

TOWN OF GREENFIELD BOARD MEETING ~ Wednesday, Aug 14, 2019 Approved on September 11, 2019

MEMBERS PRESENT	Chair Tom Jacobs, Supervisors Andy Neubauer and Kevin Timm.
STAFF PRESENT	Clerk Stacy Burns, Treasurer Mary Leuck

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM at N1800 Town Hall Road, La Crosse, WI by Chair Tom Jacobs with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes from the July 10, 2019 meeting were read by Clerk Burns, motion to approve, after changes of date and usage of pronoun "We", was made by Supervisor Neubauer, 2nd by Supervisor Timm, all approved 3-0.

Minutes from the June 21, 2019 meeting were read by Clerk Burns, motion made by Supervisor Neubauer to approve as read, 2nd by Supervisor Timm, all approved, 3-0.

Treasurers report read by Treasurer Leuck, all approved as ready 3-0.

Road Report: Steve Mader told everyone that East Hills is in process, it's complicated due to buried wires, gas line, etc. Paul Kammel is working on it. Steve also made mention that he is not the general contractor, just the facilitator, he is not liable for any unexpected problems or situations. DOT and La Crosse County have been contacted and are working on culverts. Schieche Road Bridges, getting numbers together for bids. This job can be done anytime, no rush due to winter. The approaches on the bridge on Schmaltz Road were washed out, it was closed for about 10 hours, Joe Laufenberg was contacted for advice, it is now fixed. The assessment given to FEMA for Schmaltz road was about \$23,000. Assessment for FEMA for Ober Road was \$17,000, part of this road is gone and bank alongside the road needs to be filled in. There is a meeting with the State and County Hwy Dept. on 8/15/19 at 8 AM. La Crosse County was declared a state of emergency. Betz road, may have to wait, but the spillway needs to be extended, there is FEMA money involved with that too. Cold mix is available for anyone who may need it, it is available at the old town hall location by Cty Rd M and Cty Rd NN. Roesler Rd / Temp Rd, idea given to run culvert on north side of ditch, talk to Scott about ideas. Important discussion about raising the levy and putting at least \$450,000 towards roads on budget for 2020. We need permanent fixes. Motion made by Chair Jacobs to go to the bank and ask to borrow \$90,000.00, 2nd by Supervisor Timm, all approved, 3-0.

Clarence Court – Chair Jacobs will meet with the attorney in next 2 weeks to get the process started to make Clarence Court a town road. Currently each resident owns a portion of the road, the town will probably need signatures from each one. There is also about \$8,500 in an account for the road, it will be discussed how to handle that money with the St. Joseph Vista Condominium Association.

Motion made by Supervisor Neubauer to approve a temp liquor license for St. Joseph Ridge Parish for their August 24, 2019 picnic, 2nd by Supervisor Timm, all approved, 3-0.

Town Hall fees: Clerk Burns made a draft of a form that may be used to rent the town hall. This form includes fees, required security deposit and some guidelines, as well as a signature. After some discussion it was decided to add a flat fee of \$25.00 for any kitchen use. Motion made to use form, once kitchen fee is added, by Supervisor Timm, 2nd by Supervisor Neubauer, all approved 3-0.

West Salem School District resolution granting authority to appoint school crossing guards to the school district of West Salem. Motion made by Chair Jacobs to adopt this resolution, 2nd by Supervisor Neubauer, all approved, 3-0.

Recycling grant, there is a new form that needs to be filled out. Chair Jacobs is only aware of a county wide recycling grant and no one could remember anything else. Chair Jacobs will ask the Onalaska town clerk and Clerk Burns will also do more research; this will be discussed again at the next meeting.

Coon Creek Fire commission, 4%? money. Discussion of why and how it was set up that we gave them 4% last year from the money we received from the state, no one was positive. Clerk Burns will try to reach Dan Korn as he is the one who set it up last time. This will be discussed at the next meeting.

La Crosse County Health department has asked permission to be available on Tuesday, Sept. 10, 2019 from 4 – 7 PM at the recycle center to test well water. Letters will go out to anyone affected. On this Tuesday, water collection containers will be given out AND also accepted.

A request from Telecom Fitness to check over our communication bills; however, Chair Jacobs knows someone who is the business and will ask them to do it instead.

Citizen comments: Thanks for gravel on Kreibich Coulee road. The bridge on Kreibich Coulee has a tree that has fallen, Chair Jacobs will check on who is responsible for this and see if it can be taken care of, maybe Paul can take out

the tree. A request was made to look at the breakdown of the Scott's bill for paving. La Crosse County is seeking input about aircraft being affected by the new tower that will go up. Blood Drive, is there any way to refund expenses for the people that help? Many agreed that if local businesses were asked, they would help with this or they would put out donation jars at their businesses.

Motion to adjourn at 8:09 PM to pay bills by Chair Jacobs, 2nd by Supervisor Neubauer. All approved 3-0.

Respectfully submitted,
Stacy J Burns, Town Clerk

APPROVED