

Town of Grantsburg  
August 9, 2021  
Regular Monthly Meeting

Meeting call to order at 6:00pm by Chairman Curtin. Present were Board Supervisor Shultz, Supervisor DeRocker and Deputy Clerk/Treasurer Janyl Friese.

Pledge of allegiance was recited.

Approval of minutes of the July 12, 2021 Town Board Meeting was made by Shultz, seconded by DeRocker. Motion carried.

Citizen input requested, Marion Nelson presented the attendees information on election fraud.

Motion to approve the one year (2022) Assessor contract for \$9000 with 50% payable in January and 50% at the conclusion of the annual Board of Review, with additional compensation for State Appeals(see contract for details)was made by Curtin, seconded by Shultz. Motion carried.

Ditch mowing bid opening – Two bids received, Burnett County - \$67.02 per hour and Moyer Dirt Works - \$100 per hour. Motion made by Shultz to accept the Burnett County Bid at \$67.02 per hour for ditch mowing, seconded by DeRocker. Motion carried.

West River Road Drainage: Lee Moyer updated the Board on the work he has done on West River Road. Lee shared pictures of what was done in a similar situation in the Yellow Lake area. He was asked to comeback with a better cost analyzes. Motion to have county look at West River Road drainage was made by DeRocker, seconded by Shultz. Motion Carried.

Chip seal crack seal – Place ad for bids for 5 short roads with bids due September 1, roads: Thorson, Grey Fox, Jensen, Kellogg and Whitetail, plus Anderson - chip seal and fog seal. Ad to be placed for 2 weeks, deadline to receive bids September 1, 2021 at 5pm. Bids to be opened at the September 13, 2021 meeting.

Discussion on replacing full intersection of Larson Road/Benson Rd, revisit spring of 2022 during road tour.

WTA Workshop September 13, 2021. Motion made by Shultz to allow Toni to attend the workshop at an approximate cost of \$281.15 for room, mileage, registration and per diem, seconded by DeRocker. Motion carried.

## Roads Update:

Lee Moyer updated the committee on the road patching he has completed, most of the black top has been used - to repair pot holes on several roads and shoulders the on Benson Road.

Motion was made by Curtin for the Town of Grantsburg to buy 15 loads of gravel at \$4875, for West River, Skog, Borg, Grell, Larson, Fish Lake, Skog and Russell roads, and the intersection of Larson/Highway 70, seconded by Shultz. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Curtin to pay Moyer Dirt Works \$4200 for road work and maintenance for West River, Skog, Borg, Grell, Larson, the intersection of Larson/Highway 70, Fish Lake, Skog and Russell roads, seconded by DeRocker. During discussion Lee was asked to keep a log of his work. Motion carried.

Discussion on Fish Lake Road, plan to do a mile at a time to Anderson.

DeRocker requested ATV 20 MPH signs to be placed on both ends of Tobe Lake Rd. Motion by Shultz to purchase eight ATV 20 MPH speed limit road signs, seconded by Curtin. Motion carried.

Motion by Curtin to purchase two slow children signs for West River Road, seconded by DeRocker. Motion Carried.

Purchase replacement road signs for Borg Rd/Grell Rd, Skog/Hickerson to replace missing signs.

Driveway permit violations and fines -tabled for September meeting.

Moyer reported to the Board a property owner installed a small culvert on Hoffman Road, blocking the ditch. The Board recommended contacting the property owner and pulling the culvert in the road right of way.

Chairman Report – WTA convention is Oct 10 – 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Supervisor Curtin gave summary, tabled who will attend to September meeting, registration due September 21, 2021.

Continuing to receive complaints of noise and trespassing at 14659 State Rd 70, asked clerk to have Burnett County Land Director, Jason Towne define 1-2 (years/months?) meaning, from previous correspondence regarding clean up of property, as well as send letter to Sheriff's Department regarding noise and trespassing complaints.

Fire Association report on file at Town Hall.

Correspondence – none

Financial Report given by Deputy Clerk/Treasurer Janyl Friese, motion to approve Financial Report was made by DeRocker, seconded by Shultz. Motion carried. Motion for the payment of invoices made by Shultz, and seconded by DeRocker. Motion carried.

Next months' agenda items

- West River Rd
- Culvert – Phantom Lake Rd
- WTA convention
- County Clerk - Contract with Burnett County regarding voting machines
- Budget on roads for spending availability
- Driveway Permit/Ordinance/Fines or Penalties for violations
- Snowplowing

Motion to Adjourn was made by Shultz, seconded by DeRocker, Motion carried.  
Meeting adjourned 7:40pm.

Respectfully submitted by Deputy Clerk/Treasurer Janyl Friese