

Town of Stockbridge  
Monthly Town Board Minutes  
7:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 14, 2016  
Stockbridge Community Hall

Chairman Ken Schaefer called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Present were Supervisor Connie Loewe, Supervisor Jeff Yelton, Treasurer Ralph Schmid, Clerk Janene Van Hoorn, Road Supervisor Jerry Ortlieb, Matthew Payette, Director of Calumet County Planning, Zoning and Land Information Department and four town residents.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

The Clerk verified that notices were posted.

Jeff Yelton made a motion to approve the agenda. Seconded by Connie Loewe. Motion Carried.

Public Comment: None

Jeff Yelton made a motion to approve the November meeting minutes as printed with a change reflecting that an update was given on the Mud Creek Bridge project. Seconded by Connie Loewe. Motion Carried.

Matthew Payette gave an update on changes in county regulation of Shoreland Zoning due to mandates by the State of Wisconsin and how the changes will affect town properties. Discussion ensued regarding options the town could take to address issues with Shoreland Zoning which will no longer be regulated by the county, in example road and side yard setbacks. The status of comprehensive planning and zoning within the county and the effect on towns was discussed. Payette told the board that county will work with the town to address concerns related to Shoreland Zoning.

Town roads, equipment and buildings discussion: Ortlieb updated that the town completed work with the boom mower. Plowing snow has begun. Final inspection on the Quinney Road culvert project has occurred. Issues at the Mud Creek bridge project were discussed. The second Certificate for Payment on the Mud Creek bridge project has been issued through McMahon, but is difficult to reconcile due to additions to the project and completed work which is not satisfactory. Jeff Yelton stated that no more half of the second Certificate for Payment for payment to Baumhardt Sand and Gravel should be made.

The board discussed town insurance policies. A health insurance policy increase of up to \$100 was agreed upon.

The clerk updated the board on the status of the WisVote provider.

The caucus was set for Thursday January 26, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.

Correspondence/Communications: Communications were reviewed.

The Treasurer's Report was presented. Connie Loewe made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report as presented. Seconded by Jeff Yelton. Motion Carried.

Jeff Yelton made a motion to approve and pay the bills as presented to the board. Seconded by Connie Loewe. Motion Carried.

Discussion on town employee compensation occurred. Ken Schaefer made a motion to increase part and full time wages .50 cents an hour. Ken Schaefer made a motion that part time employees receive time and one half from Friday at 7 p.m. until Monday at 7 a.m. from December 1 until March 31. Seconded by Jeff Yelton. Motion Carried.

Being no further business, Jeff Yelton made a motion to adjourn. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Connie Loewe. Meeting adjourned 8:33 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Janene Van Hoorn  
Stockbridge Town Clerk