

Regular Meeting HELD VIA ZOOM and LIMITED IN PERSON ATTENDANCE

November 10, 2020 7:30 pm

Inlet Town Board

The Regular Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Frey, at 7:30 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present were: Highway Superintendent Shawn Hansen, Snowmobile/Trails Supervisor, Chip Sauer, via zoom Codes/Assessor Aimee VanWie, Donald Townsend and Becky Townsend.

Officials present were: Supervisor Frey, Councilman Levi, Councilman Townsend, Councilman Schmid, Councilman Brownsell and Town Clerk Yvonne Lutz.

MINUTES REVIEW – Supervisor Frey asked if there were any additions or corrections to the October Meeting minutes. Hearing none.

PUBLIC COMMENT – None

COMMUNICATIONS – Chip mentioned that Tarpon Towers will come Thursday for a site survey.

CAP 21 – There are 167 adults that received assistance for the COVID relief, not 267.

POLICE – Councilman Schmid made a **MOTION to** accept the \$6,200 bid on the used police vehicle that was placed in auction. Councilman Levi **SECONDED** the motion

5 AYES 0 NAYS Motion Carried

PARKS DEPARTMENT – Park’s Supervisor, Mitch Lee provided a monthly report attached to the agenda.

ASSESSOR/CODES - Assessor and Codes/Zoning Officer, Aimee VanWie provides a report each month and is available online and attached to the agenda packet.

INFORMATION OFFICE – Publicity/Tourism Director, Adele Burnett provides a detailed monthly report online and is attached to agenda packet. In addition to past events and information about her department, this report will detail upcoming events.

HIGHWAY - Superintendent Hansen’s report provided is as follows:

We are now on our winter hours. 5 days a week 6AM to 2:30PM

Hauled garbage and recyclables

Plowed and sanded

Pushed up sand in shed

Blew leaves on Uncas Rd, Townsend Trail and Tobie Trail

Raked a portion of Uncas Rd.

Hung plow frames and got trucks ready to plow snow

Assisted the Trails team with putting up snow fence for snowmobile trails

Worked on our new facility. I moved into my new office. Currently working on lights on the building. Boiler is hung on the wall, which is going to be the priority as soon as we finish the project in the park.

Hoping to have functioning garage doors soon.

Listed our surplus item/vehicles on Auctions International. We have a bid of \$1500.00 for the green pick-up, which I would say sell. We have a bid for \$135.00 for the wing. I say reject the bid. Wanted more like \$1500-\$2,000. The police car has a final bid of \$6200.

Coming up

Haul garbage and recyclables

Plow and sand

Finish up water mitigation project in the park

Finish blowing leaves on Uncas Rd and rake rest of the road

Get equipment ready for winter

TRANSFER STATION

Open 4 days a week from 8AM to 11:45AM and 1PM to 6:45PM Closed on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday

Place is clean and orderly.

Working on getting bailed plastics shipped out.

TOWN CLERK - Reported revenues for the month of October. Town Clerk asked to use \$4200 of the balance left in beautification to buy pole decorations, banners and other decorations to really decorate the Town. With everything going on, it might help lift spirits. She pointed out that we did not spend firework money either this year. Also mentioned that she would like to start a "lights in the park" walkway with Christmas decorations throughout Arrowhead Park. Mentioned maybe local businesses would donate a decoration to sponsor with their name next to it. Some discussion followed.

Supervisor Frey made a **MOTION** to spend \$1550 on pole decorations and banners this year. Councilman Levi **SECONDED**.

5 AYES 0 NAYS **MOTION CARRIED**

SUPERVISOR –

The TOWN tax rate is not increasing, therefore, if your assessment stays the same so will your taxes. Councilman Schmid made a **MOTION** to file a Tax Cap Override just in case. With some New York State

calculations, they have determined in the past that we needed to pass this. Councilman Brownsell **SECONDED** the motion.

Town Clerk polled the Board

Councilman Brownsell AYE

Councilman Townsend AYE

Councilman Levi AYE

Councilman Schmid AYE

Supervisor Frey AYE

5 AYES 0 NAYS **MOTION CARRIED**

Supervisor Frey stated that at this point the County is at a 1.5% increase. The County employees are not getting a COLA increase, however, will be getting Merit. At this point South Shore Road is still on schedule to be done with County project funds.

TRAILS - Chip Sauer said he would like to buy a new side by side groomer. Feels it is needed for some of the inner trails that are difficult to groom adequately. The question was asked if it would make FX Matts Trail open early? Chip said it would. Discussion on different types of machines and how to make it happen financially followed.

PUBLIC COMMENT - None

A **MOTION** to pay highway bills, was made by Councilman Schmid, **SECONDED** by Councilman Levi

5 AYES 0 NAYS **MOTION CARRIED**

A **MOTION** to pay General/Wastewater bills, was made by Councilman Brownsell, **SECONDED** by Councilman Levi.

5 AYES 0 NAYS **MOTION CARRIED**

All business having come before this Board, Supervisor Frey made the **MOTION** to adjourn the meeting at 8:31 pm. Councilman Brownsell **SECONDED**.

Next regular meeting will be held December 8, 2020 at 7:30.

Respectfully submitted,

Yvonne Lutz, Town Clerk