Matt Morrow Preston Chairman

Supervisors:

Larry Gasinieca, Daric Smith



# PRESTON TOWN BOARD MEETING MINUTES

## 11/3/2021 @ 7:00 P.M. PRESTON TOWN HALL

1801 11TH AVENUE, FRIENDSHIP

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Morrow at 7:05 P.M.

The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Motion by Gasienica/Morrow to approve the agenda, motion carried by voice vote.

Motion by Gasienica/Morrow to approve the minutes from October 6, 2021 Meeting, motion carried by voice vote.

#### Old Business

Curbside Pickup/Transfer Site: Morrow reported on the transfer site. He spoke with Steve regarding recycling. Steckelberg received voicemail from Badgerland Clark Disposal asking if they can send a bid for the township curbside pickup, Morrow agreed it was a good idea to receive a couple bids. Citizen comments were had. Gasienica reported that the Solid Waste Committee is still waiting to meet the new director.

Levy Penalty Update & Petition: Morrow brought a petition along, anyone is able to sign if anyone wants to. Caldwell reported no new updates. Citizen comments on the petition being circulated throughout the township. Anyone is more than welcome to take on this duty. Everyone is able to sign, non-residents included.

Appoint Fire District Representative: Morrow reported the need for a representative. Morrow appointed Gasienica as the new Adams Fire District Representative for Preston Township.

### **New Business**

Adams County LRIP Funding Application: Morrow explained what LRIP is about to the citizens. He added the project from 13th drive to HWY 21, to need new asphalt.

County Sand/Salt: Morrow suggested the township keep 600 ton on standby from Adams County. Gasienica/Morrow motion to keep 600 ton on standby from the county, motion carried by voice vote.

Schedule Hearing and Special Town Meeting: Morrow reported on initial budget workshop results. He stated which projects he would prefer to see in the 2022 budget. The Town board scheduled another Budget Workshop for November 10th, 2021 at 5:15 p.m. and had discussion on the process after the Budget Workshop with citizens. A Special Town Meeting was not scheduled, waiting for the Budget Workshop to be finished.

## Reports

Big Roche-A-Cri Lake District Report: Booth gave a report on the BRAC Lake District meeting.

Friendship Lake District Report: No report given.

Solid Waste: Gasienica reported there has been no meeting with the new director.

Fire District: Gasienica reported the Fire district received a grant for new equipment and is looking at purchasing land for practice.

They have raised \$18,000 in fundraising for a rescue boat.

Ambulance: Gasienica reported 2 meetings were held. The first meeting was to discuss on too many mutual aids, part of the problem is covid related and other issues where we were out of the area. Changes were made on transfers to keep 2 units here at all times. The 2nd meeting was to discuss how changes happened and Gasienica had reports that citizens could review the reports

These minutes have been approved.

he brought along, if they wanted. Committee is going to keep monitoring it and see where we are going to go from here. Committee will receive a report on when ambulances drop offs and pick ups at every meeting.

Correspondence: None.

The financial report was read by Treasurer Booth and the bills were paid.

Beginning Balance: \$255,955.35

Revenue: \$49,085.12

Disbursements: \$207,197.35 Ending Balance: \$97,843.12

Capital Improvement: \$198,586.76 Recovery Account: \$72,229.12

Gasienica/Morrow motion to put financial report on file, motion carried by voice vote.

Motioned by Gasienica/Morrow to adjourn at 7:52 p.m. motion carried by voice vote.

Preston Town Clerk

These minutes have been approved.

Megan Steckelberg