Town of Stockbridge

**Town Board Minutes** 

7:00 p.m. Wednesday, November 13, 2019

APPROVED BY BOARD

Stockbridge Community Hall

Chairman Ken Schaefer called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. Present were Supervisors Mark Ecker, Dean Joas, Clerk Steve Phipps, Treasurer Ralph Schmid. No member of the public were present.

Steve Phipps informed the meeting has been properly posted.

Dean J. moved and Mark E 2<sup>nd</sup> to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

No public comment.

Dean J. moved and Mark E. 2<sup>nd</sup> to approve Oct. 8th and 9<sup>th</sup> meeting minutes.

A general summary of the meeting on Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> was discussed.

Manure handling: Ken expressed concerns about identifying trucking companies. Mark indicated there are many trucking companies. Dean indicated a permitting process may be an option. Ken shared concerns about lighting. It was discussed who the responsible party in the event of damage caused by manure haulers and the need for proof of insurance. Pros and cons of permits identifying unloading locations and municipality then sharing responsibility for damage in the event of an accident in that location. The role of counties vs. towns on this issue was discussed. Ken was concerned about the protecting the town.

Roads report: JO was not present due to snow plowing. Dean brought up grant funding. Dean moved and Mark 2<sup>nd</sup> to move to have the town apply for the MLS grant for Long Road from Hill Road to Hickory Hills Road and Steve and Ken would look into submitting an application.

Dean moved and Mark 2<sup>nd</sup> to adopt the board's budget as proposed and advertised/shared at the budget hearing. The motion carried.

Regarding the DOR's notice of assessment non-compliance: Ken read the letter from the current assessor and the cost's quoted from Associated Appraisal. Ken moved and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mark to approve Associated Appraisal's exterior revaluation quote. Motion carried. Ken instructed the clerk to contact Associated Appraisal and inform them of the decision.

CSM map from Dena Mooney dated Oct. 18, 2019 parcel id 10734: No objection to the CSM. Ken signed the CSM comment sheet with no comments.

Communications: The clerk shared the need for election workers and the transfer order regarding managed forest land from the WI DNR. Dean shared the Quinney Fishing club is starting the paperwork to applying to redo the Ecker Lakeland ramp.

Next meeting is December 11, 2019 at 7 PM.

Dean J. moved and Mark E. 2<sup>nd</sup> to approve the Treasurer's report.

Mark E. Moved Dean E. 2<sup>nd</sup> to approve the bills as presented to the board. Motion carried.

Dean J. moved and  $2^{nd}$  by Mark E. to adjourn at 8:43 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Steve Phipps, Stockbridge Town Clerk