

## Minutes Village of Iola Regular Meeting~Monday January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021 @ 6:00 p.m.

Community Center, Senior Room, 180 S. Main St, Iola WI

The meeting was called to order by President Joel Edler and open meeting statements was made “This meeting and all other meetings of the Iola Village Board are open to the public. Proper notice has been posted in accordance with Wisconsin Statutes so the citizenry may be aware of the time, place and agenda of this meeting”.

President Edler led the Pledge of Allegiance and was followed by a moment of silence. Roll call was done by clerk Betty Aanstad: Board Present: President Joel Edler, Jim Rasmussen, Dave Harper, Terry Murphy; Virtual: Kathy Briquet, Pamela Parks; Others Present: clerk Betty Aanstad, Acting Chief Zierler, Virtual: Jennifer Schustek, Bruce Meagher.

A motion was made by Dave Harper to approve the Agenda for the January 11th, 2021 board meeting, motion seconded by Terry Murphy. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Dave Harper to approve the minutes from the December 14th, 2020 Board Meeting @ 6:00 pm, December 14th, 2020 Finance Meeting @ 5:00 pm, 2021 Proposed Budget Meeting held November 16th, 2020, Iola CDA Meeting held November 9th, 2020, Village of Iola Board Hearing, November 9th, 2020 @ 5:30 pm, November 9th, 2020 Board Meeting @ 6:00 pm. Seconded by Jim Rasmussen. Motion carried.

Nursing Home Bankruptcy update – Bruce reported claim has been prepared and filed with the courts on behalf of the Iola Utilities.

Car Show Grounds roadway approval – No update.

Joel Edler entertained a motion to accept the “Disallowance for claim regarding scooter accident” for Linda Carol Bunge that was prepared by attorney Meagher. Dave Harper made the motion, Pamela Parks seconded. Motion carried.

Jim Rasmussen made a motion to keep the Village Hall closed until April 1, 2021 to public meetings. Pamela Parks seconded it. Motion carried.

Resolution for Line of Credit in 2021 with Bank First was approved.

Dog Park – No action taken; a committee will be put together to present options to the board for approval.

Jim Rasmussen made a motion to let all old voting machines (3-Edge Machines, 1-Optec Insight) go for the Village of Iola, if the new machine arrives by March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Dave Harper seconded. Motion carried.

Operator’s License was applied for by JD’s Corner Bar, license is approved pending police background check.

- Police Report – Acting Chief Zierler made a report regarding calls. Terry Murphy moved to approve the report, Pamela Parks seconded it. Motion carried.
- Personnel – A committee meeting is to be scheduled for January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021 @ 5:00 pm, to discuss writing up an advertisement for another officer in the Village of Iola.
- Public Property and Streets – None
- Parks - None
- Sewer and Water – None
- Library - None
- Finance: bills - Dave Harper made a motion to approve the bills as soon as Kathy Briquet has had a chance to review the bills on Wednesday. Seconded by Jim Rasmussen. Motion carried.
- Correspondence and communications - None
- Public presentation to, or discuss with the Board – None

Any other business that may legally come before the Board - None

A motion was entertained by President Edler to adjourn the meeting. Jim Rasmussen made the motion and Dave Harper seconded the motion to adjourn. Motion carried. President Edler adjourned the meeting at 6:36 pm.

Betty Aanstad  
Clerk, Village of Iola