

**Town of Exeter
Regular Board Meeting**

Monday, May 13, 2019 – 7:30PM

Ted Fahey, Mark Gundlach, and Clerk Sass present. Kent Brauer called to a death call (he returned during closed session).

Town members: 8 present

Notice legally posted

Minutes: MOTION (MG/TF), all in favor, approved

Treasurer Report: Dawn summarizes, balance as of April 30, 2019 is \$487,853.42. MOTION (MG/TF), all in favor, approved

Announcements: Municipal Clerks Week was May 5 – May 11, celebrating the 50th anniversary. This Wednesday night, May 15, 2019 there is a WTA meeting in Monroe. There may be more than one supervisor present. The Board members and road patrolman did the annual road inspection on April 5. Airport Road bridge is in need of repair per Green County Highway Dept. Met with the DNR to rip rap the bank of the Sugar River in the park. On Easter Sunday, Ted was called to block off Wettach Road for a barn fire.

Supervisor report: Ted is part of a committee to figure out cost of hiring paid personal to man EMS. It has become increasingly hard to get daytime volunteers. At the Annual meeting, Alton Sherman made a motion for the township to begin getting bids for a new snowplow truck. The snowplow would not be ready until January, 2020. It is about 200 days out to construct. There was a death in the township and Ted had to perform a cemetery siting. Recycle center issue - garbage was thrown over the fence. A letter was sent to the offender. Exeter closed application period for Treasurer on May 1. The Town's interest rate of 1.4% will be ending on May 19, 2019. Monona Bank is putting our account into a new interest plan that is in line with what the State of Wisconsin LGIP pays. It will be a fluctuating rate.

Citizen Input:

Kathy Johnson wants to know what we can do about the old Hideaway. Ted said the property taxes have been paid for one year and they still owe for two years. The clock begins again for the Green County Treasurer to "foreclose". The property is in bad shape, falling in – windows out. The Town would have to have an ordinance to condemn it and a lawyer to help enforce the ordinance. Green County does not have any ordinance.

Dale Schoeller wanted to know about kids getting in there, wouldn't this be a safety issue?

Committee Reports: On May 7th at 6:30PM a Park Committee meeting was held. Discussion was about a community picnic on September 8th. There would be volunteers needed in the morning to get the park ready. The committee is looking to replace a bench that was damaged in the flooding. The bank of the river needs to be rip rapped. There are a lot of DNR procedures to follow. It will cost about \$30-\$40/foot for rip rap.

Unfinished Business: Wood Duck Circle – Ted received an email the day after the April meeting about setting up a meeting with the Schoellers. Ted said the Jerome’s need to get the reports and then set up the meeting. Dale Schoeller said Mr. Jerome came to his house and gave him another oral report; there is no underground spring per another expert. Mr. Schoeller has not seen any written reports.

New Business:

- 1) Open Book – Tuesday, May 28, 2019 from 3:00PM – 5:00PM
- 2) Board of Review – Wednesday, June 5, 2019 from 6:30PM- 8:30PM

Bills: Motion (MG/TF), all in favor, approved

Motion to go into closed session (MG/TF), approved at 7:56PM

Resume Regular meeting: 8:28PM

Adjourn: MOTION (MG/TF), all in favor, approved, adjournment 8:30PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Dawn Marie Sass, Clerk/Deputy Treasurer