

Township of Bloomington  
Monday January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
Regular Monthly Board Meeting Minutes

The regular monthly board meeting of the Town of Bloomington was called to order on Monday January 4<sup>th</sup>, at 7:15 pm by Chairman Greg Patterson. Other members present were Town Supervisors William Erdenberger, Joe Kirschbaum, Clerk Jane Patterson and Patrolman Andrew (Buck) Crubel. Public member in attendance was Michelle Newhouse. Motion (Bill Erdenberger), seconded (Joe Kirschbaum) was made to approve posting of the January meeting/agenda notice, motion carried. Motion (Bill Erdenberger), seconded (Greg Patterson) was made to approve the December 7<sup>th</sup> Board Meeting minutes, motion carried.

There were no Appearances/Public Comments.

**Roads:** Roads are in good winter driving condition.

**Machinery Report:** Patrolman Andrew Crubel will take the new Town truck to Shullsburg to have the windshield wiper switch checked out and a crack in the windshield looked at. A repair technician from Fabick came and inspected the grader, a valve in the brake line had to be replaced. Tire chains ordered/received for the truck's front tires are not the right ones. Patrolman Andrew Crubel will call Gray's Inc. and take care of the Company's error. Patrolman Crubel left the meeting after his report.

Clerk Jane Patterson presented the December financial report. The board unanimously agreed to pay outstanding bills, Clerk Jane Patterson will call Fabick and Rural Mutual Insurance Company before paying these two outstanding bills. The board and the clerk discussed the end of year actual revenues and expenses, comparing them to the 2020 adopted budget. Clerk Jane Patterson pointed out that the Town's recycling site went over budget. Hopefully the red tags will help keep illegal dumps from happening and costs down.

The Board and clerk discussed the Town's Building Ordinance amendment. The ordinance is ten years old, and needs to be updated to meet State codes and County requirements. Motion (Greg Patterson), seconded (Bill Erdenberger) was made to approve the amendment, on a voice roll call, Yes-3, No -0, motion carried. The board signed [both] the amendment and the complete version of the new building ordinance. Both documents will be posted on the Town's website and the amendment will be posted in three business locations and at the Town's garage.

Some discussion of the Town's recycling site took place during the Financial & Clerk Report with this discussion concluding that there is only so much the Town can do to stop illegal dumping at the recycling site.

Motion (Greg Patterson), seconded (Joe Kirschbaum) to adjourn the meeting, motion carried.

Respectfully submitted  
Jane Patterson-Clerk