TOWN OF HELVETIA MINUTES For May 3rd, 2021

The regular meeting of the Town Board was held at the Town Hall, and was called to order by Chairman, Calvin Preuss at 7:00 PM. All Town board members were present. One town resident was also in attendance.

The Board cited the Pledge of Allegiance.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Doug Hines, Clerk, and approved with a motion by Gary Chich, 2nd by Jeff Oppor. Town bills were approved and paid with a motion by Gary Chich, 2nd by Jeff Oppor.

The Financial and Treasurers reports were given and approved with a motion by Jeff Oppor, 2nd by Gary Chich.

NEW BUSINESS:

Taylor Sorenson from Waupaca County Recycling was present to answer any questions and voice her concerns about the towns new garbage pickup program. She answered some questions by the board and will get back to the board about the number of potential pickup stops in the Town.

The culvert on Willard Road should be replaced this week. Garbage pickup along Hwy GG is being done.

Discussion about the cost of new Fire Number signs and the cost of installation was brought up. Then a motion was made by Jeff Oppor, 2nd by Gary Chich, to change the amount charged from \$30.00 to \$50.00 for each sign. And if not paid, the amount will be added as a special assessment to the property owners tax bill.

A poll worker Ordinance was posted to allow a split shift for poll workers on election days. Ordinance #05-03-21 was approved with a motion by Jeff Oppor, 2nd by Gary Chich and will go into effect after published in the local newspaper.

Chad Bestul was present to ask the board if they could pay for part of his snowplowing blades starting next year. A motion was made by Gary Chich, 2nd by Jeff Oppor to approve cost sharing with Mr Bestul on the snowplowing blades.

Tires from Netzler Rd were pickup up and 4 new signs put up by the Chairman. A Dunn's number has been applied for and received making it possible to receive funds from the federal government.

Bids for Swamp Road construction were opened from Chad Bestul Construction and Waupaca County Hwy Department. A motion was made by Jeff Oppor, 2nd by Gary Chich to accept the bid from Waupaca County Hwy Dept. However, after the bid was reviewed more thoroughly, Jeff Oppor made a motion to retract his previous motion and was 2nd by Gary Chich. Then a motion was made by Jeff Oppor, 2nd by Gary Chich to accept the bid from Chad Bestul Construction.

A motion was made by Jeff Oppor, 2nd by Gary Chich to have Kathy Quinlan strip and rewax the floor in the Town Hall.

PUBLIC INPUT:

None.

Next meeting Monday, June 7th, 2021 at 7:00PM

A motion to adjourn was made by Gary Chich, 2nd by Jeff Oppor.

Meeting Adjourned. Doug Hines, Clerk