

TOWN OF SHARON BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, August 13, 2019

Chairman Jeff Check called the regular monthly board meeting to order at 6:30PM

Roll call was taken. Present were Board Members Jeff Check, Curtis Gagas, Bill Gibbs and Clerk/Treasurer, Lori Printz. Also present was one resident of the town and one guest. Notice of the meeting was posted in three places within the Town of Sharon (Town Hall window, kiosk between Sylvia's and Polonia Café, kiosk in front of Northstar Machine, on Facebook and town website).

Motion by Supervisor Gagas, 2nd by Supervisor Gibbs to approve the agenda. 3 ayes. 0 nays. Motion carried

Motion by Supervisor Gibbs, 2nd by Supervisor Gagas to approve the minutes of July 9, 2019. 3 ayes 0 nays. Motion carried, minutes approved.

Motion by Supervisor Gibbs, 2nd by Supervisor Gagas to approve the bill listing July 10, 2019 through August 13, 2018. 3 ayes. 0 nays. Motion carried, bill listing approved.

Plan Commission Chair Gibbs reported action on parcel #032-24-0916-08.13 on a request from owner Ken Kizewski to change zoning from 5 acre parcels to 2 acre parcel. Parcel is 23.49 acres. The owner was provided with a copy of the Town of Sharon sub division ordinance & setbacks. (The request was for zoning change only). Motion by Supervisor Gagas, 2nd by Supervisor Gibbs to approve changing zoning on parcel #032-24-0916-08.13 to A4. 3 ayes. 0 nays. Motion carried

Plan Commission Chair Gibbs also advised of upcoming proposed zoning changes to the Portage County Wellhead Protection Districts information meeting to be held August 21, 2019 at 7PM at the Portage County Annex Bldg Conference Rooms 1 & 2. Chair Gibbs recommended attendance.

Motion by Supervisor Gibbs, 2nd by Supervisor Gagas to approve a temporary Class B license for Blackhawks Archery event. 3 ayes. 0 nays. Motion carried

Motion by Supervisor Gagas, 2nd by Supervisor Gibbs to approve four operator's license's (three new licenses with certificate & background approved & one renewal). 3 ayes. 0 nays. Motion carried.

Brief discussion regarding three ordinances (update/revision of Uniform Dwelling Code, new No Parking on town roads and new Fireworks). The town is also in the process of continuing discussion on possible update/revision on fire call billing ordinance. The town will invite the town building inspector to attend the September meeting to assist in questions/concerns/comments on the Uniform Dwelling Code.

Chair Check indicated he received a call from ATV/UTV individual regarding additional information will be dropped off to the town office. Town of Bevent recently passed an ATV/UTV ordinance.

Chair Check stated the town garage roof has been completed & skylights were replaced with metal. The severe weather storm from July 19/20 remains ongoing. FEMA has not declared the state a disaster. The town continues to track time, equipment, etc for reporting purposes. Rosholt Fire Dept opened up & provided showers, water for livestock & bottled water. The utility company asked if there was any way the town could identify residents that require continuous power due to health, etc? Due to privacy/confidentiality issues - sensitive subject & no list available. The town hall front basement window was replaced - possibly damaged by traffic. One town crew member attended the Roadside Invasive vegetation workshop on July 23rd & was informative, provided ample materials along with a tour to review the culprits first hand. If another workshop becomes available, the other town crew person will attend. The town office computer Windows 7 will be unsupported come January 2020. The clerk is researching options and leaning toward a new computer with Windows 10. Adding an upgrade to a computer that is aging may not be in our best interest for the long term. Chair contacted the Portage County Planning & Zoning regarding the fire damaged home on 3288 State Hwy 66 (Flrkus - Feb 2017) - what is the status or direction taken to address the eye sore structure? They indicated unable to contact owner - have no cell phone & Corporate Counsel would pursue demolition, however years backlogged. Also, what about the fence for dog kennel at 7316 State Hwy 66? It is not done & no follow

up. No follow up on abandoned or unlicensed cars on town properties.

Clerk reported on Rosholt School District - Board of Education advisory Ad Hoc Child Care Program committee - toured Tigerton school to review their layout, have 74 children - (this changes during school schedule), have four full time employees & several part time employees. Four different rooms to separate the children ages, depending on age bears a factor on number of child care employees. Must have fenced separated outside play area, each room have there own refrigerator, children are provided food from the school lunch program - school does receive money for each child to offset expenses. Tigerton receives two stars rating out of a possible 5 stars. The goal is to receive a 3 star rating - but very difficult because this would require every child care employee to be certified. Due to part time employment & turnover, very difficult to achieve. Next meeting scheduled Monday, August 19th.

District 21 Supervisor, Jeanne Dodge commented the Town of Stockton plans on attending the Portage County Wellhead Protection District meeting on August 21st. They are planning to request more time to research/study the information. The Stanley Street re-striping was completed in Stevens Point - changing from four lanes to two lanes with a median for turning & paint stripping for pedal bikes.

NEXT TOWN BOARD MEETING - TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2019

Motion by Supervisor Gibbs, 2nd by Supervisor Gagas, to adjourn at 7:37PM. 3 ayes. 0 nays. Motion carried.

Submitted by Lori Printz - Clerk/Treasurer