

Town of Freeman  
Regular Meeting January 29, 2018

Peggy Audetat announced the resignation of David Olson as Town Chairman effective January 15, 2018.

Peggy stated John Leirmo will preside over the meeting.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by John Leirmo.

Andy Novak made a motion to appoint John Leirmo as Town Chairman to complete the 2018/2019 term. Peggy Audetat seconded. All yes. John Leirmo stated he would resign as supervisor. John Leirmo made a motion to appoint Al Thompson as supervisor to complete 2018/2019 term. Andy seconded. All yes. Oath to office was signed by John and Al.

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

Andy made a motion to approve the agenda, Al seconded. All yes.

Dennis Pelock, Crawford County Highway Commissioner presented project options to repair the NE project on Rush Creek Rd ( Deadman's curve). Dennis stated Ho Chunk Nation may provide funding and the WI DOT will help fund the project. He stated the board will have to make a decision by June 2018. Greg Jewell from Jewell engineering was also present and discussed the repair options also. Al made a motion to pursue one of the options. John seconded. All yes.

Peggy presented the minutes from the 12/29/17 and 1/2/2018 meetings. The minutes were approved as read.

The January bills were reviewed. Andy made a motion to approve, Al seconded. All yes.

Discussion on Gays Mills fire Department contract. Andy presented information on fire response times from the DeSoto, Gays Mills, Ferryville, and Seneca departments. Public discussion on possibly re-districting the Town of Freeman for the fire departments. John made a motion to pay the first payment of \$10,812.02 and table signing the contract until further discussion. Andy seconded. All yes.

Reviewed the Ocooch Mountain Rescue Ambulance contract. Andy made a motion to make a donation of \$1,900.00, Al seconded. All yes.

Public discussion on possibly having the township reimburse the Ferryville First Responders. No action taken.

Next meeting will February 26, 2018 at 7:00 pm.

Al made a motion to adjourn. John seconded. All yes. Meeting adjourned at 8:17 pm.

Peggy Audetat, Clerk