

January 9, 2025, Regular Monthly Meeting of the Town of Pulaski board was called to order by Chairman Roy Seifert at 7:31 p.m. at the Town Hall at 1727 Clyde St., Avoca, WI.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call:

Present:

- Roy Seifert, Chairman
- Tony Bomkamp, Supervisor
- Dan Imhoff, Supervisor
- Dwayne Hiltbrand, Treasurer

Absent:

- Lori Peat, Clerk

Proof of Publication: Motion made by Bomkamp as to proof of publication, motion was second by Imhoff, the motion carried.

Approval of October Meeting Minutes: Motion made by Imhoff to accept the minutes as presented, the motion was seconded by Bomkamp, the motion carried

Patrolman's Report:

- Drury reported high salt usage in December due to snow and ice storms at the end of the month.
- Drury requested clarification on who should direct him on when to go out for snow removal. The board instructed that he should only take direction from board members.
- Drury asked for board input on determining when to begin plowing, what times to go out, and assistance in identifying bus routes and schedules. The board agreed to provide more input moving forward.
- Bomkamp reported no concerns with Drury's performance as patrolperson, and the rest of the board concurred.
- Drury reported visible wear on the plow truck's tires and recommended an assessment by the board.

Treasurer's Report:

- November: Checking: \$6,468.22
- Investment Checking: \$206,147.83
- Large Equipment: \$ 39,490.42
- Internet: \$1,042.00

Bomkamp questioned the one-dollar deduction from the internet account, to which Hiltbrand explained that it is a standing fee the bank has for operating the account.

Motion made by Imhoff to accept the Treasurer's Report, second by Bomkamp, the motion carried

Chairman's Report:

- No report was presented

Clerk's Report:

- In Peat's absence no report was presented

Other Business:

- The minutes from the January Caucus were reviewed. Bomkamp made a motion to accept the minutes as presented, Imhoff seconded the motion, the motion carried.

Audit Meeting Date:

- The date for the audit was not set during the meeting.

Public Comment:

- Zorba – Began discussion about a letter that had been posted on the website related to board member actions that Imhoff had asked the website committee to remove. Mark Sorti discussed the comprehensive plan that was previously presented to the board regarding residents preferred form of communication from the board. Sorti pointed out that the number one reported form was direct mail with 89 votes and second was a website with 37 votes and that there has been a good response to the website. Imhoff explained that in previous meetings it was made clear that all content posted on the website must be approved by the board. Bomkamp pointed out that the website can be shut down by the board at any point for noncompliance and that the board members could sue as the letter posted did not state which board members were associated with the letter. Bomkamp made a motion that the letter be removed by 8 AM on January 10, 2025 or the website would be shutdown, Seifert seconded the motion and the motion carried.
- Sheila Wardel – No comment
- Jamie Wardel – No comment
- Mark Sorti – Suggested that the board have the comprehensive plan review by Richard Swaziek who helped draft the plan because there are many road issues and projects that will impact the township on the horizon

Approval of Bills: Motion was made by Imhoff to approve the bills presented, the motion was seconded by Bomkamp, the motion carried.

Next meeting: Thursday, February 13, 2025, at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Hall.

Adjourn: Motion was made by Imhoff to adjourn the meeting, the motion was seconded by Bomkamp, the motion carried.

Dan Imhoff, Town Supervisor