

MINUTES NOT YET APPROVED

Lenroot Town Board Meeting
Lenroot Town Hall
12215 N US Hwy 63, Hayward WI
Monday, January 08, 2024 @6:30 Pm

PRESENT: Chairman Christians, Supervisor Jack Sjostrom, Supervisor Jason Sjostrom, Supervisor Bandow, Carol Stone, Clerk, Rebecca Brunner-Stroede, Treasurer

Absent: Supervisor Ronald Poppe

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIENCE:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: December 11, 2023, Regular Lenroot Town Board Meeting. Chairman Christians made a motion to approve the minutes as written. Supervisor Jack Sjostrom 2nd, the motion. All in favor. 4 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF COMBINED CLERK & TREASURER REPORTS: Supervisor Jack Sjostrom made a motion to approve the **December 11, 2023 Combined Clerk-Treasurer Report.** Supervisor Bandow 2nd the motion. All in favor. 4 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

PUBLIC INPUT: Jennifer Bandow wrote a letter to the board regarding the election wages. She was concerned that wages as noted at the at the 2023 Annual Meeting had been increased to \$20.00 and \$15.00 and at the December meeting the board decided to approve a lower amount \$17.00 & \$14.00. Jenni stated that flawless elections have been run for many years and all the elections workers have done an excellent job. She felt that the election workers were unappreciated. The chairman noted that they are appreciated, but at this time they cannot raise the wages any higher. They are welcome to make the request again at the 2024 budget meeting in October.

NICOLE RIPCZINSKI: Director of Emergency Management and Communications Center-Sawyer County. Nicole introduced herself and stated she will be glad to help the township with any situation they might have at any time.

OLD BUSINESS: PORKY'S ROAD PROJECT. The bid ad will be set in the paper in time for bids to be received at the February 12, meeting.

LRIP FUNDS: Discretionary monies will be available in 2025 approximately \$67,000.00, which is intended to go for Togagatic and Phipps roads.

APPROVAL OF THE NORTHLAND AREA BUILDERS ASSOCIATION GERLACH'S PARK APPLICATION. Supervisor Jason Sjostrom made a motion to approve the application. Supervisor Bandow 2nd the motion. All in favor. 4 yes,0 no. Motion carried

ZONING: None

Chairman Christians and Supervisor Bandow: will attend a seminar to be Certified for the Board of Review.

TOWN OF LENROOT, SPRING ELECTION OF SUPERVISORS BALLET POSITION:
The following names were drawn for Ballot Position at the Sawyer County Clerks Office by the Clerk and Deputy Clerk: #1 Position: Jason Sjostrom, #2 Position Brett Danielson, #3 Position Ronald Poppe.

ROAD AND BRIDGE REPORT: Mowing in Process – Ongoing sanding when needed.

TOWN OF LENROOT SEELEY RIVERSIDE CEMETERY: None

APPROVAL OF BILLS: Supervisor Jack Sjostrom made a motion to approve the Withholding Internet Payments and check #40177 thru #40209, with a total December Expense 31,695.71. Supervisor Bandow 2nd the motion. All in favor 4 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE: None

ADJOURNMENT: Supervisor Jason Sjostrom made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Supervisor Bandow 2nd the motion. All in favor 4 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned on January 8th, 2024 @6:56 pm

Respectfully submitted by: Carol Mikula-Stone Clerk
Gordon Christians, Chariman