

MINUTES OF THE TOWN OF FORT EDWARD SPECIAL MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2019 AT TOWN HALL COMMENCING AT 1:00PM

Supervisor Middleton called the meeting to order at 1:00pm

PRESENT: Supervisor Middleton
Councilman Orsini
Councilwoman Mullen
Councilman Mercier

ABSENT: Councilman Fisher

OTHERS PRESENT: Brian Brockway

BUSINESS:

Bid for Blackhouse Rd. Repair

Supervisor Middleton: During the rain storm we lost the culvert as well as suffered a lot of damage on Blackhouse Rd. We are looking at going out to bid for the repairs and need Board approval.

MOTION by Councilman Orsini, Seconded by Councilman Mercier to acquire 3 bids for the needed repairs on Blackhouse Rd. **ALL AYES**

Supervisor Middleton: Glen Hill can be done ourselves; it is around 200-250 feet and I would like to see it sit a year and pack down before we blacktop it. As far as the other road damage we used stone from the pile in Fort Miller and only had to purchase very little.

Brian Brockway: We lost the culvert on Blackhouse Rd. by Donovan's because it was clogged from National Grid brush hogging in that area.

- **Anthony Rd: 7 loads of stone from Fort Miller**
- **Harper Rd: 4 loads of stone from Fort Miller**
- **O'Brien Rd: 9 loads of stone from Fort Miller and replaced the lost pipe**
- **Woodard Rd: 2 loads of shot rock and 4 loads of cement crusher run**
- **Hunter Rd: 1 load of shot rock**
- **East Rd: 2 loads of shot rock by the golf course and the dip by Ormsby's and cleaned out the pipe by Brownell's**

I have contacted Chuck Friedman, O'Connor and Rozelle for bids

I also looked into the cost of doing the work ourselves and found out the following:

Capital Tractor ----- \$1,400.00/wk. and \$75.00 each way to truck it
Fink ----- \$1,083.00/wk. and \$185.00 each way
Contractor Sales ----- \$1,400.00/wk. and \$535.00 each way

Supervisor Middleton: How many loads of new fill do you think we will need?

Brian Brockway: Maybe none but we will have to truck the black top.

Supervisor Middleton: Where did all of the water come from to get 5' on Route 4?

Brian Brockway: I think the old swales are full and slowing flow; also the old canal is full of stuff and I feel it is something on the State's end.

- Every Road is open except Glen
- All pipes are opened up again so the rain that is coming should be fine
- When replacing culverts we should go up a size if we can

Supervisor Middleton: I should be hearing within the next few days about the money from Betty Little's Office; how much has been spent so far for repairs?

Brian Brockway: Between \$7,000.00-\$8,000.00; using that pile in Fort Miller helped a lot.

MOTION by Councilwoman Mullen, Seconded by Councilman Orsini to adjourn the meeting at 1:20pm **ALL AYES**

DATED: April 18, 2019

Aimee Mahoney, Town Clerk