

Town of Chippewa: Minutes

Town Board Proceedings

July 20, 2023

Meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Chippewa was called to order on July 20, 2023 @ 5:32pm. At roll call the following were present: Town Supervisors–John Bruch, Kenny Pritzl, Chairperson–Bill Ernst, Clerk–Cindy Pritzl, Treasurer–Lauren Bruch, Town Employee–Eric Sitte, Chuck Miesbauer, Town Resident–David Meindl.

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

Motion by J Bruch, second by K. Pritzl to approve June 21, 2023, Regular Meeting as printed. Motion carried.

Motion by J. Bruch, second by K. Pritzl to approve payment of Checks (15538-15579) and Electronic Vouchers to WDOR & IRS (C20230604– C20230708) Northern State Bank in the total of \$27,598.54.

Old Business:

1. Discuss/Approve Financing for Grader: Board reviewed quote from Forward Bank and Northern State Bank. Both quotes were for 4.75% for 5 years on \$220,000.00. Motion by K. Pritzl, seconded by J. Bruch to approve Northern State Banks quote of 4.75% for 5 years fixed amortization on \$220,000.00. Roll call vote K. Pritzl-yes, J. Bruch-yes, Ernst-yes. 3-yes, no-0. Motion carried.

New Business:

1. Discuss/Approve Getting Treasurer a PO Box: Clerk received prices from the postmaster at box 1 smallest box - \$35.00 every six months, box 2 medium box - \$49.00 every six months, box 3 bigger size - \$76.00/every six months. Motion by J. Bruch, seconded by K. Pritzl to rent box 2 medium size for \$49.00 every six months. Motion carried.
2. Ashland County Sheriff's Report: None
3. Public Comment (Audience): Meindl is concerned about when collecting taxes if there is a secure place to put checks. L. Bruch stated she will deposit checks into the bank after collecting.

Treasurer's Report:

Checking Balance: June 30, 2023:	\$ 164,179.38
Reclamation Fund:	\$ 11,751.85
Equipment Fund:	\$ 125,989.12
Tax Account	\$ 50,788.86
Money Market Account Forward Bank:	\$ 42,045.03

Motion by K. Pritzl, second by J. Bruch to approve treasurers report as printed. Motion carried.

Clerks Report:

- Regular Board Meeting Wednesday, August 16, 2023 @ 5:30pm
- Clerk explained the new options for the LRIP program.

Building Permits: Dan & Barb Koch attached garage \$24,000.00.

Ronald Willis storage shed \$6,000.00

Motion by J. Bruch, seconded by K. Pritzl to approve both building permits. Motion carried.

Driveway Permits: None

Road Crew Report:

- Roadwork Update:
 - Graveling put 3600yds on Bear Lake Rd
 - Mowing & Brushing except for Forest Rd
 - Cut trees by Kenny Walkers & on Mail Route Rd

Chairman/Supervisor's Report:

- Power issue in Chuck's recycling shed needs to be fixed. Riley Christian will get it fixed.
- Next month we will discuss the handicap ramp.

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

Meeting Adjourned at 6:07pm.

Cindy Pritzl- Clerk

Public Notices:

Regular Board Meeting August 16, 2023 @ 5:30pm