Monday March 11, 2024

Belle Plaine Community Center

9:30 a.m.

At 9:30 a.m. Alvin Bartz called to order the March 2024 monthly board meeting present for roll call was Wade Wisnefske Supervisor #1, Cody Hoffman Supervisor #2, Kristine Vomastic Clerk and Colleen Weishoff Treasurer.

13 Citizens Present

AGENDA:

TREASURER'S REPORT

Colleen went over the bank statements and the bills to be paid; she mentioned the tax settlements had been paid. Wade made by motion to accept her report as presented, all in favor none opposed, motion carried

CLERKS REPORT

The minutes from the February monthly meeting had been sent to the board members. With no corrections or additions Wade Wisnefske made a motion to approve the minutes, seconded by Cody, all in favor non opposed, motion carried.

A representative from the Shawano School District gave a presentation on the referendum that will be on the April ballot.

AGENDA

Ag Road Improvement AND CULVERT BRIDGE PROJECT

Alvin talked about the Ag Road Improvement Program, after discussion it was decided that it was going to be to complicated and expensive to participate. Alvin talked about the Culvert Bridge Project it appears it is best to have the company Delmar do the inspections; they will also do the reporting of the findings for us.

SHORT TERM RENTALS

Discussion was had on short term rentals, Alvin said that rentals will affect our shared revenue money that is given to the town because we get paid according to permanent residents. Stacy Sonnenberg owner of a cottage they rent out said

they are very particular about who they rent too, they redid a lot of the things on their cottage making it worth more money and most likely will need to pay higher taxes. Many things were mentioned from the audience as far as what should be put in the short-term rental ordinance. Some of the things that need to be addressed are people coming and going every three days, parties, parking, noise and campfires into the night. Alvin said they should have to get a conditional use permit which would require a special meeting.

TOWN MONTHLY MEETING TIME

Discussion was had on if the board should continue with day meetings or go back to Monday nights. Alvin asked each of the board members how they felt, four out of five said they liked daytime meetings. Al Prudom said he didn't think it is in the best interest of the town, Shanda Hubertis said it's hard for some to get to the meetings so we should think about doing zoom or record the meetings. Alvin made a motion to keep the meeting time during the day, seconded by Wade, opposed by Cody who said he may not be able to make some of the meetings due to his work schedule. Motion carried, two in favor, one opposed.

Cody said he will do some checking into zoom.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Alvin mentioned Open Book will be Wednesday May 22nd 2-4 pm and BOR will be held June 5th from 5-7 p.m.

Alvin gave an update on house remodeling and new construction in the town.

SUPERVISOR REPORT

None

Cody made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Alvin, all in favor, none opposed, motion carried.

Adjourned at 11:10 a.m.

Kristine Vomastic Clerk