

April 18, 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 April 12, 2018.

Forbes made a motion to approve the minutes for the April 4, 2018 meeting. Heeg seconded it. Motion passed unanimously.

Catherine Piatz and Ebbe's Lake Aire requested a variance. When the house at 6520 Hwy 13 South, Wisconsin Rapids, was split off it is closer to the lot line than the 9 foot. Both properties owners are fine with the house being closer. Forbes made a motion to grant the variance. Heeg seconded it. Motion passed unanimously.

Solarus would like to have a storage container at their property until the end of November at the corner of Hwy 13 and Ranger Road. They would have it behind their fence. A complaint has been received by a neighbor about the junk behind the fence. The Constable, Dave Ryun, has checked and found that there is a very large pile of brush and pallets. Dave will contact Solarus about the violation of the nuisance ordinance and the storage container.

David Kester, requested that Oak Street be added to the ATV/UTV Ordinance. The Town of Grant has opened Oak Street in order to get the trails in Adams County. Passineau would like the Saratoga ATV group to look into getting trails in the Town and Wood County. Forbes made a motion to adopt Ordinance 4-18-18; All-Terrain and utility Terrain Vehicle Route Ordinance. It is the same routes as the previous ordinance, with the addition of Oak Street. Heeg seconded it. Motion passed unanimously.

We have not received the quote for the doors at the Town hall yet. It will be discussed at the next meeting.

The Board discussed the future rentals of the Town hall. The hall is costing the Town more money than we are receiving in rental money. We have had issues with parties with alcohol in the past, so we now require an officer for any party with alcohol. The Board would like to keep the hall open for town residents to use, but need to decide how it will be feasible. The Board will discuss it again at a later meeting.

Passineau made a motion to approve the Certified Survey map for Tim Mitchell. Frank seconded it. Motion passed unanimously.

Forbes made a motion to approve the Certified Survey map for Dennis Guretmacher. Heeg seconded it. Motion passed.

Forbes made a motion to grant the new business permit for Victoria Rakowski, 6594 Ginger Trail. Treats by Torie is a home bakery. The Zoning Administrator and Building Inspector has reviewed the information and said that it is an allowable business. Frank seconded it. Motion passed unanimously.

Dave Ryun gave the Constable report. Catherine and Leo Piatz were supposed to be down to 30 trucks on the property along with the clean-up of all other nuisance items at their property at 6540 Hwy 13 South. They have not gotten rid of enough of the items yet. A letter will be sent along with a clean-up plan stating that they must be in compliance by May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018. The Board would like them to attend the next meeting.

The car for sale at the corner of Hwy 73 and Star Lane is not within the Towns' right of way.

Any missing jake brake signs will be replaced shortly.  
Road postings will be up for a few weeks yet.

The Board would like to thank the roadmen for their hard work over the weekend with the record amount of snow we received.

The public is invited to attend a water presentation will be given on May 14, 2018 at 6:30 PM at the Town hall. It will be covering the water drive that was held last summer and other related water issues.

Correspondences were read.

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

Passineau made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Frank seconded it. Motion passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

Heidi Kawleski, Town Clerk