

Town of Harmony Monthly Board Meeting/Minutes

Thursday, February 15, 2024 @ Town Shop E2905 Newton Road, Genoa, WI 54632

Lorn Goede called the meeting to order @ 6:00 pm.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Lorn Goede, Chairman, Kent Wendorf and Keith Bauer, Supervisors, Carolyn Parr, Clerk/Treasurer, Steve Oliver, Pete Strachan, Zoning Coordinator, Jim Theler and Kathy Sagler

Verification: Agenda posted @ Town Shop, Sorenson Ln, and tn.harmony.wi.gov

Town Business:

Motion made and seconded by Keith/Kent to approve contract with Driftless Humane Society for animal control. Need to check procedures with Driftless on how to handle stray dogs.

Lorn did not check on rates. Moved to next meeting.

Taxes have been collected through 1/31/2024 and turned over to Vernon Co Treas.

Discussion on Recycle hours, Scotte not present so it was decided to leave them as they are.

District meeting is March 1 at Stoney Creek in Onalaska and Board and Clerk/Treas are registered and going.

Chairman Report:

DNR Environmental Specialist reported at County Board meeting that Vernon County was a good place for the landfill.

Town Road

Steve Oliver reported the 2012 truck is running and in good condition. They are back to brush cutting and no road bans on currently.

Patrolmen will attend the CRS training in Viroqua on Feb 20th.

No information on the accident in January on North Ridge.

Discussed fire signs that are wrong. Need to contact Amy Oliver if money left over is available and can be used to correct them. Lorn mentioned another grant may be coming to help with correcting them if money is not available and possibly replacing additional road signs where needed.

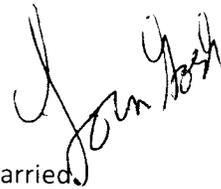
ARIP grant will be available to bring roads up to code for all traffic.

New culvert grant is for culverts over 6' in diameter, not 6' in diameter.

Patrolmen have been looking for new truck to purchase, have only found 2 WD, need 4 WD.

Minutes:

Motion made and seconded by Kent/Keith to approve minutes. Motion carried.



Treasurer's Report

Motion made and seconded by Keith/Kent to approve treasurer's report. Motion carried.

Accounts Payable

Motion made and seconded by Kent/Keith to approve the bills to be paid with exception to waste oil pump. Patrolmen to check prices and see if we can replace for same specifications at a lower price. Motion carried.

Zoning Report:

No zoning issues.

Motion made and seconded by Keith/Kent to approve request from Zoning Board for Rezone of 5.03 acres of land from Farmland Preservation to General Agriculture for David Slabach. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded by Keith/Kent to approve request for CUP from Willie Mast for a calf raising barn. Approved subject to manure management and dead animal removal. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded by Keith/Kent to approve building permit for Garry and Link Buckles on an existing foundation. Motion carried.

Election Report:

Next election April 2nd. 2 Military Absentee ballots, 1 email and 1 mailed.

Public Comment:

Next Meeting Date:

March 25, 2024 @ 6:00 pm

Adjournment: Motion made and seconded by Keith/Kent to adjourn at 7:45 pm. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted, Carolyn Parr, Clerk-Town of Harmony

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Carolyn Parr", written in a cursive style.