

TOWN OF SILVER LAKE
SEWER/STORM SEWER GRANT-OCRA
PUBLIC HEARING
FEBRUARY 8, 2017
7:15 P.M.
SILVER LAKE TOWN HALL

PUBLIC HEARING OPENED: The public hearing was delayed due to weather related issues. Chad opened the public hearing at **7:15pm** allowing time for Shannon McLeod, Silver Lake Grant Writer and Mark Sullivan, Mid-Western Engineering to attend the meeting.

PUBLIC HEARING: **Mark Sullivan** spoke in depth regarding the project's construction, showing maps of the locations and also detailing the financial costs of each site. He also spoke about an easement and that he would work with Scott Reust, Town Attorney to finalize that process. The surveyors have already prepared the legal descriptions of where it is needed. Mark stated construction costs will be around \$700,000.00 and non-construction costs will be around \$300,000.00

Shannon McLeod spoke about deadlines, the grant submission process and the Town match. She stated the Town would be responsible for 47% of the cost of construction and non-construction totals. The OCRA grant if received will be for \$500,000.00 and the Town will be responsible for the rest. OCRA will do a sight visit. She also noted that the Archeologist study has been completed and it came back clean. The floor was opened to the public for questions or comments.

CITIZENS:

Q: **Skip Mumford:** Will the contractors be using clay, concrete or PVC?

A: **Mark Sullivan:** No clay it will either be concrete or PVC depending on the cost. More than likely it will be PVC.

Q: **Jerry Wagoner:** How long will this take to be completed?

A: **Shannon McLeod:** We will submit the letter of intent this Friday; the grant is due on April 7th and we should hear if the grant was approved by mid-June. The paperwork should be completed by July.

Mark Sullivan: OCRA gives 2 months for the bidding process and 10 months for the completion of the project. We are looking into next spring for the construction to begin.

Q: **Chad Miner:** What happens if the Town decides to scale back the project, meaning not complete all the storm sewers suggested.

A: **Shannon McLeod:** Then the grant amount will scale back accordingly but no matter what the Town will be responsible for 47% of the project costs.

ADJOURN PUBLIC HEARING

7:45pm, the Sewer/Storm Sewer maps and finale planning grant documents can be viewed in the office of the Clerk-Treasurer.

CHAD MINER, COUNCIL PRESIDENT

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