

TOWN OF KOSHKONONG
Meeting Minutes
July 27, 2022

Chairman Bill Burlingame called the meeting of the Town Board of Koshkonong to order at 6:00pm. The Administrative Assistant verified the proper postings had been made.

Chairman Bill Burlingame, Supervisors Jim Brandenburg, Walt Christensen, Matt Hill, Erik Hoffman and Administrative Assistant Kim Cheney present.

Discuss/Action Approve Outpatient Entrance Graphics invoice

An invoice for graphics on the service vehicle was presented. Supervisor Brandenburg/Christensen motion to approve the payment of the invoice, motion carried.

Discuss/Action Evaluate roads and subdivisions for ATV use

The board reviewed line items in the draft ordinance for ATV/UTV/RTV routes. Signage discussed, some board members in favor of the designated club to cover the costs of the signs and some board members opposed.

Road routes discussed. Some areas are not accessible for ATV/UTV/RTV's, including the Woodlawn subdivision and Knaack Court. These roads only access US Highway 12 and ATV/UTV/RTV use is prohibited on federal highways. Blackhawk Bluff, Oxbow Bend and Pottawatomi Trail have no access to Rock County roads. These roads will be included in the ordinance as excluded.

To keep riding to a minimum in subdivisions, it was suggested to add a clause to the ordinance to included "use the shortest route in/out of subdivisions".

Time limitations will match the county times as no ATV/UTV/RTV use on roads from 10pm to 5am.

The Administrative Assistant will send the revisions to the attorney to evaluate and return a draft to the board to be decided upon at the August board meeting.

Announcements

The Administrative Assistant spoke about an email received from the Whitewater Fire Department regarding the merger. Supervisor Christensen attended the WTA unit meeting, elections and high speed internet were the main topics.

Public Comment

The chairman spoke with the Sheriff's department regarding enforcement of our ordinances. An agreement would be required. Supervisor Brandenburg spoke about a request to put a cell tower on his property which he declined. Resident Wade Woelfle asked for some further explanation of the ordinance. Resident Gary Poeppel commented on the county ATV/UT/RTV ordinance, referencing signs, exceptions and noise issues.

Future agenda items to include golf carts on roads and an advisory referendum for November.

Adjournment. Supervisor Hoffman/Christensen motion to adjourn at 7:31pm, motion carried

Kim Cheney
Administrative Assistant