

Town of Avon Regular Monthly Meeting

Avon Town Hall January 2nd, 2024

The regular monthly meeting of the Avon Town Board was held at the Avon Town Hall on Tuesday, January 2nd, 2024. Supervisor Allen Peters called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. Followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Agenda was presented to the board. Jeff Border motioned to approve the agenda with a second by Allen Peters. Motion passes.

Statement from Supervisor 1 – Allen Peters gave a statement to the citizens stating that it's a new year and would like to see the town move forward in a positive manner.

Minutes from December's Meetings were presented to the board. Allen Peters made a motion to approve with a second by Jeff Border. Motion passes.

Treasurer Report from December was read by Stephanie Schwartzlow. The balance in all town accounts is \$664,677.62 which includes tax collection. Jeff Border motioned to approve the treasurer's report as read with a second by Allen Peters. Motion Passes.

Constable's Report – Chris Regenauer thanked Gregg Wartgow and Debbie Niedermeier-Wartgow for their years of service on the town board. He stated he's been in contact with the new Emergency Management Director and the deputy. Has registered the town hall as a temporary warming center. Stated we need salt for the town hall. Has been working on reversing some of the contracts established over the past two years.

Sheriff's Deputy – Deputy Fell was present and read the sheriff report from last month. Deputy Fell stated that before meetings the deputy assigned to the town meeting will be patrolling the area beforehand. Terry Crum expressed concern about vehicles running the stop sign at Beloit Newark and Avon Store. Bill Larson asked if ATVs have been an issue in other townships. Deputy Fell said none that he can speak of.

Payment of Bills Allen Peters read the bills for January. Allen Peters made a motion to pay all of January's bills with a second by Jeff Border. Motion Passes.

Letter Received from Chairperson Allen Peters stated the town board received a letter from Gregg Wartgow stating his resignation effective January 1, 2024.

Open Positions – Stephanie Schwartzlow stated an article has been posted on the website and notice board along with the article appearing in the Brodhead newspapers.

Road Work – Stephanie Schwartzlow stated we have been billed through October and Gregg Wartgow submitted the last part of the LRIP Grant after the special meeting on December 27th.

Public Comments – Several citizens express their gratitude for Gregg Wartgow and Debbie Niedermeier-Wartgow's service to the town and for the current board stepping in to fill the positions. Citizens asked about the pay of the town board. Bonnie Moore asked if the treasurer has to reside in the township. Mike Moore stated an outside audit needs to be done before the new treasurer starts.

Board Comments – Stephanie Schwartzlow gave the board information from the Green County Landfill, stated that the WTA meeting is January 18, Board of Review training is needed by at least one board member. Jeff Border and Allen Peters thanked Gregg Wartgow for his service. Chris Regenauer stated the dumpsters are getting a little out of control with big items lately and encouraged the current Supervisors or Clerk to step in as Chairperson.

With no further business Allen Peters adjourned the meeting at 8:26 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by

Stephanie Schwartzlow, Avon Town Clerk