

TOWN OF TROY BOARD MEETING

October 10, 2023

The regular Town of Troy board meeting was called to order by Chairman, Jeff Lohr, at 7:30 p.m., at the Town of Troy town hall.

The pledge of allegiance was led by Chairman, Lohr.

Roll call was taken with the following responding: Jeff Lohr, Brad Anderson, Greg Sprecher, Lloyd E. Ballweg, and Mary Zins.

It was confirmed that the agenda was properly posted in three locations in the township and mailed to all board members.

Sprecher made a motion, seconded by Anderson, to adopt the agenda as posted. Motion carried 3-0.

Minutes:

Anderson made a motion to approve the September 12, 2023, minutes as presented, seconded by Sprecher. Motion carried 3-0.

Treasurer's Report:

Anderson made a motion approving the accounts payable checks #9464-#9492 and ACH payments totaling \$46,534.27, seconded by Lohr. Motion carried 3-0.

Citizen's Comments:

Roger Mack reported on a recent ambulance meeting he attended. There was discussion that an ambulance should be replaced every four years. Sauk's ambulance charge for a run is less than Plain's.

Greg Sprecher visited the Wormfarm Institute fermentation fest at Witwen Park which was held October 7-8, 2023. He noticed many of the attendees were from out of state and questioned if said organization were authorized to sell liquor. (There is no documentation stating that the Town of Troy bans the sale of liquor.)

Patrolman's Report:

Anderson provided the following:

1. There is a culvert on Troy Village Road which needs replacing.
2. Crack filling on Fuchs and Skunk Valley Roads has not been started.
3. The boom mower needed repairs and was taken to Blackhawk Ag Repairs for service.
4. The Peterbilt truck is still at SB Restorations for painting.
5. He had difficulty operating the garage door opener on the old shop.
6. Culverts need marking.

It was suggested that the sand and chips should be ordered and that the asphalt should be moved.

Business Items:

Terry Leidig was contacted regarding submitting a bid to remove the trees on Cassel Road but there was no response. Anderson made a motion, seconded by Sprecher, to approve the \$12,000 bid submitted by Frosch Tree Service. Motion carried 3-0.

Daniel Magnuson (Parcel #1140-0000) parked his work vehicle on Badger Road's right-of-way last winter season making it difficult for the patrolman to plow snow. Anderson made a motion, seconded by Lohr, to have the town clerk send correspondence to Mr. Magnuson notifying him that should his vehicle or any other means of transportation be parked on any of the town's right-of-ways, the Sauk County Sheriff's Department will be notified and/or the town board will request said vehicle be towed at the owner's expense. Motion carried 3-0.

Sprecher made a motion, seconded by Anderson, to work on the 2024 budget on Monday, October 30, 2023, at 7:00 p.m. Motion carried 3-0.

Lohr made a motion, seconded by Anderson, approving October 20, 2023, from 1:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. for open book and Wednesday, November 29, 2023, from 6:00 p.m. to adjournment for board of review. Motion carried 3-0. Anderson contacted AT&T and has Wi-fi internet available for the assessors during open book and board of review.

Anderson made a motion, seconded by Sprecher, to transfer \$12,126.49 from the patrolman salary account to cover the ledger accounts in deficit. Motion carried 3-0

Board Comments:

Anderson will attend the TRIP meeting on Friday, October 20, 2023, at the West Square Building.

Lohr attended the Sauk County Board of Adjustment meeting on Thursday, September 28, 2023, regarding Scott Evenson's request for a variance for a livestock harvest structure. His request was denied and involved more than one variance.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Zins

Mary Zins, Clerk