

City of Bayfield  
PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

10/03/16

Meeting called to order by Bryan at 8 am. Present: Kelly, Brevold, Bryan, Peterson: City employees; Kovachevich, others: Chad Abel, Red Cliff

Agenda and minutes were approved

#1. Old Business

- A. The Swede Hill PPA is signed and going through. Final details are being worked out and the project will go out for bids in December. The bidding process could include the waterfront project.
- B. The hook up for MIFL on Old San Road has been approved and is in process.

#2. Public works; The back hoe has been repaired. Starting to prepare for winter including sand/salt mix. Crew is doing Applefest preparations.

#3. Utility operations; Water leaks on 5<sup>th</sup> street have been repaired. Tom mentioned that Josh has been enrolled on training programs this fall.

#4. Swede Hill phase II; Strand Engineering will be working on this project so we can apply for appropriate grants.

#5. GBWWTP Phragmits; Chad Abel was present to talk about native vs non-native Phragmits. Bayfield installed non-native as they were not supposed to spread, but have. The DNR is holding back on permits because of this issue. The EPA may be helping fund the removal of the old and installation of the new native Phragmits. When installed it may require inspections to ensure that the non-native do not come back. Chad needs a letter of endorsement supporting the alternative for the EPA to get funding. Kelly recommended the PWC support this alternative, Brevold seconded, motion passed. This is referred to council.

#6. Next meeting 11/04/16 at 9:00.