

Official Minutes of
Moe Twp Board of Supervisors
October 4, 2021

The meeting was called to order by Bushard. All members of the Board were present.

A motion was made to approve the agenda. (m- Jerome Kostreba, s- John Krafthefer, v- unan)

A motion was made to approve the September minutes. (m- Jerome Kostreba, s- John Krafthefer, v- unan)

The Treasurer's report was given. A motion was made to approve the Treasurer's report. (m- John Krafthefer, s- Jerome Kostreba, v- unan)

The monthly claims were read by the Clerk. A motion was made to accept the claims (m- John Krafthefer, s- Jerome Kostreba, v- unan)

OLD BUSINESS

Road Report

The soft spots on Tall Timbers have been dug up and repaired. This area now needs to be paved.

Red Pine Ridge Association

The roadway was platted via the association plat. The Township is under no obligation to take over the road.

Road Repair and Seal Coat

The Cherry Point area, except for Paulins Lane and the back half of Mosquito Lane have been seal coated.

Riley Brothers quoted \$6,450 to 4 inches of blacktop to the repaired Tall Timbers area. We can deduct \$550 if they do not have to apply the windrowed gravel back to the shoulder.

Paul Schwartz quoted \$4,100 for 4 inches of blacktop on the Tall Timbers repaired area.

A motion was made to have Paul Schwartz pave the repaired 1416 square foot area of Tall Timbers with 2 lifts for a total of 4 inches for \$4,100. (m- Jerome Kostreba, s- John Krafthefer, v- unan)

Cartway Payment

We received a total of \$6,730.83 from the petitioners to reimburse the Township for expenses regarding the Meandering Trail Cartway.

We should officially dismiss the petition at next month's meeting.

Town Hall Maintenance

The replacement windows are in and they should be installed within the next month.

ARPA Update

No update.

Niewind Garage – Paulin’s Lane

Paz looked at the garage in our ROW on Paulin’s Lane, they will need to put up a silt fence, cut a portion of the tar and remove it, Strip the black dirt off, bring in 675 yards of pit run, pack the pit run, bring in 75 yards of class 5, put black dirt on the side of the hill and seed it, put down erosion blankets, and haul out a load of brush. The quote to do this work was \$16,465.

The quote above was for us to get a decent turnaround. It does not include giving back the .09 acres – the amount of land they have taken from the township by encroaching into our ROW.

Mosquito Lane Culvert

Paz gave us a quote of \$3,500 to replace the culvert on Mosquito Lane.

A motion was made to have Paz do the work. (m- Jeome Kostreba, s- John Krafthefer, v- unan)

Ekola Fence in ROW

As of Saturday the fence posts were still in.

Second Plow Operator

We have reached out to Shane but he has not return our calls.

NEW BUSINESS

Horseshoe Lane Rip Rap

A motion was made to have Kyle Krafthefer place the rip rap rocks the Jerome has in his yards in the area of Horseshoe Lane that we have a DNR permit for. (m- Lynn Bushard, s- John Krafthefer)

Solar and Wind Power Township Ordinance

The Township should have an ordinance regarding renewable energy. If we do not have anything in place you cannot stop them. We could require a bond to pay for the demolition and removal when these units have reached the end of their useful life. For example, wind turbines have a 20 year life and the wind turbines have a base of approximately 1,000 yards of concrete. If no bond exists for the removal these end up abandoned and become the responsibility of the landowner.

Laura from Leuthner’s office will do some research to see if the County has a renewable energy ordinance.

Review Snow Policy and Route

Supervisor Bushard will get with Fred Krafthefer to review and possibly revise the snow plow policy.

Fall MAT Meeting Update

At this meeting they discussed the renewable energy ordinances and vacating roads.

Proposal to Apply Chemical Incident Soil

Brian Meischner will be spreading some soil contaminated with nitrogen on his own property that is coming from the Brandon Pro Ag site. A permit was issued by the Minnesota Department of Ag.

Website

The website host has changed. It took a bit of time to get up and running using the new host but all is going well now.

Announcements and Correspondence

The Clerk read all correspondence for the month.

November Meeting Time and Place

It was agreed by all that the next month's meeting would be 7:00PM on Monday, November 1st.

Public Input

A motion was made to adjourn. (m- John Krafthefer, s- Jerome Kostreba, v- unan)

Respectfully submitted by,
Todd Egenes, Clerk

Chairperson _____