

TOWN OF SARATOGA BOARD MEETING MINUTES

DATE: Wednesday November 1, 2023

TIME: 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Saratoga Town Office

PRESENT: Lorelei Fuehrer, Chase Brockman, Roger Wilcox, Bryan Peterson, Josh McDonald
This meeting was officially noticed on October 26th, 2023.

Lorelei Fuehrer called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

No Constable's report provided.

Josh Volz provided the Building Inspector's report. 16 Building permits were received in the month of October.

Rose M Rose provided the Zoning Administrator report. Questions were asked regarding a fence permit for a resident dealing with compliance issues in the town. She will hold off until further information is provided to her.

Kasten Kester provided the Road Crew report. They have been preparing for the winter. He has been working with Doug Passineau and Lorelei Fuehrer on the PASER ratings.

No Plan Commission update.

Paulette Weinfurter provided the Clerk's report. Waste Management was hoping to have the new garbage and recycling bins out by the end of the year, but it looks like they will be distributed in January.

Billie-Jo Kester provided the Treasurer's report. Preparation for tax collection has begun.

Supervisor Wilcox will be placing an eyeglass collection box in the Town Office for the Lion's Club. He also provided an overview of the Wildfire Prevention Grant application that he has been working on with the CWPP.

Supervisor Peterson received various complaints which have been forwarded to the Constable and Public Works for follow-up.

Chairman Fuehrer received complaints of a driveway, and questions regarding a property that is wanting to be sub-divided. The budget hearing will be on Wednesday November 15th.

Billie-Jo Kester and the Saratoga EMS will be making a giving tree this year in memory of Brianna Ginter. People will be able to select an ornament from the tree and donate a gift.

Motion (Brockman/Wilcox) to approve the minutes from October 18th. Motion passed unanimously.

Motion (McDonald/Peterson) to approve the concrete waiver for Chris Cheatle, 3777 Church Ave, Parcel #18-00187L. Motion passed unanimously.

Motion (McDonald/Peterson) to approve the concrete waiver for Dale and Marcia Freeberg, 5950 David Drive, Parcel #1801497. Motion passed unanimously.

Billie-Jo Kester has reached out to companies regarding Long and Short-term disability Insurance. This will be brought forward again at a future meeting.

The Town is looking at the option of going to 1 meeting a month during the winter months. Additional research will be conducted and shared at the next meeting.

Motion (McDonald/Brockman) to draft ordinance to assign the clerk as a designee for approval of operator's licenses with questionable operator's license approval coming to the board for approval. Motion passed unanimously.

Motion (Wilcox/McDonald) to purchase a new laptop for our deputy clerk from Tech Pros Quote #58356 with ARPA funds. Motion carries 4 to 1. Supervisor Peterson abstained due to conflict of interest.

Motion (McDonald/Brockman) to approve Joan Wilson at Saratoga Mini Mart and Emily Menne at Boones Saloon. Motion passed unanimously.

Motion (Brockman/Peterson) to pay bills. Motion passed unanimously.

The next town board meeting will be on Wednesday, November 15th at 6:00 p.m.

Motion (McDonald/Wilcox) to adjourn. Motion passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 6:50 p.m.

Paulette Weinfurter-Clerk