# REGULAR MEETING KENTLAND TOWN HALL SEPTEMBER 11<sup>TH</sup>, 2018 5:00 P.M.

Attending: Lowell Mitchell, President, David Smart and James Sammons, Council Members, Patrick Ryan, Attorney & Judy King, Clerk/Treasurer

### **BUILDING COMMISSIONER**

Matt Wittenborn reported on the following:

- 3 Permits issued
- 1 Demo Permit
- 1 Sign Permit
- 1 Remodel Permit for McDonalds

#### **PARK BOARD**

**Dustin Standish had nothing to report** 

#### **TOWN MANAGER**

**Dustin Standish reported on the following:** 

Cleaning up Cast Park. Putting down river rock and pulling weeds. Also taking down scrub trees.

Dustin met with Wessler Engineers on a filtration plant for the town. A possible grant could be available for this project and the town's match would be \$.10 on the \$1.00. Also looking into scouring the water lines with ice. This will help to remove rust from the lines.

# **FIRE CHIEF**

Matt Wittenborn reported on the following:

- 2 Meetings were held for the month
- 2 Fire Calls
- **18 Medical Calls**

Matt has ordered 10 new sets of gear this year that will soon be outdated and will be ordering 10 more sets next year.

## **TOWN MARSHAL**

Julian Elson reported on the following:

He has his new hand held radio and is very grateful that he has one that works. Several investigations on pop machines that have been broken into within the area. Phone scammers have been calling the area and please be aware. If someone is asking for money on the phone it is generally a scammer. Do not send money.

## **TOWN ATTORNEY**

Patrick Ryan reported on the following:

A lawsuit has been filed by Gary Foster against the Town of Kentland. He has filed an injunction on the ballots not being legal for the November election. A hearing is set for September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018 on the filing fee that he has requested to be waived.

# **CLERK**

Judy King reported on the following:

The 2019 budget was published and Judy asked the public and board if they had any questions in regards to this. No one had questions.

A Halloween Carnival is being planned for October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018 at the R. Steven Ryan Community Center. This will be similar to the past carnivals with games for the little ones. It will run from 5:00 to 7:00. Trick or Treat hours will also be held from 5:00 to 7:00.

### PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

John Cassidy brought up that his class was the last graduating class of A.J. Kent High School in 1966. Several are willing to contribute to the landscaping around the horse shoe memorial at the Community Center. They would like to have it finished by this fall and the class is asking if the Town would repair the concrete and power wash the stone. The Board agreed that would be done.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

Upon motion by James Sammons and seconded by David Smart the minutes from August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018 were approved.

Upon motion by David Smart and seconded by James Sammons the claims were approved.

Upon motion by James Sammons and seconded by David Smart the financial report was approved.

Being no further business, upon motion by David Smart and seconded by James Sammons, the meeting was adjourned.