Town of Foster

Regular Board Meeting Minutes

4/12/2025

The Board met in regular session; Chairman Cullen called the meeting to order.

All Board members were present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Carol Poehnlein and declared approved.

New Supervisors: Ed Irish and Gilbert Voelker were sworn into office along with returning interim Chairman, Scott Cullen. Penny Gehrke had been sworn in; at an earlier time; as Clerk. Chairman Scott Cullen made a motion to appoint Carol Poehnlein as Treasurer, motion was accepted. Carol Poehnlein, then took the oath of office as Treasurer.

Expenditure Report: Motion Irish, second Voelkner to accept the expenditures.

Treasurer's Report: Carol Poehnlein was sworn in as Treasurer.

Equipment Report/Roads Update: Ed Irish reported all equipment in good shape. Lights will be put on trucks and oil changes will be made to all vehicles. The International plow truck has a check engine light on and will be taken into a shop to have it checked.

Road bans will be removed April 24th, 2025.

Clerk's Report: Penny Gehrke stated she would like timesheets turned into her by the 5th of each month along with any receipts. She also discussed the upcoming training for the new accounting/bookkeeping system the Township has purchased, Winstar-Win.

Penny Gehrke, Carol Poehnlein, Scott Cullen and Ed Irish will be attending the WTA (Wisconsin Towns Association) all day meeting to be held in Eau Claire Thursday, May 22, 2025. A resolution was made and accepted.

Chairman Report: Scott Cullen mentioned a Fire Meeting to be held in Greenwood, Thursday, April 24th 2025.

Scott hasn't heard about any concerns from the Fairchild Fire and EMS, so he will revisit this summer.

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Motion by Ed Irish and seconded by Gilbert Voelker to raise the township mileage reimbursement from .42 per mile to .70 per mile, as regulated by the IRS.

A motion was made by Gilbert Voelkner and seconded by Ed Irish to enact a resolution for the purchase of office equipment.

Motion Ed Irish, seconded by Gilbert Voelker to adjourn meeting.