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Town of Chili – Drainage Committee
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Scott Alexander, Chairperson - Dr. William Dingus, Secretary - James Gamble - Brandon Tumia- Ken Kraus -David Lindsay, Commissioner of Public Works/Superintendent of Highways Liaison to Town Board - Brian Ostling Deputy Commissioner of Public Works - Hon. Tracy DiFlorio, Councilwoman

Summary of Final Minutes

Town of Chili Drainage Committee

October 4, 2011

Scott Alexander, Chairperson called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Scott Alexander, Dr. William Dingus, James Gamble, Ken Kraus, Brian Ostling, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, and Hon. Tracy DiFlorio, Councilwoman

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Brandon Tumia

MINUTES:

Minutes from the August 2011 Meeting were approved

GUESTS:

Michael Krenzer: Mr. Krenzer came as an observer. His family farms land in Wheatland, and Rush, and may be starting to farm land in Chili in the near future. He discussed some of the problems he was having with the Town of Rush. These problems included difficulty getting the Town to agree to clean out culverts and swales along property used for farming. He also described how heavy rains leave many of his fields saturated with water as a result of the Towns in action. He asked the committee how the Town of Chili handles these drainage problems, and if the "Drainage Tax" is used to provide help with these

problems. Councilwomen DiFlorio briefly discussed how the Drainage Committee responds to all issues brought up at our regular meetings. Scott explained that it has been rare, for any of the farmers in Chili to bring any issues before the committee. Mr. Krenzer also mentioned had Orleans County handles drainage problems facing farmers, and what drainage issues are most important to the farmers farm land south of Black Creek.

OLD BUSINESS and WORK COMPLETED:

3 Oak Twist Circle: The existing grade is approximately 1/16" per foot, which makes it very difficult to correct the problem by surface grading. Brian feels that a French drain may be the best solution to the problem. He also informed the committee that the Town has a 20' easement to allow for the work to be completed. The homeowner would like a concrete gutter.

22 Rio Grande Dr.: Brian has discussed the problem with the homeowners, and has informed them that the Town has no responsibility for this drainage issue. Brian went on to point out that an existing yard drain is in the adjacent lot, which they will be able to tie into. The DPW will be able to assist them with a tie into the inlet.

932 Paul Rd.: Monroe County is still completing the paving work on Paul Rd. Due to the time of the year; the DPW will most likely take up this issue in the spring of 2012.

310 Chestnut Ridge Rd.: West of Chili-Coldwater Rd. Town cleaned out pond, removed dead trees and debris and reshaped pond.

6, 8, 10, 12 Cutter Dr.: Work is completed. All of the yard inlets and pipes have been replaced and/or upgraded.

14, 16, 18, 22, 24, Wills Rd.: On the list of work to be started, weather permitting.

15 and 17 Creek view: Rear yard drains installed, Work completed

9, 11, 13 Matlyn Dr.: Work is half completed. Weather permitting; the work should be completed within the next 1-2 month.

Park Place including 18 Tyndale Way: The Town is continuing it's clean up a number of Catch Basins in the sub-division.

52 Wilellen: The Town still has not heard back from the homeowner.

50 Brook view: Work has been completed. The Town installed a yard inlet in the rear yard. Brian feels that the homeowner may wish to install one or more additional yard inlets and tie them into the one that the Town installed. This should insure that the standing water is completely eliminated.

Grove Wood Pond: Town transformed pond from a detention pond to a retention pond.

NEW BUSINESS:

No new Business

REVIEW:

No new planning Committee Projects

ADJOURNMENT:

Meeting adjourned at 7:43 p.m.

Next meeting November 1, 2011

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. William Dingus