

TOWN OF PLYMOUTH
TOWN BOARD MEETING MINUTES
Tuesday, June 11, 2024
Approved 7-9-2024

The Board Meeting was called to order at 6:02 pm. Followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call was taken, present are supervisors Shawn Mielke, Ben Snare, Don Bomkamp and Dawn Miller, the clerk. Kristina Bennet, the treasurer is absent. Six residents are present.

Approval of Agenda Motion by (Snare/Mielke) to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes: Motion (Mielke/Snare) to approve the minutes from the May 14, 2024. Motion passed.

Citizen Participation,

- Jim Crain asked how the Outdoor Wood Burner Ordinance was coming. The Plan Commission is working on an Ordinance. He also asked that smothering a burn pile not be allowed. Neighbor issues in Hanover with spot lights shining in homes and laser setting off security lights.
- On Race St. the homes are being swamped with culverts on County H not clear and ditches not cleaned. Properties are being flooded. The board will take a look at it.
- Trees are growing by power lines. Call Alliant.
- Scott Brady from Rock County Dept of Public Works dropped off the culvert inventory for the qualifying culverts between 6' to 20'.
- Deputy Tobias: Nothing noteworthy. Not many calls. People are moving barricades on Footville Hanover Rd. The board said citations for dogs at large would be appreciated.
- Orfordville Fire Dept is doing a gun raffle as a fund raiser.
- Peggy Brown the pea gravel on Hafeman Rd is creating lots of dust. The dust will be gone after a few rains.

Planning and Zoning

- The Plan Commission is working on updating the zoning ordinances. Chapters 1-4. Would like the Smart Growth and the Zoning to work together. There was no authorization to put in a wood burner. If the stack on the current one in Hanover was extended it would help.

Unfinished Business

- 4938 Carver: Over 2 months for electrical to begin. The outside is looking worse again. There is a Court date on June 24, 2024. They have been given numerous opportunities to remedy the situation.

New Business

- (Bomkamp/Snare) moved to approve the Class B Licenses for the 3 establishments in the town. The Ding-A-Ling. Bass Creek and the American Legion.
- (Bomkamp/Snare) moved to approve the attached list of Bartenders/Operators provided by the clerk with the conditions on 2 of them. Motion carries.
- Repair of culvert on Footville Hanover Rd. (Bomkamp/Mielke) to accept the bid submitted by the county of \$17,200. The county will pay 50% of the cost. Motion carries.

Supervisor Reports

Ordinance Enforcement: Supervisor Snare:

- Wellnitz dogs: The vet was out today. The dogs are vaccinated. If they are not registered by the 18th, it will be sent to the attorney.
- 2926 Olive St: unlicensed vehicles. The lawn & overall property appearance is poor.
- 2903 S Caroline: the yard is not looking good; grass is super long.

Road Maintenance: Supervisor Mielke:

- Seal coating of Orfordville Hanover has been done.
- County H looks nice it has been chip sealed.
- They have done work around Hanover, Front & Shuman.

Clerk's Report:

- Last month 28 cats were dropped at the Human Society. The number may affect the next town contract with the Humane Society.
- Have inquires on the sanitary for the old mobile home park on 11. Sanitary belongs to Orfordville.

Treasurer's Report: The financial report for May 31, 2024 was available. (Bomkamp/Mielke) moved to approve the treasurers report for May 31, 2024. Motion carries.

Chair's Report:

- Fire Dept: Doing well. The pancake breakfast did well.
- There is a home next door to the fire dept where they stay it needs some repairs. Some items have been donated. They now have weight equipment at the fire station.
- The Town of Newark is stating that they do not owe the Orfordville Fire Dept. because the fire dept only ordered the equipment there is no debt yet.
- Still working with the Village of Footville for a Municipal Court.
- The gutters at the townhall have been cleaned for \$150.
- Furnace in the basement was fixed. Will need to consider possible replacement.

Approval and Payment of Bills

Motion by (Snare/Mielke) to approve the payment of the bills for June 11, 2024 for \$11,955.88. Motion passed.

Adjourn

Motion (Mielke/Snare) to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:43 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Dawn Miller,
Town Clerk