

Town of Chili – Drainage Committee
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Summary of Approved Minutes

Town of Chili Drainage Committee

October 5, 2010

Theresa Reilly, Chairperson called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Theresa Reilly, Scott Alexander, Brandon Tumia, David May, Dr. William Dingus, Brian Ostling Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, and Hon. Tracy DiFlorio, Councilwoman

MINUTES:

Minutes from the September 2010 Meeting were approved with minor corrections.

GUESTS:

Elisa Della-Torre: 8 Wheat Hill

William White: 6 Wheat Hill

Homeowners requested that the Town consider drainage abatement for an ongoing problem in their back yards. Homes were built as part of the Perma Homes subdivision approximately 25 years ago. The Problem has been present since 2003. Homeowners brought in photographs and illustrations of the problem. Brian stated that the Town will investigate the problem, and Theresa requested that Members arrange a site visit prior to the next meeting.

OLD BUSINESS and WORK COMPLETED:

206 Knights Trail: Regrading of the adjoining property at **204 Knights Trail** has been completed by the homeowner at the Town's request.

52 Kuebler Rd.: After a site visit, the homeowner was advised that their rear yard swale is not in the easement. The entire yard has very little slope to drain runoff. Further discussions about possible solutions are ongoing.

40 West Ham: Brian discussed problem with homeowner. Homeowner will install yard drain. Town will help with linking drain to the town storm drain system.

1815 Scottsville Rd.: Work completed

Drainage District Expansion: The committee again discussed the future expansion of the Town of Chili Drainage District. This expansion will incorporate all property owners in the Town of Chili... Brian pointed out that many of the Town's ditches and culverts were in need of cleaning and removal of debris.

NEW BUSINESS:

61 Bellmawr: Brian discussed with the committee, how the most recent lightning storm had damaged a large cottonwood tree. The tree had fallen into a drainage pathway, which will necessitate its removal.

31 Chi-Mar.: Homeowner requested that the Town allow him to build a small retaining wall next to a concrete swale adjoining the side of his yard. Town will require homeowner to obtain a Permit to build wall.

13 thru 23 Black Cedar Dr.: Brian discussed a "high-low situation" homeowners backyard is low and backyard catch basins are high. Town will help with installation of backyard drainage lines that empty into catch basins.

5 West Ham Circle: Homeowner requested help with drainage problem in back yard. Evidence suggests that the drainage was poorly graded. It is possible that there will be a number of problems surfacing in Park Place, due to improper grading as home were built and homeowners changing grading with landscaping, pools, and other structures.

7 Deb Ellen: Pond in back yard. Homeowner thinks that water coming from Deb Ellen and settling at back yard of **4 Rose Rd.**

310 Chestnut Ridge Rd.: Retention Pond needs to be cleaned out.

18 Tynedale Way: Problem with water draining onto sidewalk. Town needs to address the improper flow.

REVIEW:

Metalico Inc. reviewed revised plans for metal shredder.

ADJOURNMENT:

Meeting adjourned at 8:32 p.m. Next meeting Oct 5, 2010

Respectfully submitted,

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