

TOWN OF FIFIELD REGULAR BOARD MEETING
MINUTES OF May 17, 2018

ROLL CALL: Meeting was brought to order on May 17, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. at the Fifield Town Hall. Present: K. Balzar, J. Hintz and J. Wierzba. Also present J. Jontry and 6 others.

MINUTES: Motion (Hintz, Wierzba) to approve the minutes of the May 3, 2018 Regular Board Meeting and the May 10, 2018 Special Board Meeting (road tour). Motion approved, voice vote (3, 0).

TREASURER'S REPORT: Presented and accepted was the Treasurer's Report for April, 2018.

TOWN CREW REPORT: T. Fleming reported that the Park Falls brush/vac truck cleaned up in town. The Veteran's Park is open for the season; D. Albright will be providing mowing and brush cleanup for the year. T. Fleming is working on filling in gravel on the shoulders of Sailor Lake Road.

ROAD CORRIDOR WIDENING ON TWIN LAKES RD./FR 142: A discussion was held concerning the width of Twin Lakes Road/FR 142. B. Hennes and G. Esquibel provided information concerning trees marked for clearing based on species, longevity and hazards and will obtain numbers and a timeline for a possible timber sale. Current marking is for a 50' corridor to maintain the integrity of the forest and the roadway in alignment with the Forest Plan; the Town would like a 66' corridor. The Board suggested a compromise that would retain mature, healthy trees within the desired 66' corridor. B. Hennes requested that the Board and Roads Superintendent take another look at the trees as currently marked and re-visit the issue with the Forest Supervisor if necessary. Further discussion tabled for a future meeting.

PROPOSAL FOR ASPHALT REPLACEMENT IN FRONT OF TOWN HALL: Motion (Wierzba, Hintz) to accept the bid from American Asphalt to replace blacktop in front of the Town Hall. Motion approved, voice vote (3, 0).

REVIEW QUOTES FOR CRACK SEALING: The proposal from Fahrner was withdrawn. Motion (Hintz, Wierzba) to accept the proposal from Lakes Asphalt for crack sealing. Motion approved, voice vote (3, 0).

DRIVEWAY ACCESS PERMITS: None.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

CORRESPONDENCE: Letter to K. Balzar from Flambeau Hospital regarding the purchase of the new ambulance. K. Balzar received a letter from the USDA.

REVIEW INVOICES: Motion (Wierzba, Hintz) to accept invoices for payment. Motion approved, voice vote (3, 0).

ADJOURN: Motion at 7:53 p.m. (Balzar, Hintz). Motion approved, voice vote (3, 0).

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer J. Jontry, Town Clerk