

Town of Chippewa: Minutes

Town Board Proceedings

April 15, 2020

Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Chippewa was called to order on April 15, 2020 @ 6:38pm. At roll call the following were present: Town Supervisors–Bill Ernst and John Bruch, Chairperson–Dan Koch, Clerk–Cindy Pritzl, Treasurer–Barb Koch, Town Employee–Charles Miesbauer, Roger Eder and Eric Sitte.

Motion by Ernst, second by Bruch to approve Agenda. Motion carried.

Motion by Ernst, second by Bruch to approve minutes of Regular Mtg. on March 18, 2020 & Special Meeting on March 18, 2020 and March 31, 2020. Motion carried.

Motion by Ernst, second by Bruch to approve payment of Checks (13993-134035 and Electronic Vouchers to WDOR & IRS (C20200401 –C20200403), Northern State Bank in the total of \$70,661.77. Motion carried.

Old Business:

1. Discuss Spring Clean Up If Going Through With It: Board agreed to continue with the spring cleanup date set for May 16 from 8am-2pm. Clerk to make signs to inform residents to stay in their vehicle until it is their turn.

New Business:

1. Discuss Bidding Out Old Fuel Tanks: Ernst contacted Richie Oil and it will be about three more weeks for our new tanks to come in. Board agreed to set a minimum at \$500.00/unit and one unit consists of a pump, hose and tank. There will be 2 units to sell. Run ad for two weeks and open the bids at next month's board meeting.
2. Set Date for Road Inspection: May 6th, 2020 at 5:00pm-7:00pm
3. Liquor License:
 - Approve Surrendering of Liquor License: Board received letter from Richard Page surrendering his Class B Retail License for fermented malt beverages and intoxicating liquors for this business Butternut Resort due to him selling the property on April 3, 2020. Motion by Bruch, second by Ernst to approve the surrendering of Butternut Resort's Class Be Retail License. Motion carried.
 - Approve Application for New Liquor License: Board received a new application from Bobbi Muonio who will be the new owner of Bobbers on The Lake (aka Butternut Resort). Motion by Ernst, second by Bruch to approve the application from Bobbi Muonio. Roll call vote Koch-yes, Bruch-yes, Ernst-yes. Yes-3, No-0. Motion carried. Clerk informed board that this license will be prorated at \$50.00 and then as of July 1, 2020 they will need to pay \$200.00 for the full year.
4. Discuss Board of Review Options: Town of Chippewa Assessor Michael Schnautz informed the board that he will do the open book with no board members present and the board decided for the Board of Review that the clerk will sign the roll ahead of time and leave it at the hall for the assessor to sign and the board stays at home in phone contact if anything should come up.
5. Ashland Co. Sheriff's Report: None
6. Public Comment (Audience): None

Treasurer's Report:

Checking Balance: March 31, 2020	\$ 165,208.01
Reclamation Fund:	\$ 15,604.65
Equipment Fund:	\$ 71,619.71
Tax Account	\$ 45,633.84
Northern State Bank CD:	\$ 25,789.82

Motion by Ernst, second by Bruch to approve Treasurer's report. Motion carried.

Clerks Report:

- Annual Board Meeting April 21, 2020 @ 7:00
- Regular Board Meeting May 20 @ 6:30
- Open Book May 5 @ 5:00-7:00
- Board of Review May 13 @ 6:00

Building Permits: None

Driveway Permits: None

Road Crew Report:

- Roadwork Update:
 - Road crew presented prices to the board for a new loader.
 - J Peters quoted a price of \$700.00 to pick up the Volvo backhoe from Chippewa Falls. Ernst would like to get a price from Terry Palecek. Clerk to contact Terry.
 - Board would like to have clerk contact Terry Palecek & Gransberg and get prices for gravel crushing 5,000 yds. for the town.

Chairman/Supervisor's Report: None

[Motion by Ernst, second by Bruch to adjourn. Motion carried.](#)

Meeting Adjourned at 8:00 pm.

Cindy Pritzl- Clerk

[Public Notices:](#)

Annual Board Meeting – April 21 @ 7:00pm

Open Book – May 5 @ 5:00 -7:00

Board of Review – May 13 @ 6:30

Regular Board Meeting – May 20 @ 6:30pm