

TOWN OF WELLS MINUTES FOR OCTOBER 10TH, 2024

The board for the Town of Wells held their monthly board meeting on Thursday, October 10th, 2024 at the town hall. The meeting was properly posted and published. The meeting was called to order by Chairman James Wells at 6:04 p.m. Supervisors Greg Schmitz and Jeff Schmitz were present as well as Treasurer Simon Wells and Clerk Diane Schwarz. The minutes for September 12th, 2024 were reviewed. Jeff Schmitz made a motion to approve the minutes as read. Greg Schmitz seconded the motion. Motion carried. Simon Wells gave a report on the Treasury for the Town of Wells. Greg Schmitz made a motion to approve the report. Jeff Schmitz seconded the motion. Motion carried. The expenses for September-October 2024 were reviewed. Jeff Schmitz made a motion to approve the expenses and pay the bills. Greg Schmitz seconded the motion. Motion carried.

State Senate candidate for the upcoming General Election, Stacey Klein addressed the board and shared her views on local and state government.

Mitigation, Disaster and Preparedness Strategies with Infrastructure Projects were discussed for the Town of Wells. The board discussed some of the projects and indicated that the town has addressed many of the issues after the 2017 and 2018 floods in the area. The board has indicated that landowners will have to provide waterways in fields to prevent erosion of the lands.

The budget planning meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, October 15th, 2024 at 9 a.m. at the town hall.

Updates on roads and equipment took place next on the agenda. The Keyway Avenue road project will start this coming week.* The patrolman indicated that there are a pile of trees and mud damming up the ditch on Landmark Avenue and will need to be cleaned out. The Town of Ridgeville shares portions of the road in maintenance. The board will talk with the Town of Ridgeville to arrange cleaning out the ditches on that road and possibly share the cost. Greg Schmitz made a motion to have the board talk with the county and with the board and of the Town of Ridgeville to share the cost of ditching Landmark Avenue and with replacement of 3 culverts along Kayak Road. Jeff Schmitz seconded the motion. Motion carried. * Jestin Hemmersbach indicated that the brushing and tree cutting along the town's roads are almost completed.* Jestin also indicated that the International plow truck needs welding on its' plow wing. He will obtain an estimate to have it done. He said that the Peterbilt has had its' plowwing welded recently. * The Large Item Garbage Collection weekend on the first weekend in October went well.

The Budget Hearing and Special Meeting of the Electors and the regular monthly board meeting following adjournment of the meetings is scheduled for November 14th, 2024 at 6 p.m.

Jeff Schmitz made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Greg Schmitz seconded the motion. Motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 6:59 p.m.

Diane Schwarz
Clerk- Town of Wells