

Greenvale Town Board
Special Meeting for the locating of Township road ditch work
Monday, August 21, 2017

Present: Supervisor David Roehl, Supervisor Gregory Langer, Road Superintendent Jerry Bolton and Road Improvement Committee member Richard Moore.

11:00 a.m. the meeting was called to order by Chairman Langer. The Pledge of allegiance to our flag was recited.

Chair Langer read the meeting notice that was posted at the Town Hall.

The attendees left the Town Hall together and began the road work needs tour on south Dresden Avenue. It was agreed that the brushing work done recently was money well spent and the more extensive mowing efforts were commented on. The tour continued on to north Dresden, the brushing and mowing efforts of Waterford Township to the east side of Dresden were noted. Good job! We proceeded west on 315th Street. Two trees on the north side needed to be removed. And brushing work done as needed along the length of the road. We proceeded south on Eveleth Avenue. The west side of Eveleth, by the Van Eeckhout home needed brushing. There were areas on the east side of Eveleth near the intersection of 307th Street that needed to have small willow trees removed. We proceeded west on 307th Street. Many areas on the south side needed to have willows removed. We proceeded north on Eveleth. The ruts on the rail road crossing were noted. Greg will call Progressive Rail with request for repair. The west side, by V. Volkert place needs brushing. Two trees on the west side by the Murray place need to be removed. We proceeded east on 290th Street. All looks good. Comments were made about good ditch mowing jobs by the land owners and their renters. The effort will control weeds and save the Township mowing costs! We proceeded north on Drexel and Dunbar Avenues. Brush clearing is needed on the east side in the "S curve" areas. Notes were made of the brush and tree clearing needs by the J. Dilley farm. We returned to the west end of 290th Street. The brush clearing needs in the Lace and the Flaa property areas were noted. Brushing needs by the rail road tracks was noted. We proceeded west on 290th to the areas near the Kuyper property. Two trees that are dead need to be removed. We made note of weeds in need of control...spray or mow... as we continued through our route. We drove north on Garrett. We agreed that the areas on the west side, between 290th and 285th needed to be sprayed. Two trees on the west side of Garrett, south of the Kepper property needed to be removed. We drove west on 285th Street. Brushing needs by the Dahl and Lea properties were discussed. We drove north on Holyoke. Dead tree removal and weed spray needs were discussed. We discussed the possibilities of Dakota Electric trimming trees in the M. Tuma property areas. There is the need to remove willows on the west side of Holyoke near the Gehler properties. Brushing work is needed near the Boyum property on Holyoke Avenue. We

proceeded to Isle Avenue. Much trimming work is needed in the bridge area on north Isle Avenue. Both sides. We stopped to visit Wally Franklin to discuss the trees in his ditch. He is interested in doing much of this work himself. We will keep in touch. Thank you Wally! We proceeded south on Isle Avenue to Iran. We stopped at the bridges and discussed problems with the beavers. The area residents are helping with the problem. We discussed the brushing needs on both bridges. We noted the weed problems in the area and discussed areas that needed spraying. We drove south through the Iran and Idalia road areas. The area on the east sides near the M.Rowan and J. Messenbrink properties need brushing. Maybe spray the weeds in the M.Rowan property. The east side in the curve area. We drove west on 305th Street, we discussed brushing needs near the Edwards property. We drove to Jamaica Avenue and discussed needed brush and tree work. Spraying for weeds was discussed. We agreed that South Holyoke looked very good. We agreed that we should watch for weed problems. Property owners are also watching. We can spray if needed. We returned to Guam Avenue. We talked about spraying if needed. We discussed the NNG pipeline project briefly. Agreeing that all other concerns could be discussed at the September regular monthly meeting, we returned to the Town Hall and adjourned 12:45 p.m.

Submitted by:

Gregory Langer, Township Chairman