March 7, 2018

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 on March 5, 2018.

Heeg made a motion to approve the minutes for the February 21, 2018 meeting. Passineau seconded it. Motion passed unanimously.

Frank made a motion to approve the One Day Beverage license for the Saratoga EMS for March 10, 2018. Heeg seconded it. Motion passed unanimously.

Forbes made a motion to approve the operator’s license for Dave Christianson. Heeg seconded it. Motion passed unanimously.

Sealcoating will be done on several roads in the Town, including Ranger Road. Sealcoating is around $20,000 a mile. Pulverizing the asphalt and an overlay will be done by Wood County Highway to fix the deteriorating Town hall parking lot.

Dave Ryun gave the Constable report. 2/28/18 Municipal Court: Ken Jaecks, violation of the nuisance ordinance, guilty, $750 fine plus court costs. It has been a week since he pled guilty and the car in violation is still on the property. Dave will check with the Towns’ lawyer on how to proceed.

Billie-Jo Kester gave the Treasurer report. The EMS dance is on March 10th.

Bill Leichtnam spoke to the Board about Act 134. It involves metallic mining in the State. Wood County is looking at drafting an ordinance. He would like to Board to check to see if the Town is adequately covered.

The Town has received a complaint about the condition of Kester Road. With all the rain and snow melting it is sitting on the road and creates large divets when it re-freezes. The Roadmen spent over 2 hours on the road on March 6 and will take the end loader again on March 8th to try to clean it up. Unfortunately the road will still have problems until it is redone. Fixing the road will include moving it to the South since it was constructed by the land owner many years ago off centered.

Road postings for thawing conditions will be put up around March 14th.

The State will be doing work on Hwy 13 from County Road Z (Griffith Avenue) south to Ranger Road this summer.

The Plan Commission would like the Town Board at the next Plan Commission meeting, held March 14, 2018 at 6:30 PM. They are going to be discussing a survey done with strategic planning.

Former Supervisor, Ken Nelson, passed away today. Flowers will be sent out of Forbes donation fund from the Town Board.

Correspondences were read.

Passineau made a motion to approve the bills paid. Frank seconded it. Motion passed unanimously.

Town books were audited.
Frank made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Heeg seconded it. Motion passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Heidi Kawleski, Town Clerk