

Scipio Town Council

Minutes of Meeting

April 21st, 2022- 7pm

Members present: Mayor: Tom Memmott- Council Members: Richard Probert, Casey Hatch, Bryce Monroe, Jim Winget- Treasurer- Linda Stephenson, Clerk- Rebecca Bond

Tom led the Pledge of Allegiance & the prayer was given by Rebecca

- 1. Minutes of March Meeting:** These were read aloud by Rebecca. Bryce made a motion to accept the minutes, 2nd by Jim. All in favor.
- 2. Invoices and Receipts for March:** Linda went over these out loud. Council had a copy to look at. The invoice for the wildland fire boots came in for \$5,000. The check for Linda was for exercise equipment she bought with her credit card because the town credit card wouldn't work on this purchase. She also emailed the quarterly report to each councilman. Casey made a motion to accept, 2nd by Bryce. All in favor.
- 3. Fillmore Car Show:** Dan Rowley couldn't be here but they've asked for a donation for the car show. We usually donate \$100 to them every year. Jim made a motion 2nd by Richard- all in favor to donate \$100.
- 4. Water Department & Well update:** Richard took a sample of the regular water distribution. Came back good. Fixing up the springs is in the works. He met at the new well with Ensign and everything is going well. Waiting for a radio nuclei test to come back (usually takes 6 weeks).
- 5. Fire department:** Casey reported that they purchased 15 pair of wildland fire boots. Also, they sealed the roof at the fire house and its completed and the invoice has been paid. The county has sent reimbursement. He asked that with the capital purchase he would like to get 10 pagers (\$3,600) and a mobile radio for the fire truck (\$800). They will also work on upgrading the locks on fire house doors with battery operated key pads (maybe share cost with ambulance). IPSC has salvage shelves for free and he would like to put some in the water shed
- 6. Streets/Fitness Center:** Bryce reported that Gail has started mowing streets. We need everyone to move things that are on the streets like parked vehicles and etc. to get them out of the way. He also said the mower is getting warn out and the price to repair is expensive. He will look into the price of a new one and get back to council. The dumbbells have been ordered for the fitness center and are waiting to be shipped.
- 7. Parks & Cemetery:** Jim checked into getting porta potties for the cemetery. He called honey bucket but they don't come this far. White's Sanitation is \$125 a month and \$1,000 for any damages that occur to them. All in favor to wait on this for now. He reported on the meeting at the pioneer cemetery where they learned how to straighten and clean head stones. He also has more sod coming for the graves.

8. **Maintenance Job Consideration:** Tom left the room because of conflict of interest while Jim stated that council had a prior discussion and were all agreeance so Jim made a motion to vote to award the contract to Grass Roots Lawn Care, 2nd by Casey. All in favor
9. **FFA -Rider Monroe:** Rider Monroe came before the council to ask for a donation for his trip to Washington DC June 11-19th with the FFA. He offered to do anything and said any amount would help. Total cost of the trip is \$1,500. Council voted to pay him \$750, Richard made a motion 2nd by Bryce – all in favor.
10. **Capital Asset- Self Inventory:** Each department needs to look at the paper Tom will email them and fill in the category they need improvement in.
11. **Events:** Casey reported the Easter Egg Hunt went well. Thanks to all that helped – may need to set a limit on number of eggs next year. Working on getting a committee for the 24th celebration.
12. **Museum Update-** a structural engineer said it was a catastrophe incident that happened one time so the insurance company will pay for it.
13. **Public Comment:** Dallen Q mention the legislature passed a bill that all secondary water needs to be metered by 2030. They have looked into funding to help with this project. Rebecca said that the county clerk had contacted her about each municipality now needing to have their own ballot drop box by this coming primary election in June. We need to decide on a place that everyone can access it and security cameras can be installed. County will cover cost of box and camera.
14. **Adjourn:** Casey made motion to adjourn, 2nd by Jim. All in favor. Time was 8:04 pm.