

Town of Washington

Bruce, WI

Monthly Board Meeting Minutes

December 5, 2016

1. Monthly board meeting was called to order by Chairman, Betsy Patterson at 6:30 PM. All members were in attendance, with Richard Brand by phone. Audience members: Caroleen Salter, Eva and Tom Curtis, Jack Zupan, and Brian and Tammy Rasmussen. Pledge of Allegiance was recited.
2. Steve Henderson made a motion to dispense with reading of minutes from November 7, 2016 minutes and approve with corrections. This was seconded by Betsy Patterson. All approved and motion carried.
3. Richard Brand commented that he had received phone call from a resident regarding the last snowfall. On Pulaski Lake Road they asked that plow push snow to the south so driveways aren't blocked as well as put blade down further to scrape road. This was addressed with Jack.
4. Treasurer's report was given by Peggy Linskey.
5. Clerk reported information received in mail, also discussed setting date for town board caucus meeting. Decision is to move regular meeting to Jan 9, 2017 and then caucus will be at 6:30 PM, right prior to regular monthly meeting.
6. Chairman's report: Betsy received complaint from a resident on Squaw Point Rd regarding plowing, also addressed this with Jack. Reported notices received in the mail regarding Rusk Cty Recycling, donation to various organizations. Discussion of heater in shed. New one has been ordered from Erickson's in Bloomer and he is coming next week to install for \$2300.00, this was the best estimate for the quality of furnace. Shared that Betsy will take care of ordering phone minutes for next year.
7. Brian and Tammy Rasmussen presented their case for approval by town board for riparian access for their property which is currently a duplex at W10024 Squaw Point Road, Holcombe, WI 54745. Discussion by residents and town board members. Right now there is one owner for 2 units and they would like to change to condo where there will be 2 owners for 2 units. Decision was if they are satisfying county zoning requirements then town has no disagreement with forwarding this application on to zoning for consideration. A motion was made by Richard Brand to approve application and send it through to Rusk County Zoning for approval decision, and seconded by Steve Henderson. All approved and motion carried. Present board members signed form and a copy of board minutes will be sent to zoning before public hearing.