

**MINUTES**  
**Twin Lakes Township**  
**Wednesday, September 2, 2015**  
**Town Board Meeting at the Carlton Fire Hall**  
**5:30 p.m.**

Board Chair Diane Felde-Finke opened the meeting at 5:30 p.m. Other board members present: Supervisor John Vernon, Supervisor Randy Willie, Clerk Sue Chapin. Absent: Treasurer Stephanie Schmitz. Also present: Road Foreman Bob Olean, Clayton Beck.

**GUESTS**

Ron Johnson, Lift Stations Report: Both stations ran without a problem for the entire month. Johnson was contacted by the FDL Band regarding sewer connection of the large building on the front of the old Don Dens property. Discussion on whether to continue occasional sampling of the sewer line from the casino, since the information received from the sampling is not being used. Johnson has asked WLSSD several times about putting a sampler in, but they have not gotten back to him to confirm. The board agreed that after Johnson takes the next sample, no more will be taken for the time being.

**MOTION to approve the August 19, 2015 minutes as printed was made by Willie and seconded by Vernon; all voted yes, the motion passed.**

**MOTION to pay all bills, check numbers #15781 - #15785 and electronic payment 941SEP15 for the total amount of \$11,814.72 was made by Willie and seconded by Vernon; all voted yes, the motion passed.**

The board reviewed the Treasurer's Report.

**OLD BUSINESS**

- Highway 210 Sewer Hook-up: The township received notification that WLSSD approved the Tom Martini sewer hook-up on Highway 210. The approval notice also included a list of several conditions that must be met in regards to the hook-up.
- Nasenius Road: Felde-Finke reported that nothing new has been received from Atkinson Township.
- Gillogly Road: Willie reported that he spoke with Northland Consulting about the engineering for Gillogly Road. Dave Bolf from that firm will attend our September 16 meeting.

**NEW BUSINESS**

- Delinquent Sewer Invoices: The following sewer customers are past due on their invoices for these amounts: Carlton Travel Center \$1,213.07; Mary Ableiter estate \$324.00; Michael and Joni Clark \$324.00; Kathy Gulbranson \$243.00; Robin Horner \$417.00; Jennifer Maki \$324.00; Dawn Reynolds \$405.00; and Dawn St. Germain \$216.00. Letters will be sent.

## ROAD MAINTENANCE

- Schmitz Road: Railroad crossing work was done, but Olean reported that the railroad crew was not there for very long working on it. The blacktop was just pushed off to the sides and the slopes were not worked at all. Olean will contact railroad concerning poor workmanship, and about the township wanting to complete the job.
- Potholes: Olean will get a list of potholes to the county, including the ones on Evergreen Drive as reported by a resident.
- Sandwick Road: Olean met with Dave Grover on-site regarding ditching; Olean still needs to contact a property owner about two trees that should be removed.
- Blading: Olean met with Brian Grover about blading on a couple of roads. The material was thin on the circle at the end of Hilloway Road; Grover did some work on that. Hilloway Road has not yet been paved.
- West Chub Lake Road: Plans have not yet been received from SWCD regarding erosion stabilization.
- Pfeifer Road: Olean met with Rick Norrgard, Carlton County, about the drainage issue at the hammerhead area of the road. Norrgard suggested that the issue may be a centerline culvert that is plugged, he will investigate. While on-site they also discussed the piles of material left between that area and the railroad, and possible solutions. Road signs will be installed.
- Iverson Lane: Road sign will be installed.

## CORRESPONDENCE

- Carlton Community Ed, thank you note for Learning Camp donation.
- Minnesota Fall Maintenance Expo, information on upcoming event.

## MEETINGS

- Joint Powers Board Meeting, Thursday, September 24, 5:00 p.m., Carlton City Hall.

**MOTION to adjourn was made by Vernon and seconded by Willie; all voted yes, the motion passed.** The meeting adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan M. Chapin, Clerk

Diane Felde-Finke, Board Chair