

Minutes from the Town of Trenton Town Board Meeting

Date and Time: July 5, 2006 – 7:00 P.M.

Place: Town of Trenton Town Hall, 1071 Highway 33 East, West Bend, WI 53095

Present: Supervisor John Norman, Supervisor Ed Doerr, Town Clerk Barbara Davies, Treasurer Monica Diaz, Deputy Clerk/Treasurer Cindy Komro. Excused: Chairman Joe Gonnering.

Prior to the Meeting, notice was properly posted on the Town Bulletin Boards and mailed to the West Bend Daily News and WBKV AM/FM.

Supervisor Ed Doerr called the Meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

Doerr asked everyone to join in the Pledge of Allegiance prior to beginning the meeting.

Approval of Minutes – Town Board Meeting of 6/20/06:

It was moved by John Norman and seconded by Ed Doerr to approve the Minutes of the Town Board Meeting of 6/20/06. Carried unanimously.

Comments and Questions from the Audience:

None.

Accept/Review Agenda:

It was moved by John Norman and seconded by Ed Doerr to accept the agenda as printed. Carried unanimously.

Payroll Deductions for Health Insurance:

It was moved by John Norman and seconded by Ed Doerr to table this matter to the 7/18/06 Town Board Meeting. Carried unanimously.

Speed Limit – Washington Drive (Tabled May 2006):

Ed Doerr stated that he would like to see the speed limit lowered to 35 mph. Discussion on the state's rules for lowering a speed limit followed. It was moved by John Norman and seconded by Ed Doerr to approve lowering the speed limit to 35 mph pending the approval of the Town attorney. Carried unanimously. Doerr also suggested a review of the requirements for lowering the speed limit to 35 mph on Paradise Drive as well.

Computer, Email, Internet Use Policy:

Attorney Deb Hoffmann has suggested Board discussion on policies for use of Town computers, email, and Internet. It was moved by John Norman and seconded by Ed Doerr to table this matter to the meeting of 8/1/06 when Hoffmann will be present. Carried unanimously.

Plan Commission Recommendations:

None.

Review of Annexation Petitions:

None.

Reports:

Jim Wollner reported that he would be studying in preparation for the second NIMS test. Blacktopping work and crackfilling work has been completed. Washington County will begin shouldering work as soon as a crew is available.

Deputy Clerk/Treasurer Cindy Komro showed the Board a sample ID card she had created.

Treasurer Monica Diaz reported that the online property tax payment system doesn't cost the Town anything to use, but we have to sign up to participate. Diaz has called to sign up. Users of the system will be charged \$2.75 to use a debit card, 2.75% of the transaction amount if using a credit card.

Clerk Barb Davies reported that the Newburg Fire Department has requested time at the 7/18/06 meeting to present a contract proposal for 2007-2008. Several poll workers, Komro, and Davies will be trained in using the ADA accessible voting machine on 8/29/06.

Ed Doerr reported that the Washington County Smart Growth groups would be holding an interactive SmartGrowth visioning workshop on 7/20/06. The workshop will allow input on future land use. The input for the Town of Trenton may not necessarily come just from Town residents, but Doerr said that he had been assured that the input was just advisory/informational. Marilyn John has agreed to remain a member of the Town's SmartGrowth committee.

John Norman reported attendance at a very interesting class on Incident Command for FEMA. Norman said he could see more of this type of classes on the horizon. The Town will need to approve a letter of intent prior to September 2006, affirming its commitment to achieve NIMS compliance. Norman said he would be talking to the County Emergency Government department to get clarification on what level of certification we need to meet.

Payment of Bills:

It was moved by John Norman and seconded by Ed Doerr to approve payment of bills totaling \$44,345.62, and payroll of \$11,925.48. Carried unanimously.

Other business:

Al Murawsky inquired about the status of the Town's noise ordinance. Lengthy discussion followed.

Consideration of any Preliminary Plat or any Final Plat which may be submitted pursuant to Chapter 236, Wisconsin Statutes:

None.

Action on Authorization Allowing Town Officials to Attend Seminars:

None.

Action on any Ordinance, Resolution, Report or Recommendation already Pending Before the Town Board:

None.

Adjournment:

It was moved by John Norman and seconded by Ed Doerr to adjourn the Meeting at 7:56 PM. Carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara J. Davies
Town Clerk

Affidavit of Posting:

These Minutes were posted on the Town of Trenton Town Hall Bulletin Board at 1071 STH 33 East, West Bend, WI on Friday, July 14, 2006.
Barbara J. Davies, Town Clerk