

TOWN OF LAKESIDE

Regular Board Meeting May 9th, 2023.

1.Meeting: Called to order by Chairman Scott Luostari at 6:31 pm.

2.Roll Call: Present: Nova Nordrum, Mark Saari, Tom Schnepfer, Michael Schnautz, Lance Olson, Supervisor Gerald Tutor, Supervisor Mary Peterson, Chairman Scott Luostari, Clerk Ruth Ann Schnepfer, and Treasurer Joanne O'Hara.

3.County Board: Scott-Tomorrow-Zoning working on the camping ordinance, reclamation plans. May 18th-County Board, 2 members resigning. Transportation-last Wednesday- Highways G & Y to be pulverized and repaved starting in May, Highway U in August, nothing new on highway 13. Transportation meeting-improvement capital lists were presented for equipment, etc.1.7 million requested for Highway Department: to include new roof on the Hawthorne garage, plow truck, 2 new pickups and a roller motorized snowblower, may not get all that is needed. They are still short 4 maintenance workers. Admin-the administrator is on a month-to-month basis, until they figure out if they are going to refill the position or go another direction.

4.Town Board Report: Road Survey was a couple of weeks ago, they should have looked at the undermining of the Halkett Bridge.

5.Approval of Minutes: Mary motioned to approve the April 11th regular meeting minutes and the road survey minutes, Gerald seconded, carried 6:40 pm.

6.Treasurer report: Joanne presented, April bills balanced, but due to access issues, she will present the account balances next month.

7.Approval of April bills: Mary motioned to approve the April checks 24066-24113 + EFTs as presented, Gerald seconded, carried 6:41 pm.

8.Approval of May bills for payment: Mary motioned to pay the May bills, checks 24117-24137 Gerald seconded, carried 6:42 pm.

9.Correspondence:

1) Sheriff report

Department and Committee reports

10. Fire Department: Nova-The new members are in their last week of training, looking to get them new gear. Wascott had recent electric vehicle training: 3 cars, 3 different scenarios, was a good training experience. The worst part of electric cars is there are so many variants, could take up to 30,000 gallons of water and 24-48 hours to put out. The association just sponsored a recruitment and retention training. Lake Nebagamon has a grant writer; they are going to start working on a county wide grant for the new radios. Hawthorne has an ambulance at the station again. FD pharmacy orders can now go through the Mayo discount site which will be more cost effective, especially on Narcan, epi pens etc. WISCOM- still discussing, could take 5-7 years for completion, not sure exactly where in the state they are starting yet. Douglas Counties is one of the busiest areas. The call center staffing is getting better, although they did have issues during the snowstorms. Mutual aid is getting tougher and tougher on the fire area that is covered. Medical falls under a totally different category, our agreement does not cover medical. April 30 was the Superior pancake feed, had a good turnout. The FD just lost a key member; Tracy Ruppe. Tracy had been a part of the FD since 2008 and currently was 2nd assistant chief as well as having served as Clerk and Treasurer of the town board. She was also a huge help at the County level as well. The funeral to be held Monday at Our Saviors Lutheran Church, visitation 10 am, service at 11 am. The burial will take place at the Orienta cemetery. Looking at getting the Honor Guard. Lakeside will be escorting from the funeral home to the church and then out to the cemetery. Other local FD's and EMs to have equipment as well. She will be missed.

11. Town Employees and roads: Mark-grading, beaver problems on Camp Road again in 3 different places. He tried to pull some ditches, but all it did was make a muddy mess, so he had to fix that. The final bridge aid for the SVL has been turned in. 1 large culvert needs replacing on Camp Road, could potentially qualify for bridge aid. All equipment is working fine.

12. Building Permits and Zoning:

none

Public Comment

None

Old Business

13. Fire Engine: ongoing.

14) none

New Business

16) Scott's granddaughter to mow hall and ballfield. RuthAnn to supervise cemetery.

17) none

Next meeting April 11th, 2023, 6:30 pm.

Mary made a motion to adjourn, Gerald seconded, adjourned 7 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Ruth Ann Schnepfer, Clerk

5/26/2023

Location: Town Hall, Collection Site, online

These minutes are posted as **unapproved**.

TOWN OF LAKESIDE

Board of Review May 9th, 2023.

Meeting called to order 7:01 pm.

All board members were present.

Scott was nominated to be BOR chairman. RuthAnn and Scott have completed the required training.

The Lakeside Board of Review date was set for Monday October 30th 6pm-8pm

The Lakeside Open book date is Friday October 13th 6pm-8pm.

The Town is out of compliance with the state. The expectation is property values could rise about 30%. Taxes should not be affected too much as the reevaluation will make the equalized value more true.

Gerald made a motion to adjourn the Board of Review until 6pm on October 30th, Mary seconded, adjourned 7:15 pm.