

The Town of Fenton Town Board held an additional Work Session to approve Abstract 13 of 2017 on Wednesday, January 17th, 2018, at 12:10 PM, at the Fenton Town Hall, 44 Park Street, Port Crane, New York.

PRESENT: Town Board Members Gary Holcomb, Deputy Supervisor
Michael Husar, Councilman
Thomas Moss, Councilman
Richard Pray, Councilman
Town Clerk Melodie Bowersox
Administrative Asst./Bookkeeper Susan Crosier

ABSENT: Town Board Members David Hamlin, Supervisor
Town Attorney Albert Millus, Jr.
Highway Superintendent Randy Ritter

OTHERS PRESENT: 3 members of the General Public

Residents' Time

- **Toxic Plume/Wells in Hillcrest** – Resident John Kopalek asked about the Hillcrest toxic plume that was found in Hillcrest and if the NYS DEC monitored it. Mr. Pray replied yes. John asked if the Town has a backup plan to drill new wells somewhere in the Town of Fenton, such as in Port Crane. John said that inevitably the chemicals seep and will hit the wells. Mr. Pray said there is no plan to dig new wells in Port Crane, as this would be a costly effort to pump all the way to Hillcrest, and that the DEC monitors around the wells. He does not know that the toxic plume will hit those wells. Also, a lot of the materials and the source have been removed. Mr. Pray added that the DEC monitors around us and the Town is obligated to monitor the water coming out of the wells for the chemicals that were in the plume. The reports are done quarterly but Mr. Pray is not sure how often DEC tests are done. Currently there are no traces of the contaminants in the Town's water supply. Mr. Holcomb said there was discussion in the past about the possibility of supplying water to Residents on Crocker Hill Road because several wells had run dry; however, nothing came of the discussion.
- **Binghamton Precast** – Resident Kurt Mohny asked what exactly did Binghamton Precast do that was wrong on the Service Road. Mr. Holcomb replied that they went beyond the scope of the original site plan.

Residents' Time closed at 12:19 PM

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- General Fund: Peranich & Shelp Construction - 2017-0986/Library - Storm Repairs to Roof & Gutters - Voucher #684 - \$1,550.00 – Peranich & Shelp Construction provided a

discount to the Town for their work done on the Fenton Free Library. Mr. Moss will send them a thank you note.

- After a review of the Abstract, **Mr. Husar moved to approve payment of the bills for Abstract #13, 2017**, seconded by Mr. Moss. **Motion carried.**

VOTE: Ayes 4 Holcomb, Husar, Moss, Pray
Nays 0
Absent 1 Hamlin

At 12:26 pm, Mr. Holcomb made a motion to adjourn into Executive Session to discuss a litigation matter, seconded by Mr. Husar. **Motion carried.**

Melodie A. Bowersox, Town Clerk