Town of Hammond Board Meeting Minutes August 14, 2023

The board for the Town of Hammond held their regular monthly meeting on Monday, August 14, 2023, at the Hammond Town Hall at 1816 County Road E.

Chairman Hueg called the Town of Hammond Board meeting to order at 7:30 pm.

The agenda was approved motion by Andeson/Aune second.

The bills and payments were approved; motion by Aune/Wynveen second.

Minutes from July 10, 2023 regular meeting were approved: motion by Anderson/Wynveen second.

Treasures report from July 2023 was approved: motion by Anderson/Aune second.

\$3,044.65	Interest on checking
\$69.10	Interest on savings
\$644,903.62	Check Book balance
\$428,245.57	Savings balance
\$5,697.00	Park fund
\$13,611.43	Pine Lake fund/Rolling Hills
\$6,701.20	Impact Fee Account

Recycle Report: All Good.

Planning Commission; Met on August 7, 2023, Hawkins and Weidling were absent. Paul talked about the new ARIP program, which is similar to the LRIP program, except related to agricultural use of the roads.

Paul stated that over the next two years all yellow and white lines on roads will go from 4 inches to 6 inches per state mandate.

Agenda:

Town hall addition: Tabled - Lots of discussion, Paul will be looking into what effect the increase in population will/could have on our funding of projects for the near future.

Roads:

The county approached Paul about using a larger chip when they are chip sealing, seems to work better. Paul suggested we do 3 miles from County T to Hwy 63 on 90th Ave to see how it works, then fog seal it.

Lindsay Olson was present to share information on the ball fields. The received a quote for the dirt work that needs to be done on both fields, the cost will be between \$13K and \$15K. They do have the funds to do this work. She also talked about possibly adding bleachers at both fields as well as dug outs. Asking the Town if we were interested in helping with the costs of these projects. The board asked her for a copy of the Associations insurance.

Chairman: Fire assessment for 2024 will see a \$7,520 increase and the EMS will be a total of \$40,710 for 2024.

Next meeting scheduled for September 11th, 2023.

Being no other business, the meeting was adjourned, motion by Anderson/ Aune second.

Respectfully submitted: Linda Hawkins