

# Village of Alma Center

## Meeting Minutes of July 10, 2023

Present: Ken Ristow                      David Forsting      Teresa Johnson  
Eric Olson

The regular monthly meeting was called to order by Village President Ken Ristow at 6:30 at the Alma Center Village Hall.

The open meeting notice requirements were met.

Motion was made by Johnson/Olson to approve the regular board meeting minutes of June 12, 2023. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Olson/Forsting to approve the bills as paid for the period from June 12, 2023, through July 10, 2023. Motion was carried unanimously.

### **Public Comments:**

None

### **Old Business**

Police Department: Deputy Scott Thorson went over his monthly reports. Strawberry Fest parade went well.

Village Website: It's up and running. We did receive the grant of \$600.00.

Meters & Readers: Out of 230 accounts, we currently have 200 accounts online. We will still hand read approx. 5 large meters.

Raise orders: We have had contact with General Engineering.

### **New Business**

Open Book is Monday, July 17<sup>th</sup> at the Village Hall from 1pm to 3pm. Board of Review is Monday, July 24<sup>th</sup> from 4pm to 6pm.

Tom Cooper addressed the board regarding the Village's Comprehensive Plan. This plan should be updated every 10 years.

The cemetery annual report was given to the board to review. The cemetery looks fantastic, thank you Rich Sheffer and Rohland Parker.

Strawberry Fest was a success; the carnival company was very happy about the new park and said they most likely will bring a few more rides next year. Lots of little league games, 3 bands and a car show.

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Motion was made by Olson/Johnson to change the Village office hours from Memorial Day to Labor Day. The hours will be Monday - Thursday 7am to 4pm, closed 12pm to 1pm for lunch. Closed on Fridays. Motion carried unanimously.

Lot# 14 & 34: Attorney Radcliffe sent a letter to the owner. One of the owners is hoping to start building this fall.

Buttke addition is on hold.

Motion made by Olson/Johnson to approve the operator license for Aleisha A Burns & Geri Dee Preston (The Turtle Pond). Motion carried unanimously.

Motion to adjourn made by Johnson/Forsting at 7:10 pm. Motion carried unanimously.

Claudia Fields, Clerk