

Albany Township Minutes  
November 19, 2019

The Town Board met at the Town Hall with all members present. The Pledge of Allegiance was shared. Proof of posting verified at the Town Hall, Recycling Center, on the website and published.

Approval of the October Minutes: The minutes were approved with the correction of Tin Can Rd. culvert overlay rather than seal coated.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer reported \$65,320.17 in Checking; \$270,463.65 in Savings; \$84,125.48 in the Building Fund; \$55,248.84 in the Machinery Fund and \$22,563.45 in the Reassessment Fund. State Highway Aids of \$24,320.02 were deposited in the checking account. It was decided to transfer \$50,000-\$60,000.00 from the Savings to Checking for road construction and for filling the salt shed. A motion was made by Roth and seconded by Lawrence to approve the Treasurer's report as presented. Motion carried 3-0.

Public Input: None.

Website: Things are working well. Plans are being made to put together something regarding driveway permits, building permits, recycling information, etc. for persons wanting to build a house.

Plan Commission: No report.

Roads and Driveway Permits: Miriam Schultz was present to get a driveway permit. A motion was made by Schultz and seconded by Roth to approve a driveway permit on Bud Lane for Shane and Miriam Schultz. Motion carried 3-0. Gary Falk requested a field driveway permit on County F. A motion was made by Schultz and seconded by Lawrence to approve a field driveway permit for Gary Falk. Motion carried 3-0.

The Township has received approval for TRIP funds on Zurfluh Rd. to be used by 2025 or the total goes back for others to use. Also, TRIP funds approved to Purintun Rd to be used by 2023. These can be changed to other roads if needed. Salt will be \$91.00 per ton from Green County this year and 50-50 mix will be \$51.00 per yard. The salt shed will be filled soon.

Building Inspector: Brian Flannery was present to explain the revised Building Code Ordinance for the Township. It has not been updated for some time. A hearing will be held at 6:00 p.m. at the December 10 Board meeting.

Assessor: No report.

Insurance: No report.

Library: Their budget was passed. New Glarus Brewery donated \$3500.00 plus a basket that brought \$200.00 for the silent auction. It was very much appreciated by the Library.

Recycling: There will be a change at the Center. It will have its own account with all money going into and expenses paid from this entity. Labor will be split between the Township and the Village employees and purchases must be agreed upon by both municipalities. A motion was made by Schullz and seconded by Lawrence to have the Joint Recycling Center have its own entity and all moneys will go in and out of the account. Motion carried 3-0.

Other Business: Building Maintenance upgrade. Discussion was held on getting new windows, new tables and a chair and coat rack soon. Other things will be done in the near future. A new computer, Wi-Fi and technical support will be done through a grant from the Wisconsin Elections Commission and must be completed by January 20, 2020. The next regular meeting will be December 10.

Payment of Bills; A motion was made by Schultz and seconded by Roth to pay the bills as presented. Motion carried 3-0.

Adjournment: A motion was made by Lawrence and seconded by Roth to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried 3-0.

Bonnie Zee, Clerk