

**Town of Mekan Regular Monthly Meeting -November 12, 2018** 1561 Evergreen Montello WI 53949  
November 12th, 2018 Town of Mekan Regular Meeting called to order at 7:00pm with the Pledge. Present Michael Raddatz, Brandon Frazer, Tom Breiling, Caroline Gemoll and Valorie Schable.

Minutes of October 9th, 2018 monthly meeting minutes read by Caroline Gemoll. Michael Raddatz made Motion to approve the October 9th 2018 minutes and 2nd by Brandon Frazer.

Treasurer's report read by Valorie Schable, motion to put the treasurer's report on file by Brandon Frazer, 2nd by Tom Breiling.

New business

Montello recycling Mike stated that the county is putting additional dumpster for items that will cost \$10.00 per item till full. Stated that due to not having a way to dispose of these types of items they are being dumped on the side of the roads and the cost to pick up and remove is higher. Dump hours will stay the same Saturday from 8-12.

Tax Levy for Town of Mekan. Caroline advised that we are still waiting for Department of Revenue to say everything is ok she needed affidavit proof of publishing the meeting. Caroline stated that information was sent to the department and waiting for answer.

Budget - Mike stated that we should be adding the CD funds line to the budget.

The Culvert on Riverview is caving in the DNR and HWY department have looked at and stated that the culvert will need to be fixed. Mike is trying to get FEMA funds to cover some of the costs. Highway department wants to close the road and may have to be closed all winter and we may need to use the CD funds as it will cost 20k to 25k.

Mike purchased a vacuum for the town hall.

Wisconsin towns meeting stated that they stated that dues should increase around \$25.00 review of the budget we did increase the amount in our budget so we should be close. Wisconsin Towns Christmas dinner will be at Rivers Bend on December 13, at 6:00 dinner at 7:00 p.m Town brings a \$25.00 gift to meeting. Gary Sorensen stated that 2020 we will be purchasing new voting machines and will cost estimated at 3k to 4k.

Originally when budget was completed Election machines were 4-5 years out but now looks as if this has changed. We did not budget in 2019 for election machines when we know levy is approved will revisit the budget.

MIke talked with Gary and he wanted to know about the audit of Machines Mike wanted to know what it was about. Caroline advised that the stated does audit of machines randomly and we were selected this year, audit date was set for November 20, 2018.

Caucus- Mike stated that we need to set date for caucus. Caucus date will be set at the December meeting. Considering having the caucus with regular monthly meeting.

WTA website- will need to register and everyone needs a password to get information.

Citizens Comments - Don Tredup requested to have culvert on Wigwam put in. Where wigwam and Chippewa meet. Mike stated that the board will review but with all the flooding road repairs the town may not be able to do this year.

Zoning - no building permits

Correspondence - WTA each board member needs to sign up. Valorie changed the due date for the credit card payment.

Vouchers 165-183 Motion to approve vouchers 165-183 by Brandon Frazer and 2nd by Tom Breiling.

Motion to adjourn by Brandon Frazer.

Monday December 11th next Regular meeting at 7:00 p.m.