

Scipio Town Council

Minutes of meeting

August 19th, 2021- 7pm

Members present: Mayor: Pam Sheridan- Council Members: Jim, Bryce, Dallen. (Absent-Casey Hatch)
Treasurer- Linda S., Clerk- Rebecca B.

Public Meeting: for accepting the revised budget as is. All council looked over this. All in Favor.

Canvass: Rebecca read the official results of the primary election. There was a 3-vote difference from election night to the canvass. 2 ballots were received post-election and 1 signature was remedied and counted. Final results will be posted online and in town. The municipal election will be Nov. 2nd. Those moving on will be Thomas C Memmott and Aaron Palmer for Mayor and Bryce Monroe, Dallen Quarnberg and Richard Probert for councilmen. This will be a mail in election.

1. **Minutes of July Meeting:** These were read over by each council member. Bryce made motion to accept, 2nd by Jim. All in favor.
2. **Invoices and Receipts for July:** Linda went over these. Deluxe checks are in twice, 2 large payments for Jacksons for Well Project. Water PTIF came into checking and went back into PTIF. Bryce made motion to accept, 2nd by Jim. All in favor
3. **Streets:** Bryce reported that Gail has been mowing again since he got the mower fixed. It cost \$800. Need to look into drainage issues on State Street.
4. **Water Department:** Some of the water in town has been reported being brown, cloudy, or discolored. The cause was probably the big rain storm we got but will look into this. Need to look into the cross-connection ordinance. The Well Project is still waiting for supplies, some meters on back order until Oct. 1st. The town is still getting easement signatures for the power company.
5. **New Business/ Old Business:** Pam got an appraisal on a small piece of ground owned by town behind the old Traditions Café owned by Scott Smith. It appraised for between \$500-\$1,000.
6. **Fire department and Ambulance:** District fire meeting/dinner went well. Wondering about the cost of installing the new washer and dryer. Will get a bid and see what it will cost. Will have to put in plumbing and electrical, etc. Money from cares act will help to cover this project. Casey wondered about cleaning out the north town building to park the water tender because it needs to be in a heated building. Also need to clean out the south side too. The fire department will help clean if needed.
7. **Parks and Cemetery:** Jim said parking on the park lawn during the rodeo made a lot of ruts. He suggested they not do that. Need to look into another place to park. Also, elk are jumping the gate south of the cattle guard and making a mess in the cemetery. He cleaned up limbs in park and there was a mess of stuff someone left. Called the cops to come check it out in case it was stolen. They came and looked and took the stuff.
8. **Events:** A comment was made that the kid's games in the park on 24th need to be updated/revised.
9. **Public Comment:** Leslie Onnen said the Conoco is wondering what they can do to sell beer in town.
10. **Adjourn:** Bryce made motion to adjourn, 2nd by Dallen. All in favor. Time was 8:13pm.