

Town of Garfield Regular Meeting
Tuesday, June 11, 2019 – 6:30 p.m. - Garfield Town Hall

Chairman Steve Dickinsen called the regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Garfield to order on Tuesday, June 11, 2019, at 6:35 p.m. in the town hall on Hillcrest Road. Present were Chairman Dickinsen, First Supervisor Lamoine Hanson, Second Supervisor Glenn Fremstad, Treasurer Clark Walker, and Clerk Ardy Robertson. Meeting notice verified. Motion to approve agenda made by Fremstad, seconded by Hanson, and carried. Also in attendance were Alice Glavin, Dianne Richardson, and Lisa Walker.

Clerk read the minutes of the May 14, 2019 regular meeting. Motion made by Fremstad seconded by Hanson, to approve minutes as presented. Motion carried.

Treasurer's report of income and expenses for May, 2019 was presented by Walker. Motion to approve treasurer's report made by Hanson, seconded by Fremstad. Motion carried.

Reconciliation Report presented by Clerk and Treasurer. Motion to accept made by Hanson, seconded by Fremstad, and carried.

Year to date financial report presented to board. Clerk presented monthly bills for payment. Motion by Hanson, seconded by Fremstad and carried to pay the bills.

Dickinsen made a motion to return the fee for the hall rental to Clark and Lisa Walker because of their exceptional cleaning of the hall before and after their event. Motion seconded by Hanson, and carried.

Motion to change our LP, and other fuel business to Chippewa Valley Energy since they are a local business made by Hanson, seconded by Fremstad, and carried.

Discussion on letter going out to our normal snow plowing customer list. We plan to inspect driveways and give the residents a chance to get their driveway up to specs. This will be acted upon next month.

Contech, the company that will be doing the culvert on Searcy Road, has requested that we fill out a credit application. Clerk to handle this.

Roads – discussion on gravel washing out on Bluff View Road in two separate locations. Crew is working on patching roads. They will also take the groomer out on the roads. We will also remove a lot of the ATV signs and other posts that have been left in the road right of way. The ATV signs are not necessary by law anymore. Only one sign is necessary at the entrance to the town. We will also need signage for Old 17 after the new pavement is done. We also will update signage on Bluff View for weight restrictions, possibly making it a Class B sign. Old 17 has had one layer of pavement put on, and now it has to sit for two weeks, then another layer.

Regarding the pond that has built up along Sand Lane by Richard Flick's residence, Hanson made a motion to have the town purchase a 24" culvert, and some gravel, if a neighboring landowner will install the culvert. Motion seconded by Fremstad, and carried. This will prevent water from eroding and overflowing on Sand Lane in the future.

Discussed doing a tune up on the orange dumptruck.

Regarding the Moe Road bridge, Dickinsen will be attending a meeting Wednesday, June 12th in Black River Falls, to select an engineering firm for the Moe Road bridge project from among five firms seeking the project. Motion to grant Dickinsen authority on behalf of the Town of Garfield to select a firm made by Fremstad, seconded by Hanson, and carried.

Liquor License renewal received from Trails' End. Motion to approve made by Fremstad, seconded by Hanson, and carried.

Liquor License renewal as well as tobacco license renewal received from T & E Levis Lodge. Motion to approve both made by Hanson, seconded by Fremstad, and carried.

No Liquor License renewal was received from Whispering Pines. Motion to take no action since we have no application, made by Dickinsen, seconded by Hanson, and carried.

Building Information Application received from Bonnie Bertrang for a one-family home at N13109 South Sand Lane, Osseo. Motion made by Fremstad, seconded by Hanson, to approve. Payment of \$25 has been made. Motion carried.

Fire Board – no new items at this time.

Recycling – Alice Glavin will not be working June 15, July 6 and July 13, so Keelan Chumas will work those Saturdays.

Motion to adjourn made by Fremstad, seconded by Hanson, and carried. Meeting adjourned. Next meeting will be held Tuesday, July 9, at 6:30 p.m. in the town hall.

Ardy Robertson, Clerk