

Town of Mekan Regular Town Meeting at Mekan Town Hall

1561 Evergreen Montello WI 53949

Meeting date of August 17th, 2016

Meeting called to order at 7:02pm with pledge of allegiance. Present Mike Raddatz, Nancy Reuter, Caroline Gemoll, Irene Palmer, Ernie Pulvermacher, Marge Breivogel. Jeff Fimreite is absent.

Minutes of July 12th, 2016 read by Caroline Gemoll. Motion to accept minutes as read by Nancy Reuter, 2nd by Nancy Reuter. Passed

Financial Report read by Irene Palmer, Motion to accept June Financial Report Nancy Reuter made motion to accept financial report, 2nd by Mike Raddatz. Passed.

New Business

Ordinance #02-2016 To Adopt The Updated Town of Mekan Comprehensive Plan. Mike read the ordinance. Motion to approve ordinance 02-2016 by Nancy Reuter, 2nd by Mike Raddatz. Passed.

Resolution #03-2016 Mekan Zoning Map Inclusion in Marquette Co. General Zoning. Mike read resolution. Motion by Nancy Reuter to approve resolution 03-2016, 2nd by Mike Raddatz. Passed

These two need to be put on the web site.

Princeton Fire Department license application. The Fire department for Picnic license for Pig Fest and a bartender license. Motion to approve picnic and bartender license by Mike Raddatz, 2nd by Nancy Reuter.

Also questioned a check the town received on a fire bill that was on RestHaven Rd, billed in January 1068.90 and we only received half of the amount due. Will need to invoice for the other half or will go on the tax bill.

Road Repair and Service, Mike stated that Scott's the bill was more due to the fact that at the end of Town Hall Rd and Fern it was about 5.5 10ths of a mile that needed repair, there would be enough material so it should not be that much over. Mike questioned the budget numbers, in July we did not get the bill for June or July that highway numbers were not included, we received the bills after our monthly meeting.

Trees down County billed us 267.00 for a tree, Ernie was concerned about calls in the early hours of the morning, discussed that this would be rare and is out of our control. Mike stated that we need to get them off the road and if we could.

Mike wanted to know if we received a bill from Kingas for the mowing, the bill came and is being vouchered at this meeting. Mowing needs to be done again and Mike wants to call them this week. Mike stated that this was the first time he has had townspeople state what a good job.

Per Diem, Caroline looked into whether the per diem was taxable income. Has a quick book from Department of Revenue stating that per diem is taxable income, there are only a couple of exemptions where per diem is not taxable, our per diem does not fall under the exemptions.

Internet Training- Cannot set as Jeff Fimreite is not in attendance.

Citizens comments on New Business- None

Old Business

Building permits- Sent update to Board Members- Building permits are up to date.

Correspondence

Mike received Timber Permits

Mike asked if I respond to the emails on the web, advised that I respond to all of them.

Mike has golf cart permits

Election Training - There is a seminar, Caroline advised that she talked to Gary and he is having a training session in early October, Mike stated that he wants all the election workers.

Received .76 property increase evaluation for our property taxes that will be going up

Invoice from the University for seminar that Mike and Nancy paid for.

Caroline Received

Update on Census showing 688, the filers in our township, from the Department of Intergov Relations.

Flyers on Grant funds and road aids. Tree and Plant funding available. Emergency Housing assistance

United Cooperative - sent annual letter is charging a convenience fee. Need Caroline to clarify what exactly is going to be charged. We have not been charged for this fee.

Invite for Senior meals from the Marquette County.

New County contact books.

Vouchers- Vouchers from 128- 142. Motion by Mike Raddatz to approve vouchers 128- 142 with voiding voucher 137, for 51.50. 2nd by Nancy Reuter. Passed.

August 22 is the fire district budget at 7:00 p.m. at the Princeton Fire Station.

September 7th will be the Fire District Meeting 7:00 p.m.

State has reviewed the station and a copy went to the City of Princeton, as they are the ones that are against building a new fire station.

Next regular meeting is September 13th 2016 Tuesday. Motion to adjourn made by Nancy Reuter, 2nd by Mike Raddatz. Passed Meeting Adjourned at 8:37 p.m.