

Town of Freeman

The regular meeting of January 29, 2024 was called to order at 7:00 pm by Al Thompson

All members present - Al Thompson, John Leirimo and David Olson.

Peggy certified the meeting was posted at River Bank, P.O., website, and the Town Shop.

Dave made a motion to approve the agenda, John seconded.

Patrolmen hours were reviewed, Dave made a motion to approve, John seconded. All yes

Peggy presented the minutes from the 12/27/2023 regular meeting. Approved as read.

Sacha Powell stated she has been very busy collecting taxes. We received our first settlement January 10 and we receive our next payment February 7th.

The January bills were reviewed. Dave made a motion to approve, John seconded. All yes.

Peggy gave a summary of the current account balances.

Old Business:

- FEMA: Nothing to report.
- Road Repair: Discussion on putting on road bands, decision was made to put the bands on Tuesday January 30th.
- Fence viewing matter with La Plante's: Nothing to report
- White construction road damage: Al stated the lawyer has not heard anything yet.
- Planning and Zoning Committee: The committee is proposing to amend the FLP zoning district to mirror the agricultural/residential zoning district minimum lot size of 1 acre.
- Shop Furnace: The furnace is in and operating.

New Business:

- Dave made a motion to approve the 2024 Gays Mills Fire Service contract, John seconded. All yes. The 2024 contract amount is \$22,250,43.
- Dave made a motion to donate \$3,200 to Ocooch Mountain Rescue ambulance service for 2024, John seconded. All yes.
- Permit requests:
 - A residential building permit request was received Jason Mulholland for house. Dave made a motion to approve, John seconded. All yes.

Public Discussion:

- Al is checking pricing with other companies on pricing for dumpsters.
- Al stated he had a conversation with John Spears on getting a grant for equipment for the township. The township may need to hire someone to write a grant.

Next meeting will be February 26 at 7:00 pm.

Dave made a motion at 7:57 to adjourn, John seconded.

Peggy Thompson, Clerk