

Town of Chippewa: Minutes

Town Board Proceedings

June 16, 2021

Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Chippewa was called to order on June 16, 2021 @ 6:05pm. 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–Roger Eder, Chuck Miesbauer and Eric Sitte, Town Resident.

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

Motion by Ernst, second by Bruch to approve minutes of Regular Mtg. on May 19, 2021. Motion carried.

Motion by Ernst second by Bruch to approve payment of Checks (14589-14627) and Electronic Vouchers to WDOR & IRS (C20210601 – C20210603) Northern State Bank in the total of \$28,091.42. Motion carried.

Old Business:

1. Review Options for 6 Month CD: Motion by Ernst, second by Bruch to transfer the full amount of the 6-month CD to a Charitable Money Market Account at Forward Bank. Motion carried.

New Business:

1. Review/Approve Liquor License: Class B Beer & Class B Liquor was presented from Bobber's on The Lake LLC. Motion by Ernst, second by Bruch to approve the Class B Beer & Liquor from Bobber's on The Lake LLC. Motion carried.
2. Discuss Option for New Gravel Pit: Table until County gets back if they would be interested in going in with us on this pit.
3. Review/Approve Assessor Contract: Motion by Ernst, second by Bruch to approve Michael Schnautz Assessments contract for \$6,100.00. Motion carried.
4. Discuss Repairing Bridge on Cut Off Rd: Board agreed to advertise for bids for bridge repair. Board to open bids at next month's meeting.
5. Ashland County Sheriff's Report: Bobber's on The Lake is concerned with pedestrians crossing Lakeview by their business. Clerk did report there are two signs with the sign of people crossing. Board agreed that with Ashland County sitting out on that road that the speed will be slowing down, and the option is to put no parking on both sides of the road in front of that business.
6. Public Comment (Audience): Barb Koch requested that the town remove the signs that say slow children at play where there are no longer children. Board will look at ones that can be removed and make sure that they can be removed.

Treasurer's Report:

Checking Balance: May 31, 2021	\$ 159,087.11
Reclamation Fund:	\$ 17,711.16
Equipment Fund:	\$ 71,826.89
Tax Account	\$ 45,707.22
Northern State Bank CD:	\$ 26,155.32

Motion by Ernst, second by Bruch to approve treasurers report as printed. Motion carried.

Clerks Report:

- Regular Meeting Wednesday, June 21, 2021 @ 6:00pm
- Clerk read thank you from the Butternut Historical Society
- Clerk presented board with email from the Forest Service regarding the culvert that we will be installing for the forestry.

Building Permits:

✓ David & Leanne Wolter – 76085 Bear Lake Rd – 24x24 Garage - \$15,000.00

Motion by Ernst, second Bruch to approve building permit. Motion carried.

Driveway Permits: None

Road Crew Report:

- Roadwork Update:
 - Finished brushing 164
 - South side of Zillinger Rd needs to be brushed
 - Looked at prices for a new/used tar machine. New would cost \$80,000.00 and used can run from \$20,000-\$30,000. There is one in Gordon that the road crew will look at. Board would be interested in finding one.
 - Worked on Witt Rd
 - Working on dump box replacement
 - Road crewed talked about trying used vegetable oil for dust control on gravel roads. Board is interested in trying it out.
 - Boiler Rd is complete

Chairman/Supervisor's Report:

- ✓ Bruch talked with Mark Kyle about our grader repairs. He would charge \$88.00/hour for labor if we ordered our own parts. Road crew will talk to Mark on when it's a good time to bring the grader in for repairs.

Motion by Ernst, second by Bruch to adjourn. Motion carried.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:30pm.

Cindy Pritzl- Clerk

Public Notices:

Regular Board Meeting – July 21, 2021 @ 6:00pm