

TOWN OF GALE REGULAR BOARD MEETING

August 8, 2023

The regular board meeting for the Town of Gale was held on August 8 2023 at 7:30 p.m. Board members present were Paul Halderson, Mike Oslie, Sharon Spahr, Kevin Duch and Matt Andersen. Also, present were Jim Stetzer, Randy Mickelson, Kevin Evenson and Sue Henderson

Paul Halderson called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. The open meeting law requirements had been met by posting and publication.

Sharon Spahr made a motion to approve the minutes as printed. Matt Andersen seconded the motion. Motion carried. Mike Oslie asked about the glamping topic from last month. The individual is getting the appropriate permits for camping.

Under specific matters for discussion which was agenda item four:

The cost proposal was presented from Kohnert Communications. After discussion on not needing them in the mower tractors Kevin Duch made a motion to approve five radios plus the license. Mike Oslie seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Under citizen appearances there were none.

Under the machinery report it was reported that the new Ford 350 is here. A water pump was repaired on Truck #3

Under the road report it was discussed that the crew has been blade patching. They have also put two culverts in. One on Hogden Road and one on Waller Lane. Road work was done in Iduna. Grinding was started on Oak Ridge. Mathy continue to work on 54/35/93. The town purchased ten loads of recycle from Math at \$175 per load. There was discussion on the closing of the highway between Holmen and Trempealeau that is planned in the future.

Building permits were issued to Jared Burt for a detached garage, Larry Osegard for a cabin. Jackie Pearson for a shed and Randy Gunderson, Joe Platteter and Bob Platteter for campers.

Mike Oslie made a motion to approve an operator license for Sonja Larson who works at Dollar General. Matt Andersen seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Matt Andersen made a motion to approve the monthly financial report. Sharon Spahr seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Matt Andersen made a motion to approve #27089 through #27123 Mike Oslie seconded the motion. Motion carried.

The 2019 Chevy will be listed for sale on sealed bids with the right to accept or reject all bids. The mower that was delivered from Serve Implement does not fit our tractor without a \$5000 mounting system.

Kevin Duch made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Sharon Spahr seconded the motion and the meeting adjourned at 8:14 p.m.

Sue Henderson Clerk-Treasurer Town of Gale