

December 11, 2012

The monthly town board meeting as posted at Mike's Service, Bob's Northern Lights and the town hall and published in the Antigo Daily Journal, was called to order at 6:30 P.M. by Chairman Casper Buettner. Board members present were Supervisors Susan Hawley and Jim Tilkens, Linda Frank, treasurer and Mary Lee Heise, clerk.

The Pledge of Allegiance was given by all those present.

The agenda was approved upon motion by Supervisor Hawley and seconded by Supervisor Tilkens, motion carried.

The minutes of the November meeting were approved upon motion by Supervisor Hawley and seconded by Supervisor Tilkens, motion carried.

The treasurer's report was given by Linda Frank. The clerk informed the board that the list sent to them showing the checks that were issued was incorrect. She is working with the software company and hopes to have all issues resolved before the January meeting. The board should receive the correct listings for November and December at that time. Thereafter the treasurer's report was approved upon motion by Supervisor Hawley and seconded by Supervisor Tilkens, motion carried.

Non-Board member business: NONE

New Business: Equipment rental fees: Jim Tilkens provided the board with State rates and rates from his snowmobile club which showed that the use of the tractor should be charged out at \$50.00 per hour and the skid steer should be charged out at \$24. The clerk will make new rate sheets based on this information for the January meeting.

Liquor License for George Hawley – application has been completed and proper notice has been put in the newspaper. Motion to approve the license was made by Supervisor Hawley and seconded by Chairman Buettner, motion carried.

Red Arrow Snowmobile Club – Supervisor Tilkens talked to John Brantmeyer of the Red Arrow Snowmobile club in Oconto County regarding proposed trails in the northern part of our township. Red Arrow is looking for a Sawyer Lake Road trail area. They want to put up green signs showing snowmobile/atv routes. The regular trails may become too rough. The riders then have the option of using the town road. Supervisor Hawley made the motion to approve the continued use of Sawyer, Diamond Roof, Ada, Saul's Spring, Setting and Ada Lake Roads as part of snowmobile travel and that Red Arrow will place green signs indicating this. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Tilkens, motion carried.

The town caucus is set for January 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 A.M.

General Building and Plant – Discussion on Windows in the hall and a drop box by the office door.

Highway: Salt/sand has been delivered. The plow truck should be here on Friday. Discussion on bridge inspection report received from county. The DNR will have to be contacted concerning this and research will be done to find a statute that indicates who is to cover the cost of work to be done.

Fire Department – Open house went well. The fire department appreciation dinner is January 10<sup>th</sup>.

Rescue Squad – They have had 140 runs this year to date compared to 129 last year.

Recycling Center – The road needs to be sanded. Larry Bolstad will be off on December 15<sup>th</sup>; Jon Ciboski has been contacted and will cover for him on that date.

Cemetery – Alex has had to plow for several funerals.

Correspondence reviewed.

December bills were approved upon motion by Supervisor Tilkens and seconded by Chairman Buettner, motion carried.

January Board meeting will be on January 9<sup>th</sup>.

Meeting adjourned upon motion by Supervisor Tilkens, seconded by Chairman Buettner, motion carried