

Town of Cary
Wood County, Wisconsin
Unapproved Minutes of the Monthly Meeting
May 14, 2020

Attending: Chairman Jim Patrick, Supervisors Dennis Brunner and Dale Zawislan, Treasurer Barbara Schmidt, Acting Clerk Marlene Neve, Deputy Treasurer Andrew Erwin, Grader Operator Tim Ecker and two residents.

The Regular Monthly Meeting of the Cary Town Board was called to order at 7:00 P. M. by Chairman Jim Patrick following the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes of the April Board Meeting were read and approved. Motion by Dale Zawislan to approve the minutes, seconded by Dennis Brunner. Motion passed.

Minutes of the Road Inspection Meeting were presented by Jim Patrick and approved. Motion by Dennis Brunner to approve the minutes, seconded by Dale Zawislan. Motion passed.

Treasurer's Report was presented by Treasurer Barb Schmidt and approved. Motion by Dennis Brunner to approve the report, seconded by Dale Zawislan. Motion passed.

Public Input: None

There was a brief discussion of COVID 19 law changes and the effect on township business.

OLD BUSINESS

Clark County Humane Society: With no new information, item tabled until June meeting. Motion to table until June by Dennis Brunner, seconded by Dale Zawislan. Motion passed.

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Building Permit Resolution: After reviewing Resolution and Permit, motion to adopt by Dale Zawislan, seconded by Dennis Brunner. Motion passed.

Gravel bids: Chairman has been informed by various vendors that gravel prices are going up this year, altho fuel charges are currently lower, overall charges for road material may be higher this year even with fuel cost down from last year. Bids will be requested in time for June meeting so decisions can be made at that time.

We have \$12,000 in 50/50 Road Aid money to use with Wood County. Discussion about using that money to put County-required 3" gravel on the one mile of Steffek Road between Co. Hwy. V and Lindsey Road. Using the 50 -50 money from the county will reduce our total cost to add a 3 inch lift. Motion by Dale Zawislan to use \$12,000 of 50/50 Road Aid money to gravel one mile of Steffek Road between Co. Hwy. V and Lindsey Road, seconded by Dennis Brunner. Motion passed.

MgCl Bids: Although we had not yet asked for bids, we received one from Wisconsin Salt Solutions, a division of Kafka, for \$4,500 gal. of mgcl @ \$1.06 per gallon. Last year we used one tanker, which included nothing on any new construction, just in front of homes and corners. After discussion, it was decided Jim will ask for other bids, compare and then order one load now, with possibly a second one later.

Fence: Update on on-going fencing issue: one party has completed his portion, other party is to have his completed by June 1st, 2020.

Letter to Residents: Board gave approval of proposed postcard. Marlene will get postcards and print. She and Barb will address. If there is room, statement will be added to bottom reminding residents of maximum volume of garbage that will be picked up.

Equipment: Nothing to report

ROADS

Culverts: Replacements have been ordered for Accola/Cook Road.

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Shoulder Work: Has been completed.

Mowing of Ditches: After discussion, it was decided that Jim will contact Pankratz to see if they could do it, and rate, as well as J & J. Based on information received, he will then hire one to do it.

Road Inspection Report: Culverts are almost done. We will gravel 4.5 miles this year, one mile by County, 3.5 by us. See report for more details.

NEW BUSINESS

Annual Meeting: Currently scheduled for July.

Gate Entrance to Shop Blocked: This has become a problem. “No Parking” signs have been posted. Any vehicle parked there will be towed.

Election Report: At the May 12th election, we had 137 voters, including 58 absentee voters. It was the first time a split shift was used which went well. Amount budgeted for elections this year will not be enough. We are getting close to that now, with two more elections scheduled.

Motion to Pay Bills: Motion to pay bills made by Dennis Brunner, seconded by Dale Zawislan. Motion passed.

Next Meeting: June 9, 2020, 7:00 P. M.

Motion to adjourn by Dennis Brunner, seconded by Dale Zawislan. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,

Marlene Neve, Acting Clerk

