

# Town of Chippewa: Minutes

## Town Board Proceedings

**November 20, 2024**

Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Chippewa was called to order on November 20, 2024 @ 5:40pm. At roll call the following were present: Town Supervisors–John Bruch, Kenny Pritzl, Chairperson-Bill Ernst, Clerk-Cindy Pritzl, Town Treasurer – Lauren Bruch, Town Employee–Eric Sitte, Rodger Eder, Chuck Miesbauer, Town Residents John Artin, Scott Stenger.

Motion by J. Bruch, second by K. Pritzl to approve Agenda. Motion carried.

Motion by J. Bruch second by K. Pritzl to approve October 16, 2024 Regular Meeting as printed. Motion carried.

Motion by J. Bruch, second by K. Pritzl to approve payment of Checks (16075-16109, C20241003-C20241102) in the total of \$178,223.86. Motion carried.

### **Old Business: None**

### **New Business:**

1. Discuss/Approve Letter to Lake Association to Approve Measuring Stick on Cutoff Rd: It was brought to the board's attention that the past chairman approved this in April 2021. No action is needed.
2. Discuss/Approve the Purchase of New Buoys for Butternut Lake: Scott informed the board that he found a buoy for \$280.00 and then would need to purchase stickers for \$60.00 that stated hazard as they don't need a no wake. Motion by J. Bruch, seconded by K. Pritzl to purchase buoy and stickers. Motion carried.
3. Ashland County Sheriff's Report: None
4. Public Comment (Audience): Board wanted to thank Maxine Kilgar for the new little library at the town hall.

### **Treasurer's Report:**

Checking Balance: October 31, 2024:	\$ 479,098.47
Reclamation Fund:	\$ 13,778.21
Equipment Fund:	\$ 73,660.23
Tax Account	\$ 1,504.64
Money Market Account Forward Bank:	\$ 42,242.27

Motion by K. Pritzl, seconded by J. Bruch to approve treasurers report. Motion carried Motion by J. Bruch and seconded by K. Pritzl to send the residents that paid the extra \$100.00 their checks back. Motion carried.

### **Clerks Report:**

- Regular Board Meeting on Wednesday, December 18, 2024 @ 5:30pm

### **Building Permits: None**

### **Driveway Permits: None**

### **Road Crew Report:**

- Roadwork Update:
  - Culvert work
  - Ditching
  - Spot Graveling
  - Grading
  - Flat tires for dodge ordered new ones
  - Village would like to hire Chippewa to help cut out black top on one of their streets. Board is ok with this whenever the crew can work it in.
  - The crew like to look for a leaf blower to get leaves off the road, they found one for \$350.00. Board ok to have crew to look at it.
  - Replaced hoes on Sterling
  - Oil light on the grader is on, crew will watch it

- Sitte informed the board that there is 2.5 miles on 173 that we are plowing and maintaining that we do not get paid for. Clerk will contact Eric Lynch to ask for reimbursement for it or we will need to make a turn around before it. Look into for next month.

**Chairman/Supervisor's Report:**

- 163 there is a beaver that has the culvert plugged
- Chippewa Lake Rd. and the damage that was done by a farmer, their insurance company will pay the \$10,800.00 that Pitlick quoted the town it would cost to replace the damage.
- Road crew want to know if they are going to 4/10hr days. Board decided that both guys will work Monday – Thursday for 10 hours and see how this works.

Motion by K. Pritzl, second by J. Bruch to adjourn. Motion carried.

Meeting Adjourned at 6:38pm..

Cindy Pritzl- Clerk

Public Notices:

Regular Board Meeting December 18, 2024 @ 5:30pm