

Brodhead Public Works Committee Meeting Tuesday February 6, 2018

Call to order at 3:45 pm – Present: Rich Vogel, Troy Nyman, Mary Mason, Holly Everson
Also present: Chief Hughes, Patty Brugger, Tim Stocks

Motion to accept January minutes by Holly, second by Mary. Motion passed.

Public Appearances: Patty Brugger presented pictures of the alley that runs off of W 2nd Avenue. She is concerned about the condition, water problems and safety. She would like that section of alley replaced as soon as possible. Committee informed her that it is at the top of the list for storm water projects. The plan is to work with the engineer to present options and costs to the Council this year and if funding is available, upgrade the alley in 2019.

Tim Stocks updated the committee with information he has obtained on the Crosswinds sub-division showing water flow and that no permits were issued before the area was filled in.

Committee comments or questions: None

Rich gave an update on Ash Tree removals. About 22 trees have been removed this year with about another 140 to go.

Discussed options for an official intersection sign control policy. Public Works will continue to work with Public Safety on it.

Discussed snow ordinance concerning parking. Rich informed the committee that allowing parking in the business district is making it extremely difficult to clean up. One vehicle parked downtown means that at least 3 parking areas cannot be cleared. Chief Hughes reported that the past policy was confusing to the public and that is why Public Safety wanted it changed. Rich and Chief Hughes will continue to look for a solution.

Discussed budget. No action.

Set next meeting for March 6.

Motion by Holly, second by Troy to adjourn. Motion passed at 5:15 P.M.

Submitted by Rich Vogel