Town of Anderson

Meeting Minutes

Annual Meeting per Sec 60.11 (1)(2) April 25, 2023 at Town Hall at 6:45 PM

Jeremy Gronski called the meeting to order at 6:38 pm.

Jeremy Gronski went over the 2022 financial summary. Paul Baxter asked if there was a plan to use the money market for capital purchases. He wants to make sure that we have money for future equipment and would like to know if we have a separate account or line item in our budget so that we are putting money each year into a capital purchase fund. Jeremy explained that we would be using the money market for capital outlay purchases. He also said that we would have Capital Plan on the agenda soon to discuss the purchase of new equipment. Mike Lee would like to have it clearly stated what pieces of equipment we are budgeting for now and what we will be budgeting for in the future.

Paul Baxter motioned to approve the 2022 financial statement. Mike Lee seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Jeremy Gronski asked everyone to look over the 2022 Meeting Minutes. Mike Lee made a motion to approve the 2022 Meeting Minutes as written. Amanda Mielke seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Steve Rimer asked when County Road O would be paved. Jim Bethke explained that the County had applied for and did not get a grant to help with the cost of paving. So as of now we don't know when it will be done. Steve also asked about road restrictions. He noticed that the roads are getting tore up by his house from the logging trucks. Road restrictions can only be put on when the County has theirs on. The Board would have to make an ordinance to make special road restrictions, like having Winter logging only. The State Patrol would give out any fines. Mike Lee asked out the Oak wilt affects wood cutting. Jim Bethke said that you can not cut Oak in Burnett county until July 15. You can cut pine. We can dictate what route the loggers can use however this is hard to enforce.

Dave Gilberg has a cabin on Anderson Road that it's driveway is on Anderson land. He would like to purchase 170 feet by 396 feet so that he would not need an easement for the driveway as he was concerned about what would happen when the land was sold. It was explained that the easement would stay with the property, no matter who owned it. After some discussion, it was decided not to sell Dave the land. Steve Rimer motioned to approve an easement for Dave Gilberg. Kevin Peterson seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Paul Baxter stated that there are some dogs running loose and wanted to know how we can keep dogs on their own property. Jeremy Gronski said that you would need to call the police and say that there is a dog at large and they would come get it.

Mike Lee said that the dogs that are used to hunt are running his property and trucks are also going through his property. Other residents statement the same thing. There is not much the Town of Anderson can do. It was stated that residents could reach out to the town and we can document it.

Paul Baxter commented about an open meeting law that Board should not use the public comment part of the Board meeting to make comments themselves about what they think or about how they would vote on an issue.

Kevin Lewis a motion to continue the BBQ part of the annual meeting and to spend up to \$200 for the food. Barb Loomis seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Tim Harmon made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Amanda Mielke seconded the motion. Motion carried.