

Minutes of the June 24, 2014 Budget Workshop Board meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Newark held in the 3rd floor conference room of the Municipal Building at 4:35 P.M.

PRESENT Mayor Peter Blandino (10); Trustees: Helen Blandino (10), Jonathan Taylor (10), Kurt Werts (9), and John Zornow (10).

Village: David Christler, Police Chief, Stephen Murawski, Clerk/Treasurer
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**MAYOR
BLANDINO** At 4:01 P.M., Mayor Blandino opened the meeting.

**EXECUTIVE
SESSION** Motion Trustee Blandino, seconded Trustee Werts and carried unanimously to go into Executive Session to discuss DPW Union negotiations and a personnel matter in the Police Department.

**POLICE OFFICER
HIRING** Motion Trustee Blandino, seconded Trustee Zornow and carried unanimously to come out of Executive Session. The Board came out of Executive Session at 4:10 P.M.

Motion Trustee Taylor, seconded Trustee Blandino to hire Matthew Colacino as a probationary police officer, effective June 26, 2014. The following are the four conditions of his employment: He must complete the Finger Lakes Training Academy; he must become certified as a police officer by New York State; he must successfully pass a medical examination by a physician chosen by the Village of Newark, and he must pass the background screening completed by the Newark Police Department.

The Mayor asked for a roll call vote, and the motion passed unanimously 5-0.

PERKINS PARK Trustee Werts brought up the issue of vandalism/damage once again to the Perkins Park gazebo. The Chief informed the board that the camera unit in Perkins Park did not function at the time of the incident. Mr. Werts stated that the Village needs to provide quality equipment to provide support in monitoring our properties.

Trustee Zornow asked if the current lawn mowing contract for the Village Parks allowed for the use of chemical spray for controlling vegetation. He stated that he saw someone spraying something around the trees in Perkins Park. Mayor Blandino stated he would check with Doug Townsend and Steve Murawski to determine if it is allowed.

**ROUTE 31 WEST
ROAD REPAIR** Mr. Zornow asked about the status of any road repair for Route 31 West above the Military Brook culvert. Mayor Blandino stated that there is an issue of who is responsible for repairing the State owed road.

ADJOURNMENT Motion Trustee Werts, seconded Trustee Taylor and carried unanimously to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:41 P.M.

Stephen Murawski, Village Clerk-Treasurer