

Town of Sharon
Regular Board Meeting
Monday, May 9, 2016

The meeting was called to order at 7pm. Present were Rich Brandl, Matt Shinkus, Mary DeYoung, Karen Teliszcak, PWD Bill Henning and several citizens. The minutes were read from the April meeting. Mary moved to approve the minutes as read, seconded by Matt, motion carried by 3-0 vote.

Agenda

- 1) We need a resolution to support an EMS study. We need to send it to the County. We have a sample and will insert Town information. Mary moved we adopt a resolution, seconded by Matt, motion carried by 3-0 vote.
- 2) Todd Nedham from Batterman was present. Batterman has applied for grant for funding for Shadys Road. The grant has been approved for \$213861.00. The money will need to be used within the next 4 years. Shadys Road is between 15-18 feet wide now. It needs to be 18 feet with 2 foot shoulders. The road needs to be rebuilt. Some of the ditches need to be re-done to address the drainage. There needs to be 2 double culverts and there is a waterway. The DNR will probably need to be involved. We will need to look for wetlands first and may have to have some wetlands filled. We will need to pay the whole bill and then we will be reimbursed by the State for their portion. There will be lots of permitting involved. Right now oil prices are low which will keep construction costs low. The bad spots on Town roads were discussed. The worst are on Stateline Road and Town Hall Road by the Valley of the Kings. There is not enough money in the budget to do all the spots we need to fix. We need to include the bad spots with the bid for Shadys Road. That may keep the costs down. Matt moved to proceed with the Shadys Road reconstruction bid out for this year, seconded by Mary, motion carried by 3-0 vote.
- 3) The trees on the Ed Gallagher property were discussed. Mr. Gallagher was upset when the Town was using the boomer mower, many of the trees he had planted were cut back. Matt & Bill met with Mr. Gallagher. Forty six of his trees are still alive. We and he will leave them alone for now. Some are in the road right of way and some are not.
- 4) Fire Chief Bruce VanderVeen was present. He reported that there were 11 EMS calls and 9 fires. Tanker 4030 was repaired. The Fire Department attended Career Days at BFHS. There is a County HazMet truck that was bought with FEMA money. It was in East Troy for several years. It is now located in Darien. There is no HazMet trained team yet. The truck does need some work to bring it up to standards
- 5) We would like to see a grade crossing in place of the Peters Road Bridge. Mary moved to have our lawyer file a petition with the State to have a grade crossing in place of the Peters Road Bridge, seconded by Matt, motion carried by 3-0 vote.
- 6) Resolution 5-9-2016 was read. Mary moved to approve the resolution. It appoints the Town Clerk/Treasurer to the Board of Review, seconded by Matt, motion carried by 3-0 vote.
- 7) Blues Fest in Allen's Grove was discussed. It will be held on Friday, May 27. We need to make sure the park is mowed and the lights in the shelter is fixed.

Reports

Chairman—reported on the high speed railroad that is planned for Rock County. There is a 50-50 chance that it will come to be.

Clerk/Treasurer—read the Sheriff's report; received PILT money of \$216; the auditor will be here next month.

Public Works Director—working on the tractor; the flashers or signals won't work; the radio is also affected; the wings and plows are off; people are dumping garbage at Town Hall again; dumpsters are ordered for Dumpster Day; took truck #6 to Lakeside for a problem with the turn signal and tail light; signs have been ordered; burned some brush; there was a flat tire on the tractor; rolled the park; got cold patch; got sealer for the Reimer driveway; will start mowing.

The bills were presented. Mary moved to approve the bills, seconded by Matt, motion carried by 3-0 vote.

Matt moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Mary, motion carried by 3-0 vote.

Meeting adjourned at 8:50pm.

Submitted: Karen Teliszczak, Clerk/Treasurer