

June 15, 2011

The Saratoga Town Board met at 6:00 p.m. in the town office. Chairman Rickaby called the meeting to order. All members were present. The meeting was officially noticed.

Forbes made a motion to accept the minutes for June 1, 2011. Heeg seconded it. Motion passed.

Sherri Krutzik, 1641 Mill Avenue, is interested in opening a campground off of Mill Avenue. She is proposing to open it on an 80 acre parcel. Forbes stated that the property it is classified as suburban residential, so there could be some flexibility in the Comprehensive Plan.

Ron Killam from Stocor was requesting an extension of a storage container at 8540 Hwy 13 South. It is being used for overstock of inventory. The board wants the containers to be used at properties as short-term storage, no longer than 30 days, so that it isn't an eye sore for neighbors. Stocor has already received one ticket for the container being at the property for longer than the 30 days allowed. Passineau made a motion to have the container removed by July 6th. Frank seconded it. Motion passed.

As a result from the tornado that went thru the Town, the board is allowing the containers to be at properties that sustained damage for up to four months, after that time Stocor will need to apply for extensions.

Forbes made a motion to borrow \$205,055 from Nekoosa-Port Edwards State Bank. Passineau seconded it. Motion passed. Heeg abstained from voting due to conflict of interest.

Frank made a motion to grant an operator's license for Debra Schroer. Heeg seconded it. Motion passed.

Forbes made a motion to approve the Certified Survey Map for John Lentz. Frank seconded it. Motion passed.

Dave Ryun gave the Constable's report. Donald Gilson requested more time to clean up property on 52nd Street. The board approved more time, as long as they are seeing progress on the clean-up. Five day tickets were sent out to all dog owners that did not register their dog this year, but did last year. All dogs have been registered except 17. Dave will start writing tickets for the remaining dogs after the next meeting. Jesse Scheid has moved another semi-trailer on his property for storage, which is against the Towns' ordinance. He will be sent a warning letter telling him he has 30 days to remove the trailer that he is using for storage. He does still need to clean up the property. Ken Lewis has gutted a trailer on Young Street. A letter will be sent notifying him to remove the trailer within 30 days.

A person interested in buying a property on Evergreen Avenue that was damaged by a fire was interested to know if he would need to cap the basement of the home or if he could just put a fence around the foundation. The board would like to have the basement capped, so that it wouldn't allow water in the basement, which would be a hazard for children.

Billie-Jo Kester gave the Treasurer's report.

The board went into closed session under Wisconsin Statute 19.85(1) (f), to discuss building inspections with the building inspector, Dan Hansen.

Forbes made a motion to adjourn the closed session at 8:10 p.m. Passineau seconded it. Motion passed.

The board resumed the open session meeting.

Frank made a motion to place Dan Hansen on three month probation. Heeg seconded it. Motion passed.

Forbes made a motion to pay the bills. Frank seconded it. Motion passed.

Correspondence was read.

Passineau made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Heeg seconded it. Motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Heidi Kawleski, Town Clerk