TOWN OF TEXAS TOWN BOARD MEETING

December 9, 2024

7:00 pm

MUNICIPAL CENTER

Notices were posted at the Municipal Center, on the website and emailed to interested parties.

Meeting was called to order by Delmar Winter. Richard and Tom were in attendance.

Minutes of the November meeting were read by the clerk. Motion to approve by Tom, second by Richard and carried.

**TREASURER REPORT-** Treasurer report was given. Interest on Money Market increase from $13 to $109 by changing to a municipal account. Motion to approve her report by Richard, second by Tom and carried. Richard motion to write off outstanding check of $36.50 to Marathon County for dog licenses. Second by Tom and carried.

Discussion to move $100,000 to money market from checking to money market for more interest until Green Valley project needs payment. Richard moved to move the funds, second by Tom and carried.

**CHAIRMAN REPORT-**Chris Ostrowski is cleaning up his property on Shady Lane Road and hopes to clean up Clair Ostrowski’s back yard also. Delmar said hard to get people to clean up when some of town board members do not clean up either.

**SUPERVISOR REPORTS-**Richard talked with Griesbach – bridges should be zero cost for Town. River Hills Road has enough road right of way, however the town may need to buy right of way on County Line Road.

**OLD BUSINESS-or NEW BUSINESS-**Road Work was discussed. Wages will need to be reviewed for 2025 and retroactive to January 1st. Currently $27.25 for Kevin and $23 to Keith. Lincoln County is offering $30. Kevin’s insurance is changing for his health issues and more part -time help might be needed. Jon Raduechel is acceptable for filling in part time depending on wages.

Ken Abraham says he is satisfied with repairs to truck. Town may need to pay deductible. Delmar will call Shayne at Rural for information.

Discussion on Fiber Optic with poor maps and no approval of permit but still installing carrier piping and damaging shoulders.

Large garage doors and seals have been repaired and finished. Small garage door handle is still sloppy.

Election Machine audit was completed.

Nomination papers due January 7th at 5 pm. Constable hasn’t been filed for years. Chair or board members have taken care of issues if any.

Fi**re Department** Board needs to think and prepare financially for a new pumper in next few years.

**Planning Commission**-Checking on a few issues.

Motion to adjourn by Richard, second by Tom and carried.

Lorraine I Beyersdorff, Town Clerk