

Town of Hamburg  
Monthly Board Meeting  
July 13, 2021  
Hamburg Municipal Building

Present: Vogel, Czech, Artus, Tucker, Stubbe  
2 Residents

Meeting was called to order by Vogel at 6:30pm.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all present.

Czech read the June, 2021 meeting minutes. Motion to approve minutes as read by Artus, seconded by Stubbe. Motion carries.

**Public Comment**

None.

**Fire Department/EMR Report**

None.

**Employment Applications**

None.

**Chairman Report**

Vogel reports:

-The annual Fire Department Tractor Pull fundraiser had rainy weather last month. Both attendance and participation were down compared to 2019. There was no Tractor Pull in 2020 due to area wide Covid 19 cancellations.

-Road maintenance work included dust control, granite, and diabase applications.

-Large culverts have been delivered to Schoolhouse Lane, and will be installed later this month.

-Ditching at the Korey Kaldunski property.

-T. Tucker volunteered to purchase the 10 new tables as voted on last fall by the Town Board.

-River Country Co-Op will remove the supplemental MAPS bus refueling tank at the Town Shop due to the withdrawal of Hamburg students from the Merrill district.

-Fire Department contracts will be communicated to the Marathon City Administration as requested.

-Suggested Supervisors look into having a rubber recycling event to dispose of accumulating tires this summer.

-Took phone call from resident concerned about Drager Farms dust creation in front of his home.

### **Supervisor Report**

Supervisor Artus reports handling calls on Pit run, culverts, road base and garbage issues. Stubbe met with Mike Schuster who handles some outside maintenance (for the VFW) at the Town Hall. Discussion was about blocked culvert on the South driveway entrance, stones in the grass and applying grass killer on the small area East of the hall.

### **Treasurer Report**

\$167,488.18 Bank Checking  
    -\$849.97 Outstanding  
\$166,638.21

    \$49,246.56 Covid Grant monies from the State of WI  
\$185,061.15 Machinery Fund  
    \$70,722.45 Fire Dept Engine Fund  
    \$1,000 Athens Credit Union (Tax Acct)

### **Clerk Report**

Czech reported to Phil Rentmeister Marathon County Emergency Manager the decision of the Board to allow fuel to be run through the Hamburg fuel tank for the County wide fire drill in the Fall. Hamburg's new election machine will be delivered in September and training will take place as well. The annual Worker's Comp audit has been completed for 2021. Czech also explained voter registration processes and how the ballot tally machine works.

### **Accounts Payable and Receivable**

Motion by Stubbe to accept Accounts Payable/Receivable, Artus seconds. Motion carries.

### **Public Comment**

Resident Mike Lange arrived to update the Board on an ongoing situation. Lange and his neighbors (Bergers) have had issues for a number of years, first with Berger's animals on the Lange property and more recently with Berger fireworks launched towards Lange home (which was witnessed by a neighbor). Lange did call the Marathon Sherriff's Department, who spoke with Mrs. Berger and facilitated a meeting between her and Lange. Lange felt the meeting was unproductive. The Hamburg Town Board has spoken to the Bergers on the past issues. Lange should keep the Board updated with future issues.

### **Upcoming Meetings**

07-29-21 Town's Association Meeting @Rib River Ballroom 6:30PM  
08-02-21 Road meeting 7:30AM  
08-10-21 Town Board meeting 6:30PM

Motion to adjourn by Artus at 7:45 pm, seconded by Stubbe. Motion carries.

Dawn Czech, Clerk