January 12, 2022

Scio Town Board Meeting Minutes

The Town of Scio Board meeting began at 6:28 pm with Supervisor, Jon Elliott calling the meeting to order with The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Board Members Present: Rob Harms, Kyle Spier, Alissa Ramsey and Jon Elliott.

Absent: Nate Jenison

Attendees: Andy Martin, Glen Layfield, John Ramsey, Roxie Nickerson

Andy Martin spoke about the water project by Ingalls Planning & Design as a consulting team. Ten communities are taking part. He asked that all present review projects and reach out with comments, suggestions and concerns. The project would be funded through the state. Flooding: looking at risk areas and hot spots.

Reviewed previous minutes for the Special Meeting held 12/28/21 and Organizational meeting on 1/5/22. One addition/correction was made as Shannon Wiech was sworn in as Scio Town Clerk at the Organizational meeting on 1/5/22. A motion was made by Kyle Spier to accept the minutes. This was seconded by Rob Harms. All in favor.

General

A motion was made by Rob Harms to accept general bills. This was seconded by Glen Layfield. All in favor. Total abstract amount: $21,162.73.

Water Supervisor (absent)

No news to report.

A motion was made by Alissa Ramsey to accept water bills. This was seconded by Rob Harms. All in favor. Total abstract amount: $41,410.36.

Highway Supervisor

Skip is looking at rollers to purchase. One is approximately $118,000 and the other is approximately $115,500. The roller is multi-purpose and will be used for blacktop and dirt. He has found there are about 7 different companies to be used for purchasing replacement parts. Skip asked for approval to an agreement to work with other towns and share services. All in favor.

Resolution #1 was made and approved by the Scio Town Board for the Inter-Municipal Aid Agreement 2022. All in favor.

Skip informed the group that the Christmas lights have been taken down and placed in storage. He informed the group that 21 gallons of gas was used to power the cross during the holiday season which was already paid with personal monies.

Skip spoke about the ‘junk fund’ and using monies from that account to purchase a grill for the shop to be used on the road when working with other municipalities as a ‘thank you’ for helping and for their assistance. A motion was made to purchase a grill for the shop by Jon Elliott and seconded by Glen Layfield. All in favor.

A motion was made by Glen Layfield to accept highway bills. This was seconded by Rob Harms. All in favor. Total abstract amount: $2,220.00.

Other business

Glen Layfield was sworn in as a new Town of Scio Board Member.

A motion was made by Jon Elliott to appoint Kyle Spier as Deputy Supervisor. This was seconded by Rob Harms. All in favor.

A motion was made by Jon Elliott to suspend one position as Town Justice. This was seconded by Alissa Ramsey. All in favor.

A motion was made by Rob Harms to appoint Jon Elliott as Auditor for Scio Town Court. This was seconded by Glen Layfield. All in favor.

A motion was made by Jon Elliott for payment to Connie Green & Shannon Wiech for training pay during the transition of Scio Town Clerk. This was seconded by Alissa Ramsey. All in favor.

A motion was made by Jon Elliott to get signs for both doors to provide hours of operation. This was seconded by Kyle Spier. All in favor.

A motion was made by Jon Elliott to purchase a mini-fridge using COVID funds. This was seconded by Rob Harms. All in favor.

Next board meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, February 9, 2022 at 6:30 pm.

A motion to adjourn was made by Alissa Ramsey. This was seconded by Kyle Spier. All in favor.

Liaisons for 2022 were appointed as follows: Highway-Kyle Spier, Water-Rob Harms, Judges/Fire Dept.-Glen Layfield, Cleaner/DCO/Crossing Guard: Alissa Ramsey, and CEO/Clerk/Assessor-Jon Elliott.

Meeting adjourned at 8 pm.