

Town Board Meeting
Wednesday March 9, 2022

Present: Chairman Iverson, Supervisors Ahlvin and Gilbertson, Clerk Gunderson, Treasurer Mottram and 2 others.

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Iverson at 7:00 p.m. Minutes of February 9th read. Motion Gilbertson/Ahlvin to approve. Carried. Financial Report - Motion Gilbertson/Ahlvin. Carried.

OLD BUSINESS: Dump Attendant position – we have not received any applications to date. Ross is considering staying on. May look at posting for a sub position.

Jack talked to County Zoning – as long as the well is there on the Raymond Ave. property they will not issue a building permit. The owner is looking at possibly plugging this well.

Ambulance meetings – Jack went to both Great Divide and Mason meetings. Cable has 2 ambulances on order and Mason has one. Not sure when they will be here or how it will be paid!

We received an Ordinance from the County showing the change for town property from Commercial to Municipal.

REPORTS: None

PUBLIC COMMENTS: Bernie asked what the road right-of-way is for Raymond Ave. Jack let him know that it is the standard 33 ½ feet from center. Bernie talked about the County cleaning up in front of Karow's because they had received a complaint from the Karow's about them piling up the snow on their property. He also questioned why we don't sand the parking lots in town. There are questions about liability and where it would lead.

NEW BUSINESS: Fireworks – are we going to do them this year? Jack will talk to Jake Kinnunen about the Rec. Association heading this up and raising additional money.

Road Clean-Up – we should try to keep this going. Motion Ahlvin/Gilbertson to continue with road clean-up. We will have a cook out on May 4th with a fee dump day of May 7th. Carried.

Handbook Additions – Call-in time for road crew. We have never had an issue with this in the past. Town crew has asked for Board to come up with addition to handbook for call-in pay. No action.

Governor's EMS Initiative - \$47 million!

Key for Susan for CCC discussed. Right now Jack opens up the hall for Susan. She would like to have a key so she doesn't have to bother him (or anyone else). The purpose of the key is for set up and preparing on Monday for the CCC dinner and activities on Tuesday. Susan did state that she sometimes likes to bring stuff in on other days. Motion Gilbertson/Ahlvin to allow key with stipulation that it is mainly used for Monday and Tuesday and that it should not be used when others are here using the hall. Carried.

Motion Iverson/Gilbertson to go into executive session pursuant to Sec. 19.85(1) (c), Wis. Stats., to discuss personnel at 8:15. Carried. Reconvene to regular session at 8:25. Motion Ahlvin/Gilbertson to spend ARPA money (about 47,000) as follows: Premium pay of \$1.00 per regular hour worked from April 1, 2020 to April 1 2021 to road crew that were working at that time (\$2,080.00 each); Premium pay of \$250.00 to both janitor and recycling center attendant; \$50.00 per election to each person working any of the elections held during this time period; the balance of the ARPA funds will be set aside for the Ambulance Services. Carried.

Open Book will be scheduled for April 14th from 10:00a.m. to 12:00 p.m. this will be by phone as it has been the last 2 years. Board of Review will be held on Tuesday May 3rd from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Motion to adjourn at 9:00 p.m. Carried. Next regular board meeting will be Wednesday April 13th at 7:00 p.m. in the Grand View Town Hall.

Teresa A Gunderson, Clerk