

**Buttonwoods Fire District    Posted 5/15/08**

**Minutes of Meeting of Supervisors**

**Date: 4/28/08**

**Casino Building 23 8th Ave., Warwick, RI 02886**

**Attendees: B.Remick, K.Mason, D.Taylor, Supervisors  
J.Suffredini, Treasurer**

**Current Invoices given to J.Suffredini, Treasurer, for review and payment.**

**Joe S. -Review of budget, 99% of Fire District Tax revenue has been received. Discussion**

**of expenses, balances and recent outgoing payments. We reviewed the sewer assessment, and voted to pay the first year installments assessment in full.**

**Joe S. is in the process of putting together the 2008/2009 budgets.**

**Ken will contact Inland Waters to have the catch basins cleaned and inspected before the final sewer retainage is released, to make sure that they are all in working order, and have not been damaged due to the sewer installation project. Ken will contact Ken McNaught to find out their locations. The road at 54, 8th Avenue needs some attention near the sewer connection, we will advise the owner to call the**

**Warwick Sewer Dept.**

**The Casino landscaping is coming along nicely and will be ready for plantings in the spring. The 8th Ave. side of the Casino could use some arborvitaes or shrubs of some kind. We'll check with Karen Way to see if we can include them as part of the landscaping project, as well as the benches needed for the area. Karen will be back on May 7th, and promised to start working immediately on the landscaping plans, so everything will be in place for July 4th.**

**We need to also check in with our community arborist(s), as to who is still active, and if they can help in determining the physical well being of our trees, especially those on Buttonwoods Ave.**

**The flagpole will be dedicated in a special ceremony with the children's choir and will have a new flag to honor our troops. Deb will order our first flag, one, which has been flown over our nations capital building for the ceremony.**

**The flagpole should have a flush in-ground light, and the supervisors will consult with Dave Lussier as to the correct installation.**

**Window repair-Ken M. and B. Remick have repaired several, but it has become a perpetual problem, and we still need one person or company to maintain the windows regularly.**

**Casino/Tennis Trash-Bob R. has hired Angie Marks and Bridget Flaherty, for the job of getting the trash barrels to the street for pick up weekly, as well as cleaning out the barrels.**

**Casino painting-Ken M. and Bob R., re-affirmed that they volunteer to paint the new ramp and porch area this spring.**

**Some Buttonwoods road signs are missing, so the call is going out to be on the look out for any signs you may find and return them to Ken Mason or Bob Remick for replacement, otherwise we have to order new replacements which are very costly. Bob R. will order any missing safety signs as necessary.**

**A seasonal checklist of Things to Do was reviewed and determined to be satisfactory.**

**Buttonwoods security-Bob R. is in contact with the company previously used, and we will determine dates of hire at a later meeting.**

**Buttonwoods ball field use-A reminder that special use of the of the**

ball field, is required by any resident to the Casino Committee for occasional use only, and is not for use on a regular basis for any team practices.

Adin Road-A request by the Dickerman's and Fitzgerald's, in the form of an e-mail to

the Supervisors, has asked the association to replace a road between there two homes,

because in their view, the concrete now in place is cracked and crumbling. They request

concrete, and the replacement cost would be between \$5000-7000.

Answer-All the supervisors visited the area, and noted it to be a little in disrepair, but it was decided that since this is considered a "paper trail" street, and the use of frequency does not pose any safety issue, it does not warrant any work done at this time.

New Supervisor-It is that time of year again, to fill a Supervisor position, so a discussion of possible candidates for this position was had, and a call will go out to a resident who has community spirit and would like to help maintain the associations rules and regulations, ("law and order").

Minutes of April 28, 2008, meeting were read and approved at the close of the meeting, on

April 28, 2008.

**Meeting adjourned at 7:25PM**