

Town of Freeman

The regular meeting of July 29, 2019 was called to order at 7:00 pm by John Leirmo.

All members present - John Leirmo, Al Thompson, and David Olson.

Patrolmen hours were reviewed, John made a motion to approve, David seconded. All yes.

Peggy certified the meeting was posted in the NEIA newspaper, River Bank, P.O., Website, and the Town Shop.

Peggy presented the minutes from the 6/24/19 regular meeting and 7/8/19 special meeting. Approved as read.

The July bills were reviewed. David made a motion to approve, Al seconded. All yes.

Old Business:

- FEMA: Peggy stated we need identify the sites that are complete for the 2018 disaster and the estimates for the remainder of the work. Peggy will continue to update the portal and work with FEMA on this project #76776. We will continue to work on the outstanding work sites for 2018 and update FEMA.
John will call the County about the blacktop on the bridge approach at Gilman. Scotts will start sealcoating the first week of August. John will be in contact with Scotts.

New Business:

- Planning and Zoning Committee Member appointments were discussed. The following appointments were made:
3 year terms: John Hoseman and Bob Severson
2 year terms: Paul Sampson and David Olson
1 year term: Sara Tedeschi
- Building permit procedures were discussed. The Zoning Committee is meeting August 12 to discuss and will present to the board in August their recommendations.
- Use of the Freeman Town dump by residents outside the township was discussed. A sign will be placed at the entrance to the dump stating that use of the dump is for Town of Freeman residents only. John will contact Pat Delaney, President of the Village of Ferryville to address the issue.
- Al suggested the township purchase a fax/copier/printer machine to install at the shop. Al made a motion, David seconded to purchase. Roll call vote: All yes. Peggy will purchase the machine.
- Building permits were presented from Andrew Heebink and Gail Ouimet. Permits were approved.

Public Discussion:

- Discussion on how zoning violations should be addressed.
- Doug Fuhrman will take sweeper parts to Benjegerdes to repair. The estimate to repair is \$1200.00.
- Discussion on having trees cut by Zilly's. John will contact Zilly's to cut trees on North Buck Creek and Bishop Road before the sealcoat is done.

Next meeting will be August 26th, 2019 at 7:00 pm.

Motion made by Al at 8:37 P.M. to adjourn, John seconded.

Peggy Thompson, Clerk