

MONTHLY TOWN BOARD MEETING

TOWN OF ONEIDA, OUTAGAMIE COUNTY

December 14, 2022

The meeting was called to order at 7:02P.M. by Scott Schaumberg.

Present were: Scott Schaumberg, Al Krause, Terry Hock and Kelly Hill

Also Present: BJ O'Connor-Schevers, Glen Olson, Luann Skarlupka, Lori Olson and Ken Olson.

Scott Schaumberg led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Terry Hock made a motion to approve the minutes without correction for the Special Town Board Meeting on November 9, 2022. Board Budget. Al Krause second motion.

Al Krause made a motion to approve the Monthly Town Board Meeting Minutes from November 9, 2022 with the corrections of adding the prices to the minutes of the town owned items that were sold through Hanson and Young Auction. Items totaled are \$27,307.00 and are as follows;

1999 Ford New Holland TL90 Tractor \$16,100.00

1992 IH Navistar First Responder Truck \$ 7,502.00

1976 Ford 3-D Metals Fire Truck \$ 1,710.00

Land Pride RC5510 Fold Up Mower \$1,995.00

Terry Hock second the motion. Motion carried.

Terry Hock made a motion to approve the vouchers, numbered 25412 thru 25440, 3 EFT's and one withdrawal for \$1,800.00 for Christmas Bonus. Al Krause second the motion. Motion carried.

Outagamie County Sheriff Department: Deputy asked if there are any resident concerns. Ken Olson mentioned that there are cars parked on Van De BruggenDr at 5:30AM at the end of the road quite often. Cars are parked with no lights on. Ken Olson stated that the Christmas display on Alpine Rd isn't having a lot of traffic this year. Deputy stated he would note the concerns.

Al Krause made a motion to budget transfer \$34,038.51 from capital to highway. Terry Hock second the motion.

Ranch Lane. Scott Schaumberg stated that Olson completed Ranch Lane along with the Town of Osborn cul-de-sac. Town of Oneida did put up a stop sign and road sign. Scott Schaumberg stated that at the Town of Osborn town meeting the motion was passed to abandon the road and remove the road. The Town of Osborn and Town of Oneida have an agreement for the Town of Oneida to plow snow and maintain the road. The Town of Oneida did make investment for Ranch Lane and the road is in the Town of Oneida.

Terry Hock made a motion to pass the Election Board Poll Worker list for 2030. Al Krause Second the motion. Motion passes. Al Krause made a motion to add Barb Sckevers and Lori Olson to the list. Terry Hock second the motion.

Christmas Bonus – Fire Department, First Responders and Employees –Terry Hock made a motion to approve a \$50.00 Christmas gift, same as last year for Firefighters approved by Fire Chief, First Responders and Employees. Total number of fire department is 30 and 6 town employee's which equals \$1,800.00 Al Krause seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Employee Raises- Scott Schaumberg made a motion for the Highway Department to have a 1% raise which will start on January 1,2023. Al Krause second the motion. Motion carried. Scott Schuamberg stated that the clerk's raise should be \$2.00. Scott Schaumberg stated that Kelly does attend many meetings and works hard. Kelly does work part time in the summer as agreed upon at time of hire. Al Krause made a motion to give the clerk, Kelly Hill a \$2.00/hr raise starting January 1, 2023. Terry Hock second the motion. Motion carried. Terry Hock made a motion to keep the Chairman and Supervisor's payroll the same. Scott Schaumberg second the motion. Motion passed.

Fire Department Report given by Fire Chief Glen Olson. (6 calls) EE between Ray Rd and Moore Rd; 2 vehicle accident. No transport. Crook Rd; Garage Fire from turkey cooker. VanShindel Dr; Shed fire. Fully engulfed. MABAS from Hobart, Lawrence, Seymour and Freedom. Pear St in Seymour; MABAS house fire. 1 engine, 2 tenders and 12 personnel. Fish Creek; 1 car rollover. No transport. County E and Fish Creek; 2 car accident. No transport.

November training was for basement rescue for down firefighter.

In December the Town of Oneida Volunteer Fire Department was in the Freedom Parade. The Fire Department also did Last Call for the Town of Oneida Volunteer Fire Fighters Funeral of Kurt Nackers.

December Election are as follows; Glen Olson as chief. Kurt Olson as Assistant Chief. Secretary as Kyle VandenLanenberg . Anna Froelich as treasure.

First Responder Report given by County Rescue and reported by Kelly Hill; Total calls=28. Advanced Life Support =14. Basic Life Support =3. Non-transport =11 (31%). Mutual Aid=0. EMRs on-scene=4.

Clerk Communication. Kelly Hill presented the following information. Kelly talked with h Oneida Nation grant writer for Fire Department airpacks. We have not heard back from FireSubs for the \$50,000 grant. At this point, we are going to look into Homeland Security and Leary Funds for possible funding assistance. Kelly Hill also stated that she is looking into possible funding support for Elections. Kelly Hill talked with Wisconsin Elections Commissions financial department and Outagamie County Clerks to discuss possibilities. Lastly, Kelly Hill stated that tax bills have been sent out and stated the options of paying can be done online at Outagamie County website, by mail or drop box or in person with clerk.

Open Discussion – Limit 3 minutes per person

Barb Schevers mentioned the pot holes on Seminary Rd and asked what the plan is with that road. Barb Schevers also questioned the HALO meetings that area towns/villages attend. She received the information from the Mike Gallagher newsletter. Kelly Hill took note and will look into it.

Ken Olson stated that the Culbertson Rd bridge sign and guard rail needs repair.

Ken Olson stated that on the corner of Hwy 55 and Fish creek there is mud on the shoulder of the road. He is concerned that if that freezes it would cause some damage to the snow plow wing/blade. Al Krause stated he would take care of it.

Barb Schevers stated that Board members should increase the pay to at least \$6000. Barb stated it would be beneficial in the future to to keep the pay similar to surrounding towns. The discussion went on to verify that mileage is not reimbursed and hasn't been for years for fire department and employees.

Scott Schaumberg made a motion to adjourn at Terry Hock 8:08 P.M. AL Krause seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kelly Hill, Clerk/Treasurer