

Town of Independence

Special Meeting

March 28, 2022

The Independence Town Board met in the Town Hall on March 28, 2022 at 7pm for a Special Meeting regarding Highway Dept. matters. The meeting was advertised via Town Clerk Board, Facebook and Town Website.

Present: Supervisor Reichman; Council: Meunier, Howe, Brubaker, Bissett; Town Clerk, Bledsoe; Highway Superintendent, Acomb

Visitors: Dave Saunders

Supervisor called the meeting to order.

Superintendent Acomb started by discussing bids received for the Excavation of the Salt Shed grounds. The bids are as follows: Smokers - \$8,854.00, Kevin LaForge - \$47,450.00. Acomb contacted Meehan Excavating as well, but did not receive a bid. After board discussion, a motion was made by Council Howe, seconded by Council Bissett and carried by all to accept the bid from Smoker's for the Excavation work. Bids on file in the Town Clerk's office.

Superintendent Acomb discussed the major sluice pipe issue on the Hallsport-Independence Rd. with the board, it's beginning to collapse and needs to be replaced. Acomb received prices on the pipe from Lloyd Hollenbeck at Industrial Services. After discussion, a motion was made by Council Meunier, seconded by Council Brubaker with all voting "yes" to purchase the 50' pipe from Industrial Services for \$20,208.00.

A motion to adjourn was offered by Supervisor Reichman, seconded by Council Meunier and carried by all at 7:40pm.

Jasmine Bledsoe, Town Clerk

