

Regular Monthly Meeting  
April 6, 2010  
8:00 P.M.  
Guthrie Town Hall, Guthrie MN

The Guthrie Town Board met at the hall at 8:00 on April 6, 2010 with Russ Nickerson, Michael Schmidt, Roger Corson, Amanda Lofthus, Rebecca Beevor and Andrew Haman present. The Minutes from last months' meeting were approved as read. The Treasurer gave the month's Financial Report of \$68,217.54 in the General Fund and \$4638.61 in the Cemetery Fund with receipts of \$3.41.

Andrew has agreed to doing light maintenance for the township again this year. He has been asked to spot check the building once a week to be sure heat is set appropriately, water is off, etc. and fixing any problems that need attention. He will also sweep the floors weekly and mop when necessary beginning next week. Russ made a motion to increase the cemetery labor to \$14.00/hour. Michael Schmidt seconded the motion. Andrew will keep two records: one for mowing, another for town hall maintenance because the town hall maintenance payment will be split equally between the township and Ye Olde Schoolgrounds. Russ made a motion for the clerk to open or reactivate the township account at L&M Fleet for cleaning supplies and mower parts. Roger seconded the motion. Russ also mentioned the mandatory sign and post replacement project that will need to be completed. Future discussion on this project was tabled.

The Spring Road tour took place this afternoon beginning at 4:30. 245<sup>th</sup> Street needs ditching and a culvert and there are FEMA funds earmarked for this work. Roger will contact Gladen Construction to complete it. At this same time he will also get a quote for gravel needed on 275<sup>th</sup> Avenue. Michael will contact and get quotes from Hines Brushing for mowing and Engels & Erickson for needed brushing this year. Russ made a motion for David Corson to remove rocks on the corner of 410<sup>th</sup> west and the beaver dam on 420<sup>th</sup> East for a price not to exceed \$500.00. Michael seconded the motion. Roger Corson is going to take care of the tree limbs on 275<sup>th</sup> Avenue.

The Lions Club and the Ye Olde Schoolgrounds will be invited to ask a representative to meet with the supervisors at the next meeting to discuss plans for the picnic shelter.

Russell forwarded a Town Hall Rental Agreement to Clayton and Ivy Knoshaug for review and/or changes that may be made. He will also look into road extinguishing and abandonment procedures. The board will meet early at 7:00 to accommodate the discussion.

Michael received a rough draft for the new Cemetery Rules from Russ to review.

Roger motioned to pay the bills. Michael seconded the motion. The Board of Appeals and Equalization meeting will take place on April 26, 2010 at 1:00 p.m. The next regular township meeting will take place on May 4, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. Michael motioned to adjourn. Roger seconded the motion.