May Meeting 2023

The Monthly Town Board meeting was called to order Tuesday, May 9, 2023 at 7 pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was said. A list of those in attendance is on file in the clerk’s office. All Board members were present.

Motion was made by Thiede and seconded by Marschke to accept the minutes as printed; motion carried.

**Citizens Comments and Concerns –**

* Earl Kluz noted a problem still with the water pumping on his land; Board was told it was a civil matter and not the Town’s.
* Lengthy discussion took place again on the sanitary issues; Dale K. was present to address any questions residents had. Board is trying to get further grants and lengthen the loan to get payments lowered. People will need to fill out Census when it comes around so average income will be correct. No amount is set in stone yet for payments.
* Herman’s discussed issues with blockage in ditch behind their property and mowing.
* Residents complaining about speeding still in town. Sign north of town isn’t working.

**Park Committee –** Kasey updated everyone and mentioned 3 trees were planted, one donated by Taylor Young, one in memory of Tony Soblewski and one in memory of Don Hanefeld. Kasey also asked if funds could be contributed yearly to Park as is done with cemeteries; will add to agenda for May.

**Correspondence** **received by Chairman and Clerk/Treasurer** –

* Chairman received the financial statement from Stone Cemetery
* DOT reconstruction of Hwy. 26 is slated for 2025; Chairman has letter
* 2023 Town Workshop Registration 5/17 in Fond du Lac – Todd and Bob will attend
* 5/22 Comprehensive Plan Meeting for Dodge County in Juneau
* DNR Recycling Grant is due and need to get % figured for Town of Chester; residents should turn in receipts for any recycling they take in
* New website is up and running
* Town is now set-up with DOJ for background checks

**Treasurers Report** – Clerk read report. A motion was made by Thiede and seconded by Marschke to accept the Treasurer’s report; motion carried. Supervisors compared the cancelled checks to the bank statement from April.

**Bills** - A motion was made by Thiede and seconded by Marschke to pay all bills as presented, checks #27038-27056 for $45,979.06; motion carried.

**Adjourn** – Motion was made by Thiede and seconded by Marschke to adjourn at 8:20 pm; motion carried.

Chris Merkes Next Meeting June 13 Clerk/Treasurer