

The regular meeting of the Beverly Town Council was held Monday, July 13, 2020, at 6:30 pm in council chambers of the Beverly Town Hall. Members and visitors stood for the Pledge of Allegiance and were led in prayer by Mayor Andy Burns. Mayor Burns called the meeting to order in the presence of recorder Barbara Smith, members Debbie Stalnaker, Robbie Moyer, Matt Lewis and Katie Whittaker. Becky Weese was absent. Clerk Robin Wilson was present.

With all members having received copies of the minutes, a correction on the name spelling of Mary Hudson, Rural Water representative present at the June 8, 2020 meeting, Mr. Lewis made the motion to forego the oral reading of the minutes and to accept the minutes as corrected.

Ms. Wilson shared with council that Chris Mielke will take the position of Assistant Director of the Beverly Heritage Center around the first of September.

BUSINESS LICENSE APPROVALS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021

A motion was made by Mrs. Stalnaker to accept the July business license reviews for the year 2020-2021. Motion was seconded by Mr. Moyer will all in favor.

KUBOTA REPAIRS/NEW PURCHASE

The Kubota used by the town, water and waste water plants is facing repairs. Mayor Burns asked council their thoughts on repairing or replacing it at this time. After considering the options, council was in agreement to repair it at this time and split the cost between the three users.

FRONTIER CLAIM

A sewer tap was put in at the end of the line at Tom Warner's on Files Creek. Miss Utility was notified and the town digging was done away from the Frontier line. After the town left the site, the Frontier line was damaged. Information was forwarded to Frontier and it is now believed the issue has been resolved.

HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION NOTICE OF DISCRIMINATION COMPLAINT

The town attorney is answering the Human Rights Commission regarding a discrimination complaint. Council will receive an update at the next meeting.

PSC ANNUAL REPORTS.

A motion was made by Mrs. Whittaker to accept David Shriver to do the annual PSC reports for the two boards at a cost of \$3500.00 for each board. Seconded by Mr. Lewis with all in favor.

BEVERLY WEEK DONATION/FIREWORKS.

Donation to the Beverly Fire Department Festival for fireworks was tabled. Due to COVID-19, the festival was canceled. This will be revisited if they decide to do something later.

MOUNTAINEER GENERATOR SERVICE ESTIMATE

The town has eight generators. Mountaineer Generator Service has given the town a price of \$2500.00 for one year to provide service including oil and filters. The council feels the boards need to allow Allen Hawkins to maintain the generators and not hire Mountaineer Generator Service.

INVOICES

A motion was made by Mr. Moyer to pay July invoices in the amount of \$2756.09. Seconded by Mrs. Stalnaker. All in favor.

UPDATES

The building inspector is making arrangements to do another inspection at Mr. Reed's business. Total cost of fines as of this date is in the amount of \$38,950.00

Mayor Burns and the DOH have met and discussed issues regarding the town. (Ditch cleaning, hole off Collett St. and cleaning the sides of the road.

A citizen of Beverly has suggested a sign be placed on Main Street with an arrow pointing to Town Hall. Council was in agreement that this was a good idea.

The Hospital Gala has been canceled that was scheduled to take place at the Fire Hall.

Motion made to adjourn by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mrs. Whittaker. Meeting adjourned at 7:39 pm.



MAYOR: ANDY BURNS



RECORDER: BARBARA SMITH