

Village Board Report – April 2014

Welcome to the Village Board Report which is placed on our website monthly to keep you informed of actions taken by the Village Board on ordinances and other significant matters.

Wastewater Treatment Project – At the April 1, 2014 meeting the Board discussed the future extension of wastewater infrastructure and the associated connection costs. A follow up meeting is being scheduled with the residents on Fairview Avenue and Church Street who reside adjacent to the newly installed sewer line to discuss connecting to the system.

Sale of Village Property – At the April 15, 2014 meeting, the Village Board authorized the sale of two police squad vehicles no longer in use by the Village.

Ordinances – the Village Board approved the following ordinances at the April 1, 2014 meeting:

- Ordinance 13-14-47 Adding Chapter 43.33 of the Johnsbury Municipal Code regulating Garage Sales.
- Ordinance 13-14-48 Amending Chapter 10 of the Johnsbury Municipal Code regarding Solicitor Fees.
- Ordinance 13-14-50 Amending Chapter 12 of the Johnsbury Municipal Code regarding Fees associated with Nuisances.
- Ordinance 13-14-54 Amending Chapter 9 of the Johnsbury Municipal Code regarding Liquor License classifications.

Garrelts Zoning Request – At the April 1, 2014 meeting the Village Board heard a request by Steve Garrelts to amend the Johnsbury Zoning Ordinance to permit an Automobile Outdoor Sales Lot as a conditional use in the B-2 zoning district and to request that the use be granted for his property at 3420 Richmond Road. Through an informal vote, the majority of the board indicated that they do not support the request. Mr. Garrelts asked for the formal vote to be tabled to the June 3, 2014 board meeting.

For more information about this report and the above referenced matters, please contact Village Administrator, Claudett Peters, at 815-385-6023 or cpeters@johnsbury.org.