015

The regular meeting was called to order by Mayor Suits at 5:32 PM. Present were Trustees Paul Gower, Kevin Slack, Suzanne Riley and Andrew Brush; Attorney Perfetti, Clerk-Treasurer LouAnne Randall. Also present: Craig Umbehauer, Robert Johnson, Chief Mark Helms, Don Ferris, Mr. & Mrs. Clune, Gordon Wheelock, Bobcat, Jessica Tarry, Lauren Flood and Eric Mulvihill with WXHC.

Minutes from January 6, 2015 were approved as submitted, motion Trustee Brush, all aye.

Motion by Trustee Riley - all ayes to pay the following bills:

General Fund	Vouchers	827-963	\$ 364,133.96
Water Fund	Vouchers	290-352	\$ 8,927.22
Sewer Fund	Vouchers	291-352	\$ 107,991.98
Capital Projects Fund	-----		-----
Comm. Dev. Fund	-----		-----

ACCEPTANCE FOR FILING OF WRITTEN REPORTS:

CEMETERY –Closed for the season. No report was received as submitted

CODES –Report was received as submitted, **motion** to accept report as submitted by Trustee Slack - all ayes.

POLICE – report was received as submitted, **motion** by Trustee Gower – **all ayes.**
Chief is interviewing a new candidate to replace Zachary Starner who left for another position. The Police Department has been very busy with arrest and assists. Chief Helms is working on installing his camera’s from the Grant he received. Trustee Slack asked Chief Helms if our Police Officer were going to start wearing camera. Chief Helms stated it is not a requirement at this time.

DOGS – no report was received as submitted, **motion** by Trustee Brush - **all ayes.**

RECREATION –report was received as submitted, **motion** by Trustee Brush- **all ayes.**
The spring flyer should be out shortly to all the schools.

WATER/SEWER/STREETS/PARKS & MEO – report was received as submitted, **motion** by Trustee Slack -**all ayes.**

Mayor Suits, Jeff Lewis, Lawrence Barber and Mackenzie Lewis will be meeting with the City of Cortland and Town of Cortlandville regarding the upcoming water meter grants. Our DPW crews have been working very hard to keep our streets clean. At this time we have many homes without water. Homer Iron works and Adhan Piping are working to unthaw the frozen lines to homes within the Village of Homer

FIRE DEPARTMENT PRESIDENT'S – report was received as submitted, **motion by** Trustee Riley- all **eyes**.

FIRE CHIEF'S - report was received as submitted, **motion by** Trustee Riley -**all eyes**. Town of Harford is looking to purchase 10 scott air packs from our Fire Department for \$1,000 a pieces. Chief Johnson will keep us informed.

Bobcat from Homer Farmer Market asked if he could be on next month's agendas as his board members were unable to attend tonight. The board stated they were fine with that.

Jessica Tarry and Lauren Flood Art teachers from Homer Central High School presented a banner project that would be displayed on RTE 281 in the Village of Homer. The banners would be images of student art work that includes positive character traits such as partnerships, respect, integrity, diversity and excellence. The board explains to the teachers we would need to have DOT permission first before we could proceed any further. Mayor Suits will discuss this with DOT than report back to the board.

The new trash cans have been delivered to the residents. The Mayor explain change is difficult and for everyone to have patience.

The Mayor declared April as the Fair Housing month in the Village of Homer.

On motion by Trustee Gower, the meeting was adjourned at 6:57 p.m. – All eyes.

Mayor Genevieve Suits