

July 5, 2021

President's Report

6/15 DDA Meeting – Discussed the RRC, and the ACCOA Project.

6/9 Coordinated the 6/24 Special Meeting – Contacted Kevin Boyat of the OWAA, Mike Maturn, of the ACCOA and Lindsay Miller of MEDC.

6/11 Phone Conference regarding the ACCOA Project.

6/13 ARA – Fair Board Work Bee

6/17 – MI Department of Treasury webinar on the ARPA Funds.

6/24 Special Meeting - Kevin & Mike shared their prospective projects information regarding the Space Port at the OWA and the ACCOA housing and community center projects. Lindsay Miller from MEDC indicated there is funding that may be applied for through MEDC. She would be happy to work with us.

6/25 Zoom meeting with the ACCOA and their project development. The Village needs to adopt a PIOLT Ordinance for the project.

6/26 ARA – Fair Board Work Bee

6/28 – NEMCOG – I spoke with Denise Cline regarding the RRC. She is willing to assist us with completing our RRC. She was going to contact Pablo, at MEDC, and see where we are at. I have forwarded to Denise the report that Pablo provide us a few months ago. MEDC has grant dollars available next year that we can apply for, which will allow us to hire someone (I recommend NEMCOG) to complete our plan for us.

Citizen Concerns:

6/11- I received a phone call from Justin Durfee requesting a couple of benches and tables be placed at Whitetails. I contacted Warren and asked him to place the tables and benches.

6/xx - I also contacted Ron Stout regarding the grass not being mowed on the DDA owned lots, and he was going to take care of getting them mowed.

6/15 Brenda Forsyth made arrangements to use Flights and the restrooms for a group of the students she works with. They used the facility on June 23rd from noon-2pm.

Zoning

6/19 & 26 – phone call from Chris Bodell regarding Troy not calling her back with regards to a shed she want to install.

6/28 – phone call from Eric Merriweather regarding replacement of damaged fiber cable going into MI Works. Cable belongs to Merit. I spoke with Troy and Denise Cline from NEMCOG. The replacement of the cable is considered Essential Services and does not require a permit. Mr. Merriweather has provided his plan for the work so that we have it on record.

NOTE: I have spoken with Warren and it is time for the Village to find his replacement. I asked Linda to put an ad it the Review.

Road Report

6/28 - The Road Commission issues a permit to Utilities when they are working in an area that does or could affect the road. Is this something that the Village should be considering. At this time there is nothing in place, with regards to the roads. I have included a copy of the Road Commission's permit application for review.

Respectfully submitted,

Sheila