

**TOWN OF RIDGEVILLE
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MONTHLY BOARD MEETING
October 11, 2021**

Board Members in attendance: Chairman, Keith Giraud; 2nd Supervisor, Jerry Haney; also in attendance was Clerk, Rita Williams and Treasurer, Kathy Cale. Supervisor Ron Luethe was unable to attend in person so he attended by phone for the evening.

The Regular Monthly Meeting was called to order by Chairman, Keith Giraud.

1. Pledge to the American Flag

The pledge to the American Flag was recited.

2. Public Comments will be taken during the agenda item.

3. Approval of Minutes of Regular Meeting from September 13, 2021

The minutes of the September 13, 2021 Regular Monthly Meeting was reviewed and approved with a motion from Ron Luethe and seconded by Jerry Haney. Motion Carried.

4. Discussion of the Kickapoo Dark Sky Park Initiative

Speaker Marla Lind was present. She gave the board information on what the Kickapoo Dark Sky Park Initiative was all about. She noted that it was basically the Wild Cat Mountain State Park that was pushing to be part of this organization to cut down on the invasive light making it easier to see the stars, etc. They are basically looking at support to make this happen. We don't have to do anything in particular, just try and support this organization and possibly send a letter of support. We will put this on the November agenda again in case anyone else would have questions or input.

5. Public Input on Monroe County Redistricting Plan

There was a small attendance for the evening. Supervisor Luethe noted that the county did not have much time to react to this Redistricting. Most everything was population based.

6. Road Patrolman Report

Road Patrolman Martin noted that the old truck is online for sale between October 13-19th. Mower is not fixed yet. They can't seem to get a part. They are using a mower from the county to finish up the mowing for this year. He talked the Jon Muehlenkamp and in another week he will be able to install more culverts.

7. Treasurer's Report for September 2021

Treasurer Kathy Cale gave her report for September 2021. She reported \$112,594.61 in the General Fund in Madison and \$3,070.95 in the Equipment Fund. Here at the Norwalk Bank is \$44,527.99 in the Checking Account, \$29,719.81 in the Regular Savings Account, \$16,567.58 in the Lignite Savings Account, \$26,742.82 in the ARPA Savings Account and \$65.01 in 1st Community Credit Union-Sparta for a grand total of \$233,288.77 in current Operating Funds. The report stood approved as read.

8. Approval of Bills Paid/To Be Paid

There was a motion from Jerry Haney and seconded by Keith Giraud to approve the payment of the bills for the month. Motion Carried. This includes Ck# 14302 dated 9/20/21 through Ck#14337 dated 10/11/21 for a grand total of \$56,278.83 checks written.

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9. Set Date for Next Regular Meeting

The next regular meeting has been set for Monday, November 15, 2021 which will start immediately after the Budget Hearing for 2022 and the Special Meeting of the Electors-Budget 2022 starting at 7:00 PM.

17. Adjourn Meeting

The meeting was adjourned at with a motion from Jerry Haney and seconded by Keith Giraud. Motion Carried.

Rita Williams -Clerk