

The Town of Sturgeon Bay called its monthly meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. on Monday July 1, 2019, at the Arle Memorial Hall (Former Knights of Columbus Hall), Chairman Dan Cihlar presiding.

Roll call indicated the following Board members present: Chairman Dan Cihlar, Supervisor Paul Skup, Supervisor Carol Schuster, and Clerk Nancy Anschutz.

Meeting minutes from the June meeting were read. A motion to approve the minutes as read was made by Chairman Cihlar, 2nd by Supervisor Skup.

Treasurer's report:

Checking	\$130,757.10
Savings	\$22,571.21

A motion to approve the Treasurer's Report was made by Supervisor Schuster, 2nd by Supervisor Skup.

Old Business:

Roads/Signs –

- Supervisor Schuster raised a question “are there plans to grade Buffalo Ridge Road, in dire need”? Garbage on Buffalo Ridge Trail has been removed.
- Large construction machinery remains at Winnebago Drive from a riprap project. What is status? Chairman Cihlar will contact the contractor for an answer.
- No update on the Tagge Road repaving project. Expect completion in August.
- All crack sealing projects and spray patch on SLMD have been completed by Fahrner.
- City of Sturgeon Bay will be billed for 50% of the cracking sealing project on 18th Avenue.
- Ditch mowing expected mid-July.

Zoning/Permit Issues – None

New Business:

- Clerk Anschutz passed out contact info for shoreline erosion assistance with phone numbers.
- A fund drive from Wisconsin Humane Society was reviewed. Following discussion, the Board asked the clerk to make contact with the local campus and invite a representative to the next Town Board meeting. Questions raised were “are the funds contributed keep local and what is current procedure if a Board member takes in stray dogs”?
- Brush removal at Portage Park – Jeff Feuerstein reported there is brush piled at the south end of Portage Park. If Mr. Feuerstein can transport the pile to the parking lot, he should contact Chairman Cihlar and arrangements will be made with the County to pick up the pile of brush.

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County Board Update: Sue Kohout was not available for a report on County Board activity.

Public Discussion: Bill Utley reported the Tall Ships are scheduled to depart Sturgeon Bay on Tuesday, July 30th transiting the ship canal, however, there will not be a departure schedule. He also reported about 30 ft. of beach has been lost in the area of the Canal Park.

Rich Propsom reported there is a TV set on Canal Road/Cty. Road T just north of Zenith. County Roads are maintained by the County Hwy Dept.

Mr. Propsom advised there is a 50 ft. patch of Japanese Knot Weed on Sturgeon Blvd and this plant is listed on the Towns "Invasive Ordinance". He asked the Town to make arrangements to treat this invasive.

Mr. Propsom alerted the Town Board that encroachment on Sturgeon Blvd has not been resolved. Following discussion, it was suggested the Clerk send a letter to property owner asking them to remove personal property from the town right-of-way on Sturgeon Blvd. Clerk Anschutz will reach out to WTA for a recommendation how to proceed.

Other Correspondence: None

Following the review and payment of bills, a motion was made by Chairman Cihlar, 2nd by Supervisor Schuster to adjourn at 8:10 p.m. Motion was approved and carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Anschutz, Town Clerk