

**TOWN OF CASTLETON
SEWER COMMISSION MEETING
MINUTES OF AUGUST 11TH, 2014
TOWN OFFICES**

MEMBERS PRESENT- Thomas Ettori, John Hale, Richard Comb, Joe Bruno

MEMBERS ABSENT – Bob Spaulding

OTHERS PRESENT- Charles Jacien

Meeting called to order a 6:30 pm by J. Bruno

C. Jacien stated that the sewer rate needed to be set.

MOTION

J. Hale made a motion to set the sewer rate at \$376.00 per unit. Seconded by T. Ettori
All in favor. So voted.

C. Jacien noted that the bills will be going out at the end of August.

REQUEST FOR SEWER FEE REDUCTION

Ray Mongeur has requested a reduction in his sewer rate. He states the increase is due to the state licensing of the day care business in his home. They have 4 children but only one of those children uses the potty. The others are in diapers and they are disposed of at town dump and paid for by Mr. Mongeur. There is a different situation for the residents of Patricia Lane, as they do pay a full unit of tax but each resident has a septic tank for their solids. He did state that if at anytime attendance to his daycare increased he would gladly pay the additional unit of sewer tax.

MOTION

T. Ettori made a motion to amend the sewer tax rate for R. Monguer to one unit. Seconded by R. Combs.

The board continued to discuss the proposal change.

VOTE ON THE MOTION

J. Bruno, R. Combs, T. Ettori voted yes and J. Hale voted no. Motion carried.

R. Mongeur asked about the bill he has not paid from last year. He requested that he be exempt from paying it.

The board made no motion to approve the request to abate the sewer bill from 2013-14.

ADJOURNMENT

J. Hale motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:06 pm. T. Etori seconded. All voted in favor. So voted.

Respectfully Submitted
Valerie Waldron

Date of Approval

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