

# **TOWN OF FRANKLIN: Town Board Minutes**

**Date: June 16, 2025** Call To Order at: 7:00pm by Town Chair

Present: Berent Froiland x Kurt Lucey x Matt Connelly x Hannah Aspenson x Tracy Thelen x

Observers: (1) Brody Rudrud

## **Minutes:**

May 2025 minutes: Tracy forgot to bring along. Will need to read at next meeting.

Motion to stand as read: Matt 2<sup>nd</sup> to the motion: Kurt Motion carried: x

## **Treasurer's Report:**

May 31, 2025, Book Balance = \$22,845.08

Outstanding Checks = \$ 9,672.77

Bank Balance = \$32,517.85

Checking as of meeting date: \$23,024.63 Money Market acct: \$1,016.11

Line of Credit payoff: \$0 Grader Loan (new loan) Balance: \$354,775.30 (\$51,609.94 paid 1/6/25)

Firehouse Loan (new loan): \$300,000 (1<sup>st</sup> pmt of \$39,952.00 due by Sept 16, 2025)

Vernon County paid Town of Franklin \$1800.00 for 18 structures (culverts). Check #222341

Motion to stand as read: Matt 2<sup>nd</sup> to the motion: Kurt Motion carried: x

**Public Questions & Concerns:** None.

## **Other:**

~Liquor License renewal is approved by the Board for Steve Lawless for Further Along LLC.

~Fire Contract: Berent will email the board what he sent to the other town chairs for board review/comments.

~Solid Waste/Recycling Attendant wage: Roger asking about getting a raise. Position is currently at \$15/hr.

Tracy will reach out to other townships and ask what their current wages are for a comparison and get that sent to the board for their review. Table until July meeting.

~Patrolman Update: Brody was here to give update. A) Sealcoating went well, didn't run into any issues. Roads are smooth & look good. B) Should have gravel first week of July approximately. C) Stacey Getter bill will be coming. He helped clean out some tubes etc.

**Bills:** Bills are prepared by the clerk & reviewed by the town board.

Motion to stand as read: Matt 2<sup>nd</sup> to the motion: Kurt Motion carried: x

**Adjournment:** Motion to adjourn meeting: Matt, 2<sup>nd</sup> by: Kurt Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned: 7:29pm