

Town of Chippewa: Minutes

Town Board Proceedings

April 15, 2025

Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Chippewa was called to order on April 15, 2025 @ 5:54pm. 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, David Meindl, Village of Butternut President – Gary Vander Wyst.

Motion by K. Pritzl, second by K. Pritzl to approve with an amendment to the agenda to change item #3 in new business which should have been Metzinger Rd rather than Miesbauer Rd. Motion carried.

Motion by K. Pritzl second by J. Bruch to approve March 19, 2025, Regular Meeting as printed. Motion carried.

Motion by K. Pritzl, second by J. Bruch to approve payment of Checks (16278-16316, C20250305-C20250410) in total of \$36,213.40. Motion carried.

Old Business:

1. Review/Approve Bids for Grinding Project: Received one bid from Lepke Inc. out of Phillips. Bid is as stated Chippewa Lake Rd 3797'x22' wide \$9,281.00, Weinberger Rd 2810'x20' wide \$6,244.00; mobilization \$2,000.00 for a total of \$17,525.00 with a note: grind up to 6" from top surface if deeper is extra money and would be decided when grinding. Motion by Ernst, seconded by K. Pritzl to approve bid. Motion carried.
2. Discuss Road Posting New Sign Pricing: Redesigned the old signs with stickers and they now state 8-ton total. New signs would be \$350.00/each. The board is good with stickers.

New Business:

1. Discuss Spring Clean Up Date: May 17 8am-2pm Prices will be the same.
2. Discuss Bidding Out for Gravel Crushing: The board would like to advertise for 10,000 yards to be crushed this fall, run ad for two weeks.
3. Discuss/Approve Brushing on Weinberger Rd from Ernst Rd to ~~Miesbauer Rd~~ Metzinger Rd: The town road crew will do the cutting for this section of road.
4. Public Comment (Audience): Gary Vander Wyst introduced himself to the Town of Chippewa Board. Dave Meindl would like a 45mph sign put on West Rd. Board will look into this and put on the agenda item next month.

Treasurer's Report:

Checking Balance: March 31, 2025:	\$ 389,010.11
Reclamation Fund:	\$ 13,786.76
Equipment Fund:	\$ 73,705.95
Tax Account	\$ 27,399.56
Money Market Account Forward Bank:	\$ 42,303.41

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

Clerks Report:

- Regular Board Meeting on Wednesday, May 21, 2025 @ 5:30pm
- Open Book: May 9, 2025, 4:00pm-6:00pm
- Board of Review: May 21, 2025, 6:00pm – 8:00pm

Building Permits: Tom Mitchhart: 79546 Bear Lake Rd Addition 24x16 \$5,000.00

Motion by K. Pritzl seconded by J. Bruch to approve building permit.

Driveway Permits: None

Road Crew Report:

- Roadwork Update:
 - Grader will be back on Thursday
 - Boat land has lots of garbage
 - Run roads for down trees

- Working on loader painting and sand blasting
- Looking for fenders for loader
- Crew will work on Graft Rd and put 15-20 loads of gravel on it

Chairman/Supervisor's Report:

- When we get the grader back we will need to start working on the roads.

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

Meeting Adjourned at 6:37pm.

Cindy Pritzl- Clerk

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