

Village of Lena
117 E. Main St., Lena, WI 54139
Public Safety/Weeds Committee Minutes
June 13, 2022, 6 p.m.

Meeting called to order.

Pledge of Allegiance recited.

Roll Call: Judy Patenaude, Linda Hinds.

Absent: Nick Heise-excused.

Also present: Tyler Marquardt, Craig Simonson, Steve Marquardt, Steve DuPuis-Chairman Town of Stiles, Jill Babino-Town of Stiles Clerk.

Approval of Agenda: Motion made by L. Hinds/J. Patenaude to approve the agenda as presented. Motion voted and carried.

Approval of the minutes from April 11, 2022: Motion made by L. Hinds/J. Patenaude to approve the minutes from April 22, 2022. Motion voted and carried.

Open Forum: Nothing to report.

Fire Department: Discussion followed regarding recommended requirements for the firemen. Town of Stiles elected to remove sections 22, 27 & 34 (given to Oconto Falls) from the Lena Fire department service area and to add section 17 & 16 to the service area per Town of Stiles Chairman DePuis. Motion by Hinds/Patenaude to contract with Town of Stiles to implement as of July 1, 2022, the new assignment of section 22/27/34 and add section 17/16 in the Town of Stiles. Motion voted and carried. Training updates for the Lena Volunteer firemen will be send to the Town of Stiles Clerk. All fire department members must have entry level 1 & 2 fire training within one year of membership. T. Marquardt will attend the July 13th meeting at the Town of Stiles for his oath of office.

A special meeting will be scheduled to address fire department training requirements with a closed session.

Motion by Hinds/Patenaude to recommend to the Village Board for hire R & R Roofing for aluminum coating of the fire station roof for an approximate cost of \$2000. Motion voted and carried.

1982 Pumper: Will address the specs and report back.

Police: Monthly incident report was informational. Chief Herald stated the bike rodeo went well. Movie night scheduled for June 17th. National Night Out is set for August 2nd. Digital speed sign is working well. The grant application from the Bond Foundation was denied. Part-time

wages will be on the July agenda for Finance. Monitoring hours will need to be increased for the 2023 budget.

Weed notices were sent. A letter needs to be sent to Bernie McCarthy @ 725 W. Main Street to cleanup yard.

Building Inspector Update: V. Garrigan (Village Tavern) is repairing the roof and state approved plans needed and he plans to tear down the hall portion. Inspection is needed for the stairway at the Coppersmith building located on W. Main St. C. Ward will need to be contacted regarding the status of his garage.

Next meeting date is July 11, 2022 @ 6 p.m.

Adjournment: Motion by Hinds/Patenaude to adjourn. Motion voted and carried at 7:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jodi Marquardt
Clerk/Treasurer