

**Town of Exeter  
Regular Board Meeting**

**Monday, October 10, 2022 – 7:00PM**

Ted Fahey, Mark Gundlach, Kent Brauer, and Clerk Sass present.

**Town members:** Diane Zweifel, Dale Gutman, Rick Diaz, Ricky and Bruce Kistling, Chris Backes and Siegfried Eckhardt (Siggy)

**Notice legally posted**

**Minutes:** The minutes from September 12, 2022, regular meeting presented.

**Motion to approve September 12, 2022, regular meeting minutes (MG/KB),** all in favor, approved.

**Treasurer Report:** Dawn summarizes balance as of September 30, 2022: \$548,352.50. ARPA money market fund at Monona Bank has \$109,984.27. **MOTION to approve report (MG/KB),** all in favor, approved.

**Announcements:** Sugar River ATV pancake breakfast, Clean Sweep, thank you card from the Hellenbrand family, New Glarus EMS contract, voting moved for election on 11/8 to St. Mary's Hall

**Supervisor report:** Ted – we are trying to find someone to be a snowplow driver to replace Mark Hellenbrand. Annual Fire meeting – Ted was blind-sided by fire department request for a \$1,000,000.00 to purchase a new truck. They want to replace a 13-year-old truck that is supposed to last for 25 years. This is on EMS agenda for tomorrow night. Mark – how can you not get parts for a ten-year old truck that should last 25 years. Kent – how can you not be able to get a part with the modern technology. Order now not ready for delivery for three years. Must pay upfront for a discount. Last month – one coat of black top on Argue and Exeter Crossing. Second coat should be done in the next week. Two driveway permits – one in late September on one in early October. Kent – senior center is looking for someone to work in the kitchen. Hours 9AM to 3PM. No cooking just portions the ingredients.

**Citizen Input:** Rick Diaz – bathroom facility. ARPA funds may cover. Prefab building or block built on-site, holding tanks are not currently legal in Green County but zoning is looking into allowing this at parks in Green County. Rick thinks this could be done for \$100,000.00. Ted – where are town priorities for funds. Average person uses park for only 2 hours. Running water would bring up the price. Drain field would take up a lot of space. Pumping/cleaning costs. Two stall prefab is about \$30,000.00 to \$50,000.00. Shipping containers that are re-purposed. Should Park committee continue investigating this? Ricky – we have been kicking this around for years. Flush toilets would be nice. The number one item when people are asked: a

bathroom with flush toilets. Pressurized water needed. There needs to be a way to clean the restrooms. Kent – echoing the park committee meetings but we should decide. He is committed to flush restrooms. Ted – the town budget is already over with increased fuel prices, salt, etc. Allocate \$50,000.00 from ARPA funds to proceed with looking into flush toilets.

**Committee Reports:** Mark – Teri Hare wants to donate a bench to the park in memory of their mother. Four replacement trees are at the park (delivered today) – 3 diverse types of trees to add variety and hardiness. Wish list – metal giving tree.

**Unfinished:** None.

**New Business:**

- Schedule budget workshop days for 2023 budget – Wednesday, 10/12 at 1:00PM
- Bills – **Motion to pay bills (MG/KB)**, all in favor, approved

**Adjourn: Motion to adjourn, (KB/MG)**, all in favor, adjourned 7:43PM

Respectfully Submitted,  
Dawn Marie Sass, Clerk/Deputy Treasurer