Town Board meeting July 5, 2016

The town board meeting was called order at 7:30pm. All board members were present.

The minutes from the June 7th meeting were read. A motion was made by Mulder to approve the minutes as read, seconded by Kirchner.

Public Concerns No public concerns.

Website review

Board reviewed the first draft of the new township website being created by Jen's Web Design. The website will be ready and available to the public in the near future.

New Operator License

Board reviewed Operator License applications from Angela Marcou, Jacob Manske, Janell Quall and Amber Pierce. Amber has yet to complete the online server course. Motion made by Kirchner to approve the Operator licenses for Angela, Jacob, Janell and Amber after she has completed the online course, seconded by Mulder.

Propane program

Board reviewed the propane contract proposed by Allied. After some discussion decided to table the decision to next month and consider bids from other suppliers.

Air Gas contract

No further discussion, contract for rental of two tanks to continue.

Custodian

One application was received from Jamie Storandt. Board approved hiring Jamie to start immediately at a probationary salary of \$8.00 per hour with a 3 month work review in October with a potential increase to \$10.00 per hour.

Farmers Market update

The committee of community members and Brenda Hanson from the La Crosse County Health Department have in place guidelines that each vendor will need to sign in order to participate.

<u>Roads</u>

- Culvert replacement on Young Road will be completed soon.

-Davis Creek Road project:

Start date August 9th with completion in 6 weeks.

-County C Project:

Storm sewer have been installed, the project is pretty much on schedule at this time. Completion date is August 19th. Late penalties are in place.

- Financing:

Board reviewed the amount of financing needed to complete the Davis Creek Road project and the Hwy C project. In reviewing the costs of both projects they decided to borrow \$400,000 from the Black River Country Bank.

Solid Waste/Recycling

No decisions. Dennis Konze provided that there are a few problems but he is working them out with Hilltopper Refuse and Recycling.

Building Inspection

The inspector is coming on July 8th to inspect the addition to the salt shed.

Emergency Services

Chairman Hesse reminded that the Annual Pancake Breakfast fund raiser for the Fire Department is scheduled for July 31st the Lions Park shelter.

The Treasurer's report was reviewed. Motion made by Kirchner to approve receipts 880772 through 880785, seconded by Mulder.

The township/fire department checks were reviewed. A motion was made by Kirchner to approve township checks #20026-20041 and the EFTS as well as the Fire Department checks #4267-4270 and deposits . Seconded by Mulder.

Motion to adjourn at 9:50pm by Mulder, seconded by Hesse.