

Dennis Gehrke, Supervisor
Tyler Grosskreutz, Supervisor

Larry Shupe, Chairman
Karmen Bouma, Treasurer

Town of Arpin
Wood County
Shelly Grimm, Clerk
Arpin, Wisconsin 54410

The Town of Arpin held their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, September 10th 2024, at 7:00 p.m., in the fire department building. These are the minutes from the September meeting to be accepted in October meeting.

Interview with applicant(s)- Closed meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Convene in closed session pursuant to Wis. Stat 19.85(1)(g) for purposes of interview with applicant discuss pay and plow/maintenance duties

- **Reconvene into open session**
- **Adjournment** MOTION (Gehrke, Shupe) to reconvene and adjourn the closed meeting. Carried 3-0
- **Approve monthly minutes of August, 2024:** MOTION (Grosskreutz, Shupe) to accept the minutes as presented. Carried 3-0
- **Review financial report:** MOTION (Shupe, Gehrke) to accept the financial report as presented. Carried 3-0
- **Monthly bills:** MOTION (Gehrke, Shupe) to accept the monthly bills as presented. Carried 3-0
- **Public Input:** no discussion
- **Open Book October 1, 9 a.m.- 1 p.m., Board of Review October 8, 4 p.m.-6 p.m.:** Informational
- **Set Budget meeting and hearing dates:** to set the budget meeting after the regular monthly meeting on October 8th and the budget hearing will be scheduled before the regular monthly meeting in November
- **Committee minutes and report:** Duane discussed their visit at the Town of Carson, Duane asked if they should go ahead, Chairman Shupe told them to pursue and give the town a plan and will meet then at that time
- **William Gamoke Email- discuss:** discussion
- **Shared Revenue appropriate funds:** Tyler asked for this to be on the agenda, He is asking that some of the shared revenue be put away for a plow truck or fire engine, asking to put that in the budget

- **South Wood County Humane Society**
 - **Discuss contract** : Question about the 4.(b) on who will contain the dogs Tyler said he will contain the dogs
 - **Fire Department report:** been busy this month engine and pumper go in for pump testing, Sportsman banquet
 - **Picnic license/waive fee:** MOTION (Shupe, Gehrke) to waive the fee for the picnic license Carried 3-0
- **Cemetery update** food for thought to possibly get the main road black topped, Chairman Shupe thanked everyone for all their hard work
 - **Cemetery regulations discussion:** Funeral homes charge what the cemeteries charge, MOTION (Gehrke, Grosskreutz) to raise cremations to \$150.00. Carried 3-0
- **Library update:** Starting back up with story hour, craft and tai-chi will be in October, October 26 will be stories of skunk hill at the Arpin Safety Building
 - **Resolution 2024-01 From paying Wood County Library Tax:** MOTION (Gehrke, Shupe) to pass the resolution from paying Wood County Library tax. Carried 3-0
- **Pond on Ironwood:**
- **Road Work/Condition update:** Culverts are done on Elm Road and will be paved in fall, Trucks will need some service work before winter
 - **Roadside trees- estimates:** Estimate from Ground- Up tree care Chairman Shupe took him around to look at the roadside trees, MOTION (Grosskreutz, Gehrke) to accept Beckers estimate. Carried 3-0
MOTION (Grosskreutz, Gehrke) to accept Ground Up tree care in the amount of \$1850.00. Carried 3-0
 - **Camera for garbage/recycling site:** Discussion of garbage being dropped off and a couch was dropped off during closed hours.
 - **Sign for garbage/recycling site:** MOTION (Shupe, Gehrke) to purchase the sign from S & R in the amount of 281.00. Carried 3-0
- **Monthly mail review**
- **Future Agenda Items** : Garbage site ordinance, Tree Ordinance, Committee Minutes
- **Adjournment:** MOTION (Gehrke, Shupe to adjourn 7:47p.m.

- Respectfully Submitted,
- Shelly Grimm, Clerk

9/3/2024