

Town of Chippewa: Minutes

Town Board Proceedings

December 18, 2024

Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Chippewa was called to order on December 18, 2024 @ 5:35pm. 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 Christine Miesbauer, Diane Pritzl, Nate Pritzl, Erica Parker, Kathy Ernst.

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

Motion by J. Bruch second by K. Pritzl to approve November 20, 2024 Regular Meeting as printed. Motion carried.

Motion by J. Bruch, second by K. Pritzl to approve payment of Checks (16110-16139, C20241103-C20241203) in the total of \$18,265.69. Motion carried.

Old Business: None

New Business:

1. Discuss Hwy 13 Street Project Rerouting on West Rd: The Village of Butternut is inquiring if the Town of Chippewa would allow a rerouting on to West Rd to Town Hall Rd to Bear Lake Rd for the summer of 2030 when they redo Hwy 13 through the village. The Town board was not in favor of this rerouting as they are concerned about the heavy traffic on Town Hall Rd and also trucks getting on to Hwy 13 off of Bear Lake as that intersection is a bit concerning for semi's heading north to make that corner. They will allow the rerouting through the village and to use Zillinger Rd. Motion by K. Pritzl, second by J. Bruch to not use West Rd as a rerouting for Hwy 13 project. Motion carried.
2. Discuss Issue with 2.5 Miles of Road on 173: Table until next month
3. Discuss/Approve Road Crew Raises for 205 for Part-Time & Full Time: Eder is currently making \$25.52, Sitte is making \$24.00, K. Pritzl & Miesbauer are making \$18.77 for plowing, Miesbauer is making \$15.27 for recycling. Motion by Ernst, seconded by J. Bruch to give part-time & full-time employees a \$2.00 raise starting January 1, 2025, also raise will not be renewed until 2027. Roll call J. Bruch-yes, K. Pritzl-yes, Ernst-yes. Motion carried.
4. Public Comment (Audience): None

Treasurer's Report:

Checking Balance: November 30, 2024:	\$ 367,818.52
Reclamation Fund:	\$ 13,779.91
Equipment Fund:	\$ 73,669.31
Tax Account	\$ 1,504.76
Money Market Account Forward Bank:	\$ 42,254.39

Motion by K. Pritzl, seconded by J. Bruch to approve treasurers report. Motion carried.

Clerks Report:

- Regular Board Meeting on Wednesday, January 15, 2025 @ 5:30pm

Building Permits: None

Driveway Permits: None

Road Crew Report:

- Roadwork Update:
 - Brushing
 - Plowing & Sanding
 - Tires have been replaced on Dodge
 - Crew agreed to not get the Tandem in the shop until spring

Chairman/Supervisor's Report: None

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

Meeting Adjourned at 6:00pm.

Cindy Pritzl- Clerk

Public Notices: Regular Board Meeting: January 15, 2025 @ 5:30pm