

TOWN OF PORTERFIELD
Monthly Town Board Meeting

Wednesday, November 11, 2020

Chairperson Dennis Bergeson called the monthly meeting to order at 6:20 PM with 15 in attendance.

Don Limberg made a motion to accept the agenda as listed. Audrey Guseck seconded the motion. Roll Call: Audrey Guseck – yes, Don Limberg – yes, Dennis Bergeson - yes. Agenda approved.

Audrey Guseck made a motion to approve the past minutes as read. Don Limberg seconded the motion. Roll Call: Audrey Guseck – yes, Don Limberg – yes, Dennis Bergeson – yes. Minutes approved.

Wendell Philipps gave the treasurer's report noting the total cash on hand as of October 31, 2020 was \$306,179.08. Don Limberg made a motion to approve the treasurer's report as read. Audrey Guseck seconded the motion. Roll Call: Audrey Guseck – yes, Don Limberg – Yes, Dennis Bergeson - yes. Report approved.

Fire Commission: Fire Chief Bob Chaltry stated the department had around 8 calls this month with the total for the year thus far around 82. They have had 4 members become state certified which enables them to go on MABAS calls.

It was determined by the Board not to mark the Cemetery Road for plowing as there isn't enough room.

During Open Floor the outside lighting was discussed which is in the process of being corrected. Chief Election Inspector, Sue Bayer, gave a report about the Presidential Election. We had 1196 voters with 510 being absentee and 685 in person and 1 provisional ballot that was accepted on Friday as complete. Thank you went out to our Clerk, Amy Linstad at a job well done running the election. There was discussion on patching roads yet this year and Town assessments.

An additional grant of \$10,688.08 was submitted to the Routes to Recover grant and the remainder shared with Marinette County.

Audrey Guseck made a motion to approve the 2021 Town Budget as presented. Don Limberg seconded the motion. Roll Call: Audrey Guseck – yes, Don Limberg – yes, Dennis Bergeson – yes. Budget approved.

There were no operator license applications this month.

Roads: Next week a culvert will be replaced on Panske and Vista, graveling on Nettleton, and Panske will be graded tomorrow. The snow equipment is ready to go.

Recycling is running smoothly.

Building Permits – All OK.

Correspondence was read and bills were paid.

Don Limberg made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:25 PM. Audrey Guseck seconded the motion. Roll Call: Audrey Guseck – yes, Don Limberg – yes, Dennis Bergeson – yes. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Amy Linstad, Clerk