

DIGHTON ELECTRIC LIGHT DISTRICT

District Meeting

April 13, 2022

The meeting of the Dighton Electric Light District was called to order by Sue Medeiros at 10:05am on April 13, 2022 at the Old Town Hall.

Present: Sue Medeiros, Don Burt and James Ready.

Minutes:

Don Burt motioned, James Ready seconded and it was unanimously voted to approve the minutes of the March 9, 2022 monthly meeting.

Warrants:

Don Burt motioned, James Ready seconded and the board unanimously voted to approve the vendor warrants for payment.

James Ready motioned, Don Burt seconded and it was unanimously voted to skip out of order to public input.

Public Input:

Building Inspector, James Aguiar stated to the board that there was infrastructure put in at the corner of Cameron and Hillcrest for one more light pole, however the pole was never installed. Mr. Aguiar met with National Grid that stated the pedestal and conduit are there but no wiring or light. How do we go about getting this light installed?

Don Burt mentioned this issue has been brought to the Board previously. It was understood by the Board that this pedestal was not in the original plans.

Sue Medeiros stated they would need to go in front of the Selectman for a pole hearing. Once that is taken care off the Electric District would take over the maintenance and taxation.

Mr. Aguiar will speak to the Selectman regarding a pole hearing and will keep the Electric Board updated.

Guest: Attorney Matthew Costa – Bylaw Update

Sue Medeiros read the letter prepared by Attorney Tom Gay to the Planning Board and Zoning Board of Appeals, letter attached. The letter is requesting the Electric Light District be included in the review of projects prior to the Boards approval. Clerk will place on District letter head to be sent to the Boards with a copy sent to the Town Administrator.

Sue Medeiros would like to have the Bylaws and Rules & Regulations updated as soon as possible. Duplexes, solar, permit process and Rules & Regulations all need to be incorporated.

The Board discussed the changes they would like to have included. Bylaws will be prepared with update for approval at the Annual Electric Light meeting in June. Rules & Regulations will be updated for approval at an Electric Light District monthly meeting.

Request for Light at 2097 Wheeler Street:

Application will be sent.

Open Sit on the Board:

Don Burt motioned, James Ready seconded and it was unanimously voted to table till the May meeting.

Correspondence:

Will place on May agenda.

Next meeting of the Dighton Electric Light District will be May 11th at 9:30am at the Old Town Hall.


Motion was made to adjourn at 11:04am.

Respectfully submitted,

Tina Bragga
Treasurer/Clerk


Chairman Sue Medeiros


Commissioner Don Burt


Commissioner James Ready