

Minutes of the February 8, 2023, Hingham Town Council Meeting

The February 2024 Hingham Town Council meeting was called to order by Mayor Thomas Peterson on February 8, 2024, at 7:30 pm. Present at the meeting were Thomas Peterson, Sandi Peterson, Dave George, Roger Haas, and Dan Horinek. The January minutes were reviewed. The treasurer's report was covered. Dave made a motion to approve both minutes and treasurer report, Roger seconded, and motion carried.

HEARING OF PATRONS: NA

OLD BUSINESS:

Lagoon Operator – tabled. Refuse Board- tabled. Gravel/grader - ongoing. Rules and regulations – on going. Revisiting the town ordinances- ongoing. Resolution stating that any vacant property must continue to pay the monthly water and sewer fee or pay for shut off/reconnection fee- ongoing. Street sign replacements- ongoing. Water leak-pumphouse-spring. Park restrooms replace toilets-spring. Lagoon mowing-spring/summer plans. Truck decals-on going. Park water shed-ongoing. Grading/gravel tabled until snow clears

NEW BUSINESS:

Thomas discussed the certified letters sent to residents due to dogs being a nuisance and that he also received another complaint. He talked to the resident with the dogs and that makes a warning for them. Update on park mower from Dan is he still needs to get it to Travis and next time weather is good and he can get in the shed he will take it to Gildford. Thomas talked to Chad Hedges about replacing the 2 fire hydrants and Chad still plans to get to those and will get Thomas the cost to order 2 more so we have them on hand for replacing this summer. Sandi talked to the council about the upcoming CD with Independence Bank. They would like her to check our option including the money we have in savings to get a better percentage rate.

DELINQUENCIES/NOTICE TO DISCONNECT: The only major delinquency is our sewer customer that has been ongoing. Sandi will call Hill County Treasurer to add to the taxes of the property.

MAYOR'S REPORT: Thomas talked about the plow and that he and Dave raised the plow but we still need to purchase feet for it so we are not scraping the road when cleaning snow. It was suggested that we might want to add weight to the back to help with traction. Thomas and the council also discussed that we might want a plug on the outside for plugging in the plow so we do not have to run a cord under the door.

Claims for January were read. Dan made a motion to accept the claims, Roger seconded the motion, motion carried. Next meeting is March 14, 2024 @7:30pm. Dave made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Dan seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned.

Mayor

Clerk