**TOWN OF BARRE BOARD MEETING August 6th, 2024 (Due to Elections on 8-13)**

**Board Present** Curt Berg, Chair; Bob Miller & John McGowan Supervisors

**STAFF PRESENT** Clerk Ann Schlimgen, Treasurer Meri McKinney

**CALL TO ORDER** - Chair Curt Berg called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m. The meeting was properly posted on the website and at the Town Hall. The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Motion by John for a consensus approval of last month’s meeting minutes, treasurer’s report, and vouchers, seconded by Bob; minutes, treasurer’s reports, and vouchers approved.

We received a bid from the County for fixing the water problems on the end of Drectrah road. After discussion, John motioned to table the bid to get more information about how the county intends to fix and to get a quote from Gehrke excavating. Bob seconded the motion to table for now. All in favor, motion tabled, and Curt will work on getting more information.

We received a bid from Scotts to fix the damage done by one of the residents on Bostwick Road. Discussion was had. This road was just redone in 2023. The bid is shy of $5900 if done when Scott’s come in August or $3000 more if they have to bring equipment at a later date. John motioned to have Scott’s fix when here, Bob seconded motion. Motion carried. Curt will call our town lawyer to see how we can bill resident.

A parking ordinance was presented to the board. We have been having trouble in a couple areas with long term parking on the streets. The board wanted the ordinance to be amended to say no longer than 4 hours. No parking signs will be placed where needed. Bob motioned to the approve ordinance, John seconded. Ordinance will be signed by Curt and then posted in the paper, website and at the town hall.

Road Report – Gary had to have the Boom sensor on mower fixed. Working with county on how to fix Puent Road. Talked about gopher problems at the park and the mole problem around the cemetery.

The new automatic shut off faucets are installed at the park.

Curt mentioned to the board members to check out the fall convetion and learnings in the WTA magazine. Thinks they are helpful to attend.

Ride across Wisconsin is the weekend of August 17 & 18 through Barre.

Curt motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:15, John seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Ann Schlimgen Clerk – Town of Barre