

August 20th, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. the Board of Supervisors of Orwell Township met at the Orwell Township building for their regular monthly meeting. All members were present.

The floor was open for public comment at 6:34 p.m. and immediately closed with no residents' present.

The minutes of the last regular monthly meeting were read. Milt Robinson made a motion to accept the minutes with one minor change, Chad Cooley seconded the motion, and John Strobe made it unanimous. The minutes were approved with one minor change. The Treasurer's Report was reviewed. Chad Cooley made a motion to accept it as written, John Strobe seconded the motion and Milt Robinson made it unanimous. The Treasurer's Report was approved as written.

Road Report:

Tar and Chipped with our tar buggy, used gallons, CRS 2
Boom Mowing throughout the month including a frontier line hang up on Manchester Rd
Cleaned ditches and hauled dirt away throughout the month
Finished cleaning creek gravel from Cemetery Rd.
Cleaned roads from a wash out
Installed a new driveway pipe for Jim Bullock on Lovett Hill
Filled holes with cold patch, used a 5-gallon bucket
Changed oil filters in the GMC
Took Western Star for a new AC line and Power Steering
Took 2014 to get inspected, needed back breaks pump and drum, also need electrical fixed for lights... The ECM module was bad and replaced it
Loggers finished clearing on Manchester Rd. for the Dirt and Gravel Project, beginning of Sept. trucks are scheduled to bring in fill
Cinders are on order

All Bills on hand were paid.

Spray Foam in the outer building is pending at this time.

A new computer is all set up and working well at the township building.

Chad and John met with Repsol throughout the month to discuss the water issues from Ayers Pad. Repsol has agreed to check their pipes to be sure they're clear of debris and not crushed and also add an additional pipe at the top to see if this helps.

The board agreed to hold off on transferring funds to the capitol reserve until later in the year, and after projects are complete.

There will be a meeting held August 25th with a PSATS Pension Representative.

John Newhart raised concern for people driving way to fast on his road. A "slow down" tractor sign will be placed to help with this matter.

A septic issue was brought to our attention by Nancy Smith where sewage is being pushed through the ditches and settling around the pipes. The sanitation committee will be notified of this.

Doug Stewart and others are getting lawyers involved in an ongoing bad water issue in Potterville, stemming back to the Repsol Gas Company. Repsol has not followed through with promises for water systems to be placed and this matter is believed to be causing cancer.

Meeting Adjourned, 7:30 p.m.

Mia M. Beebe, Secretary/Treasurer

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