

TOWN OF PORTERFIELD
Monthly Town Board Meeting

Wednesday, November 9, 2022

Chairperson Dennis Bergeson called the monthly meeting to order at 6:21 PM with 13 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, 2022 was \$268,219.49. Audrey Guseck made a motion to approve the treasure's report as read. Don Limberg seconded the motion. Roll Call: Audrey Guseck – yes, Don Limberg – Yes, Dennis Bergeson - yes. Report approved.

During Open Floor there was discussion on all County Roads being open for ATV/UTV traffic except BB, Co. T, and portions of C, I, N, and U was approved through Marinette County. There was also discussion on Baycom updating their hardware to go digital. There was discussion on the Fire Department looking to get permission to use the Town's radio frequency when needed.

We had the General Election yesterday and had 918 ballots cast. Thanks went out to Clerk Amy Linstad and her crew for a job well done. An additional grant of \$1,200.00 was submitted for the Wisconsin Elections Commission Subgrant program.

Audrey Guseck made a motion to approve the 2023 Town Budget of \$905,358.39. 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: All the gravel roads have been graded. Peters Road and River Drive have been completed as well as Sequin Road. Winesville West has been torn up, graveled, and graded and will remain that way until monies are available to blacktop.

Fire Commission: October 12th the new truck came in a year early. Thanks went out the Town of Grover and Porterfield for making that happen. The calls have been very quiet as of late which is a good thing. The Department also upgraded one of the chassis.

Cemetery: The Town is still looking for volunteers to serve on this committee.

Recycling/Solid Waste: There was more discussion on household batteries and the cost to dispose of it.

The Town had 4 building permits for October. Compliments went out to our Building Inspector for a job well done.

Correspondence was read and bills were paid.

Don Limberg made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:30 PM. Audrey Guseck seconded the motion. Roll Call: Audrey Guseck – yes, Don Limberg – yes, Dennis Bergeson – yes. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Amy Linstad, Clerk