

Monthly Board Meeting  
PARTRIDGE TOWNSHIP  
September 7, 2017

Ovid Jensen called the meeting to order at 7:05p.m. Those present were Ovid Jensen, Laurie Jorgensen, Larry Johnsen, Lee Johnsen, Ron Jorgensen and Anne Stitt. Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Minutes of the last Board Meeting were read. Motion made by Lee to approve the minutes as read, second by Larry. Motion carried 3-0. Treasurer's report is beginning balance \$172,672.24, receipts of \$155.88, disbursements of \$64,091.49 for an ending balance of \$108,736.63. Outstanding check of \$45.50 which makes the bank balance \$108,782.13. Ovid asked if any objections or corrections, none stated, Ovid said approved as read.

Special Visitors:

- None

Old Business:


- Todd from Pine County Highway looked at the culvert by Odey's, the County has a culvert on 21 South and North of our road, Todd said he didn't see a problem with drainage there. The only thing he saw was that it might need some brushing in the ditch area there.
- Lee and Larry removed the brush from around the town hall on Tuesday 8/8. Ovid did come in after that and sprayed the stumps. Talked about digging out stumps so it can be mowed up to the building. Will hold off until spring and then decide on how to tackle that project.
- Root Road crossing was worked on and it is very nice, wide enough for two cars to go across and no huge dips by the railroad ties. Nice job!
- Ronnie Roberts graded some roads, it appears Bear Creek Road did not get done according to Bob Flach reporting that to Lee Johnsen.

New Business:

- Saturday 9/16 is the legal seminar in Rutledge 9-4. It does not appear that anyone can make this.
- Ovid and Anne attended the District 7 meeting on August 30 in Cambridge. There was legislative updates, discussion on internet not being governed by the Public Utilities Commission and why it is so important for Township Officials to remind their State Representatives that high speeds, fiber optic lines, etc are crucial for the rural areas for their home businesses, students, etc. There was another dividend return this year as insurance claims were down still, they would like to see this continue but can not guarantee it.

Meeting adjourned at 7:59 p.m.  
Respectfully submitted by,

  
Anne Stitt, Clerk

  
Ovid Jensen, Chairman