

NOVEMBER MONTHLY MEETING

November 8, 2010 8:00 PM
Marshfield Town Hall

Town Officials present: Chairman John Bord, Supervisor Dennis Stenz, Supervisor Ken Kraus was ill, Treasurer Cathy Seibel, and Clerk Connie Pickart. Liz Ebertz, Alex Guelig Jr., and Larry Lamont (late) were present from the public. John Bord called the meeting to order leading the Pledge of Allegiance. Public notices were verified and agenda approved.

Dennis moved to *approve the October Minutes and John* seconded, motion carried 3-0.

The Treasurer's report showed the following balances ending October 31, 2010:

Checking Account:	\$ 3827.03
Money Market Account:	\$ 52,048.52
Equipment Fund:	\$ 51,737.06
Road Fund:	\$ 311.46

Regarding an entry entitled "Land Use Permit: Mark Feldner"; this should be recorded under "Building Permits" (Report).

Dennis motioned to *approve the treasurer's report as given with the correction noted.* John seconded, motion carried 2-0.

Alex Guelig requests that a 'catch basin' on Rusmar Road be marked so snow plows won't destroy it. John will view the site and make a recommendation.

Liz Ebertz continues to have issues with We Energies. Despite her 'Hot Line' phone calls, We Energies has not responded to her complaints regarding noise. Hot Line callers should document all phone correspondences to We Energies, the date, time, and response. Also Hot Line callers are encouraged to send a message using the Town's website for further documentation. Dennis noted that several turbine site numbers are broken and need to be repaired before winter. John will again contact Dale Borusky for an explanation.

Old Business:

1. Hunting Shacks-The Town will include verbiage into the Zoning Ordinance.
2. Revaluation Proposals-Because the Town has fallen below 90% of assessed to full values in 2010, the State has mandated a revaluation of all property. 2010 assessed value is at 89.31% and if assessed valuation reaches 90% in 2011, a revaluation may be delayed. Dennis motioned to *retract the motion to revalue in 2011 because we have since learned that the Town has another year to become compliant.* John seconded the motion, carried 2-0.
3. Brushing-C & S Construction has completed the removal of roadside brush on Redwood, Basswood and Elm and Evergreen Roads.
4. Road Name Signs- Approximately one half of the road signs have been replaced and the remainder will be replaced in 2011.
5. Budget-Budget proposals were discussed and will be presented at the budget hearing on Monday, November 15, 2010 beginning at 7:30 p.m.

New Business:

1. Dump-Wood scrap has been chipped and the site cleaned up.
2. Future Agenda Items-The assessors will be invited to attend a future meeting.

John Bord received notice from FdL Co. that school busses cross the Palm Tree Road Bridge. That bridge is posted not to exceed 3 ton. It was determined that the weight limit is unrealistic and should be evaluated. John will contact the Fond du Lac Co. Highway engineer for guidance.

Cathy noted a short term tax collector bond is required per WI Statutes unless the municipality assumes all responsibility by ordinance. The Town does have a surety bond to cover the clerk and treasurer.

Larry Lamont, who arrived after Liz Ebertz had left, stated he too is affected by the noise. Larry related that he has a sound meter. The turbines often register 56 dBLs, in excess of the requirement not to exceed an average of 50 dBLs.

Pay Bills:

Dennis moved *to pay all bills presented including a bill from Monroe Truck Inc. for \$58,431.00, and C & S Construction for approximately \$3100.00.* John seconded the motion, carried 3-0.

There being no further business, John *moved to adjourn* and Dennis seconded. Motion carried 3-0. The meeting adjourned at 12:12 pm.

Connie Pickart