

Water Board Minutes
April 5, 2021

Attending: Jim Smith, Bill Meunier, Don Nelson, Austin Waite, Kim Howe, Jeri Reichman

Opening of meeting: 7PM

Three items on agenda:

Update on leaks

Root update on auxiliary pump

Water rates

1. Leaks – Repaired leak on Clark property on High Street. Leak was on owner side. Next, working on smaller leak on Main Street
2. Root – came late in date on 4/2. Water department could not meet with them. Will reschedule
3. Water rates – the town board has not increased water rates for a long time, and the cost of chemicals and maintenance has increased significantly. Jim Smith presented a spreadsheet of possibilities for an increase in water rates. Not wanting to overburden the residents but yet provide more revenue for the town water department, it was suggested that the first 6600 gallons of water which was at \$25.00 be raised to \$30.00 And the basic gallon of cost of water, which was \$.0036 per gallon, be raised to \$.0040. The maintenance fee would remain the same. The suggestion will be presented to the town board at their April meeting.

Adjournment at 7:15

