

2018 Annual Town Meeting

Minutes

The 2018 Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM in the Barneveld-Brigham Municipal Building Meeting Room in Barneveld Wisconsin. In the absence of Town Chair Jason Carden, Town Supervisor Jeff Zander chaired the Annual Meeting.

Attending the Annual Meeting besides Supervisor Jeff Zander was: Town Clerk/Treasurer Audrey Rue, Town Supervisor Kyle Thompson, Jerry Davis, Mary Davis, Jean Thousand, Jerry Zander, Valerie Gaffney, Rita Zander, Scott Gaffney, Jeff Jenson, Duane Elfering, Joe Karls and Fire Chief Keith Hurlbert. It was noted there were 13 voting members in attendance.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

The 2017 Annual Meeting Minutes were approved on motion by Duane Elfering, seconded by Scott Gaffney. Motion Carried with 13 in favor and Zero Opposed.

Fire Chief Keith Hurlbert gave an annual report. He noted it's been a typical year. The Fire Dept. had 55 calls last year. This year, the numbers are "way up". Chief Hurlbert noted the Fire Department is in good shape. He talked about new gear that had been recently purchased.

Chief Hurlbert noted the hydraulic equipment is being updated.

He noted that a number of people went to training last summer. He said the department now has 30 members and 24 of them have gone beyond the basic training.

Jerry Davis asked Chief Hurlbert what the status of town driveway review was (as it was stated in the 2017 Annual Meeting Minutes). Hurlbert noted they would be looking at the driveways, hopefully soon.

The Town Annual Financial Report was given by Audrey Rue. A motion was made by Duane Elfering, seconded by Scott Gaffney to accept the Financial Report as given. Motion carried with 13 in favor of and zero opposed.

Duane Elfering commented that McSherry-Nihles Road has held up well. He added it had been discussed at the 2017 annual meeting. No further discussion. No other comments.

Mary Davis asked if the Town Board could put on next months' town board agenda, the discussion of increasing from 3 town board members to more (four or five). Jerry Davis added this could be done under Village Powers. No discussion was had. No other comments.

Next Year's Annual Meeting Date will be: Tuesday, April 16, 2018 at 7:00 PM in the Barneveld Brigham Municipal Building meeting room in Barneveld Wisconsin.

A motion was made by Jerry Zander to adjourn the 2018 Annual Town Meeting at 7:26 PM. Motion was seconded by Rita Zander. Voting in favor of were 13 people and zero opposed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Audrey Rue, Clerk/Treasurer

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