

Town of Avon Regular Monthly Meeting

Avon Town Hall April 12th, 2022

The regular monthly meeting of the Avon Town Board was held at the Avon Town Hall on Tuesday, April 12th, 2022. Chairperson Gregg Wartgow called the meeting to order at 7:31 p.m.

The Agenda was presented to the board. Allen Peters made a motion to approve the agenda with a second by Jeff Border. Motion Passes

Minutes from March's Meeting were presented to the board. Allen Peters approved the minutes as presented with a second by Jeff Border. Motion Passes

Treasurer Report from March was read by Debbie Jean Niedermeier-Wartgow. Monies in all town accounts totaled \$542,106.63. Gregg Wartgow motioned to approve the treasurer's report as read with a second by Jeff Border. Motion Passes

Constable's Report Chris Regenauer stated that Badger Tracks is up and running and we have a signed agreement with the Rock County Dispatch. He mentioned that he might be needing to ask the board for some purchases. A computer to run Badger Tracks and a radio. The only activity was a party over the weekend that was broke up.

Sheriff Deputy – Officer Davis attended the meeting and stated they are trying to be more present in Avon and have been writing citations in our area. Terry Crum thanked them for watching the intersections of Beloit Newark & Avon Store and Beloit Newark & Nelson. Bill Larson asked if there has been an increase in gas theft on private property with the gas price rising. Officer Davis stated he wasn't aware of any.

Payment of Bills Gregg Wartgow read the bills for April. Allen Peters approved paying the bills for April with a second by Jeff Border. Motion Passes

Mowing Contracts – Both contracts were presented to the board and both have increased slightly from last year due to fuel price. Jeff Border made a motion to approve Sawflyr mowing contract for the 2022 season with a second by Allen Peters. Motion Passes Jeff Border motioned to approve the contract from Footville Rock & Lime for roadside mowing for the 2022 season. Allen Peters seconded the motion with the motion passing.

ARPA Resolution – The resolution was presented to the board to take the standard allowance for revenue loss of up to \$10 million based on the final ruling on April 1, 2022. Allen Peters made a motion to adopt Resolution No 2002-01 (ARPA funds to be allocated for provision of services). Jeff Border seconded the motion with the motion passing. Roll Call Vote: Supervisor 1-Allen Peters: Yes, Supervisor 2-Jeff Border: Yes, Chairperson-Gregg Wartgow: Yes

Board of Review Ordinances – Two ordinances were presented to the board by Clerk Stephanie Schwartzlow. Jeff Border made a motion to adopt Ordinance No 2022-02 (Confidentiality of Income and Expenses Provided to Assessor for Assessment Purposes) with a second by Allen Peters. Motion Passes. Allen Peters made a motion to adopt Ordinance No 2022-03 (Appoint Alternate Member to the Board of Review) with a second by Jeff Border. Motion Passes

Basement Windows – Gregg Wartgow stated that Joe Becherer reached out stating that he's able to get the window block now to finish the basement windows, if you'd still like to proceed. Gregg Wartgow made a motion to proceed with finishing the basement window project from 2021. Allen Peters seconded the motion with the motion passing.

New domain and emails – Stephanie Schwartzlow stated that we are approved for the .gov emails and that the board has been using them for a few weeks now and working on switching over all contacts. She

informed the citizens in attendance that our new website is townofavonwi.gov and emails for all board members are the position followed by @townofavonwi.gov. She also stated this will make all transitions of positions easier. Stephanie also stated that there is a grant available to help cover the cost of the email set up and she'll sending that information in.

Road Work Update – Gregg Wartgow stated that the board met with the county on April 4 and had very good productive meeting. Several estimates were presented. Allen Peters made a motion to approved estimates 202-211 for an estimated total of \$87,431 with a second by Jeff Border. Motion Passes

Public Input – Pegg Stoddard asked about the total for building inspector on the quarterly report. Stephanie Schwartzlow, it included Bill Newcomb 2021 inspection bill and then the permit for the tower to Brian Flannery. Bill Larson asked what the admin charges are on the road work report. Stephanie Schwartzlow answered that it's the office expense from the county. Pam Hummel wanted to Thank the Sheriff Deputies for checking a few times during election day on April 5th. Mike Moore stated that there are no fishing signs and turtle sign missing.

Board Comments – Allen Peters wanted to thank the poll workers that worked on April 5th. He also stated that the cell tower is up on Beloit Newark Rd. Gregg commented that Mike Howlery said it should be up and running in about a month depending on getting fiber optic line. Stephanie Schwartzlow said she received a permit request from Frontier that will be on May's agenda. Chris Regenauer said that a Rock County DPW worker was killed today. Gregg Wartgow said sources have reported that, as of now, indications are that the Green County Landfill land will continue to be owned by the county and run by the committee, as opposed to being leased to a third party.

With no further business Gregg Wartgow adjourned the meeting at 9:03 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by
Stephanie Schwartzlow
Avon Town Clerk