

Village of Alma Center

Meeting Minutes of December 11, 2023

Present: Ken Ristow David Forsting Jessica Anderson

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 Anderson/Forsting to approve the regular board meeting minutes of November 13, 2023. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Anderson/Forsting to approve the Budget Hearing meeting minutes of November 13, 2023. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Anderson/Forsting to approve the bills as paid for the period from November 13, 2023, through December 11, 2023. Motion was carried unanimously.

Public Comments:

Kathy Leis addressed the board regarding the triangle across from the cemetery. Kathy would like to landscape it. It looks bad right now. Kathy has contacted Northern Christmas tree, and they will work with her.

It was also brought to the board that the village is very dark on main Street & some side streets and could use more streetlights.

Old Business

Police Department: The board looked over the monthly reports. Deputy Thorson attended ERT Training/Low Light Shooting. The Village was nice and quiet the month of November.

Sewer Operations: Things are going well, nitro tests are coming in where they should be.

Well #1: We are still waiting for parts, the switch.

Razes: Tabled for January 2024

Property Taxes: The property tax bills have been mailed out.

New Business

Motion was made by Anderson/Forsting to approve a pay increase of .50 cents for each required test passed to include tests passed already by Donald Hart (2) and Ryan Flick (4) by the DNR or PSC. It was also approved to include this in the handbook for any future Wastewater/Water operators. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Anderson/Forsting to approve donating \$1,500.00 to the AC Community Basketball court fundraiser. The Lions Club paid \$1,500.00 for the parcel of land at the community park earlier this year. Motion carried unanimously.

Caucus date is January 8th at 6:15 pm, just before the January board meeting.

Motion was made by Anderson/Forsting to approve operator licenses for Cassidy Gardner, Tammy Elliott, Matthes Gray and Nicole Jurowski (Mooches). Motion carried unanimously.

Motion to adjourn made by Forsting/Anderson at 7:05 pm. Motion carried unanimously.

Claudia Fields, Clerk