

Town Board Meeting
Wednesday, April 12, 2023

Present: Chairman Iverson, Supervisors Ahlvin and Gilbertson, Treasurer Mottram and 6 others. Clerk Gunderson was absent.

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Iverson at 7:00 p.m. Minutes of March 8th read. Motion Ahlvin/Gilbertson to approve. Carried. Financial Report – Motion Gilbertson/Ahlvin to approve. Carried.

OLD BUSINESS: Solar Power – First step to considering this is to provide 1 year of electric bills for each of the town buildings that would be affected. May take years before break-even is realized. Will then have Bill Bailey come to a meeting and advise us regarding a potential grant.

Town Officials Workshop– Paul will attend May 8th at Lakewoods.

REPORTS: Jack reviewed shared revenue payments made to communities in Ashland and Bayfield Counties and pointed out the wide range of per capita payments. Board members have been unable to get a clear answer as to why there is such irregularity between communities.

Beautification Committee- Susan requested funds to bring the checkbook balance to \$1000.00, the usual annual budget allowance.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

NEW BUSINESS: Board of Review – Will check with Teresa about training.

ARPA -Teresa is working on this grant.

Fireworks – Motion Ahlvin/Gilbertson to approve \$5000.00 for this year. Carried. Suggestion to contact Drummond and Cable about rotating event each year.

Wake Board Ordinance – After discussion and audience input, motion Ahlvin/Iverson to pass reaffirmation of wake boat ordinance with reservations regarding the timing of presentation to and response from DNR. Carried. Ordinance will be sent to DNR via a Word document. Kevin Johnson requested a copy. Public request to also post on Town website.

Road Clean-up – Meal will be held at town hall on May 3rd. Jack offered to purchase groceries needed and get reimbursed by the Town. Free dump day will be May 6th.

Appointment of Clerk and Treasurer – Motion Gilbertson/Ahlvin to appoint the Town Clerk and Treasurer. Carried.

Cable Bags – Motion Gilbertson/Ahlvin to purchase the bags again for \$300.00. Carried.

Motion Ahlvin second Iverson to adjourn at 8:25 p.m. Carried. Next regular board meeting will be Wednesday, May 10th at 7:00 p.m.

Vicki Mottram
Treasurer