Town of Embden Minutes of the Board of Selectpersons July 7th, 2022, 6:15pm at the Embden Town Office

Board of Select Persons Minutes 7/7/22

Called to order:6:15

In attendance:Larry Dunphy, Terri Lamontage, Josh Nunes, Leo Mayo, Mike Witham

Accepted June 2nd minutes as written 1st JW 2nd WM 3-0

Appts and resignations-

Motion to accept Larry Dunphy's resignation effective July 6, 2022.

1st JW. 2nd WM. 3-0

July 20th 22 deadline for apps: have one in

No ex. Session needed

6:1- e 911 no report

6:2- Josh Nunes is proposing a fuel surcharge due to the high cost of Diesel. When he started fuel was \$3.39. Josh proposed to the town that he will pay up to \$4.40 per gal.,

Anything above that the town will pay the difference. The state is Bumping up the hourly rate because of cost.

Motion made: We add a fuel surcharge addendum to J. Nunes snow plow contractor for one season, the difference to me paid one month after anything above \$4.40. CT 1st. 2nd JW. 3-0

Discussion that there is 500-600 yds of sand left,. He wants to start putting up sand. Salt through KVCOG JW sent the info to JN.

Last year \$58 per ton, this year projections are \$80 per ton.

6:3 animal control- no report

6:4-assessor Shirley in office on the 8th

6:5-Planning Board. 16 permits this month, some fines have been issued. New members doing well.

6:6- LPI- all good

6:7-CEO- working hard to be good to people, but also at times needs to be curt. Tree cutting changes helping with random cutting. Terri will be putting in 911 changes.

6:8- Health off.-all is good ticks bad, covid maintaining.

6:9 Rd Commissioner-shoulders are awesome, trying to keep people off shoulders, different color lines, we got some MSVA \$ for help with beaver dams. Looking to surface Getchell rd., \$. Brown to start mowing road sides. Also doing some brush cutting on road sides, using Phil Belanger. Road side parking becoming an issue, calcium has been picked up, Perkins road not graded yet, but in good shape, the piles dropped off were extra, dock at boat landing needs for, Mike using D. Priest, also for installation, using boom truck, stack the docks up. Lrap funds came in, \$43'688 one time payment, woman from Hancock feels she pays a lot of

taxes and wants town to take over Second Street, the process was explained to her regarding petitions, Piper Farms sold, July 1, prices went up to \$18 per yard up from \$16 per yard., Mike cut the tree on West Shore, 6:11- #74- no report. Being paid \$30 per meeting. Revisit 6:12-Town clerk/treas., office closed Aug 23, training in Portland, trio. Hunting fishing books on line, arpa. Funds in \$50'225.78, still working on report. Christi covering for Ruth Friday the 8th. Christi on vacation all will be done. Ruth has said the phone might be turned off.

6:13-Reg of voters- state website opened up, 126 people voted. 6:14-Tax coll- \$17'833.51collected, since 6/2, 38 liens went out, 6:15- ECC- supper the 9th, new faucet in bathroom, Chuck suggested painting.

Public- Larry D running for representative wants to offer to the town if we need anything, Chuck suggested a bullet list of needs. He wants to serve, CT commended him for his help on the sand shed.

Unfinished business-

New Business-

Correspondance- legislative committee appointing Elizabeth Caruso, Lock in price for Bobs cash fuel., we are passing on it, market price, Public hearing drafts on line, ducks, junkyards and flood plains. Public meeting July 28 at 6, special town meeting, Aug 18 at 6, town house repairs

Motion: I made a motion that the town pay \$900 to split the cost of repairs at the townhouse, 1st JW. 2nd WM. 3-0 Adjourn- 8:18. 1st CT. 2nd WM. 3-0