

La Crescent Township
Monthly Meeting Minutes
February 14, 2022

Final Approved

Township Board Members Present:

Bob Schuldt	Jason Wieser	Wayne Oliver-absent
Roy Lemke	Tom Tornstrom	Karen Schuldt
Josie Bartsch - Treasurer		

Chairman Bob Schuldt called the February monthly meeting to order at 7:00PM. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all present. Clerk Karen Schuldt took the roll call.

4. Approval of Agenda: **Jason Wieser made a motion to approve the agenda as presented, Roy Lemke seconded, motion carried.**

5. Minutes of January 10, 2022 Regular Meeting: **Tom Tornstrom made a motion to approve the minutes as presented, Jason Wieser, motion carried.**

6. Visitors/Speakers to Address the Board: Gary Hougom Hilltopper Refuse & Recycle addressed the board that they have not billed for billing services on the refuse end of the contract. The contract that was signed was for semi-annual billing and the proposal was for annual billing. An option would be to add it into the cart fee to the residences. Following discussion Gary will take a look at options and bring it back to the board for the March meeting.

7. Treasurers Report: Received tax settlement check. **Tom Tornstrom made a motion to approve the treasurers reported as presented, Jason Wieser seconded, motion carried.**

8. Clerk Report: Annual Election is Tuesday; March 8th voting hours are from 4-8 pm at Town Hall. Supervisor C- Tom Tornstrom (filed) and Supervisor E (write-in) and Clerk Karen Schuldt (filed). The annual meeting will start at 8:15pm at the La Crescent Community Center and the election canvassing board will meet immediately after. Board received a thank you card from the Houston County Historical Society for the annual meeting donation.

9. Other or Old Business:

- Tom mentioned he met with the city in reference to adding technology to the community center room. Possibly adding a podium, speakers and monitors with a cost of somewhere between \$7,000 and \$16,000. The ARPA federal funds should meet the criteria and the city asked if we would be interested in sharing the costs. Tom will bring the quotes back to the board.

10. Supervisors Report:

Roy: Questions from Doug Goede. Doug would like to wash the plow truck but is waiting for warmer days so he can wash it outside to not fill up the holding tank. Questioned if the pressure washer attachment works to go under the truck.

Jason: Crescent Hills has 8 or 9 lots that have applied for building permits. One of the lots was denied by the county zoning, the remaining lot owners withdrew their applications at this point. Jason is concerned that these lot owners may apply to be annexed into the city due to the zoning changes at the county level. After further discussion the board directed Jason to reach out to our township attorney Greg to see if there is anything the town board can do to assist them do to the fact that they had purchased the properties prior to any zoning changes that would have allowed them to build.

Tom: No report this month.

Bob: Plow drivers are doing a great job.

11. Bills for Audit: **Jason Wieser made a motion to accept the bills as presented, Roy Lemke, motion carried.**

12. Adjournment: **Roy Lemke made a motion to adjourn at approximately 7:46 pm, Tom Tornstrom seconded, motion carried.**

Respectfully Submitted,
Karen Schuldt, clerk