

The Regular Utility Board Meeting of the Town of Schererville, IN was called to order by President Thomas Schmitt at 7:10 p.m., in the Schererville Town Hall, 10 E. Joliet Street Schererville, IN.

Attendance was taken with the following Board Members present: Caleb S. Johnson, Kevin Connelly, Robin Arvanitis, Rob Guetzloff and Thomas Schmitt. Staff members present: Attorney David Austgen, Fire Chief Robert Patterson, Deputy Fire Chief David Meyer, Police Chief Pete Sormaz, Park Superintendent John Novacich, Town Engineer Neil Simstad, Director of Public Works Jeff Huet, Director of Operations James Gorman, Town Manager Robert Volkmann, Clerk-Treasurer Michael Troxell and Recording Secretary Robin Thiel.

THEREUPON, Approval of the minutes. Mr. Johnson made a motion to approve the minutes of the February 10, 2021 Public Meeting, seconded by Mr. Guetzloff. All in favor (5-0).

THEREUPON, Claims

- A. APV #95037 - APV #95467 on the Wastewater Docket, Totaling \$2,048,670.76
- B. Various Funds, First National Bank of Omaha, February Credit Card Charges, \$9,881.41
- C. Various Funds, Insperity Timestar, Monthly Usage, \$611.00
- D. Various Funds, Enterprise Fleet, Monthly Lease, \$3,346.64
- E. Various Funds, Austgen Kuiper Jasaitis, February Legal, \$14,813.09
- F. Wastewater O&M Fund, LWG CPAs, Various February Invoices, \$14,100.00
- G. Various Funds, Menards, February Monthly Invoices, \$3,995.84
- H. Wastewater O&M Fund, Unifiers, Work Clothes, \$417.34
- I. Various Funds, Auto Wares, February Auto Parts, \$20,739.32

Mr. Johnson made a motion to accept the claims as presented, seconded by Mr. Guetzloff. All in favor (5-0).

THEREUPON, Correspondence NONE

THEREUPON, Reports

Mr. Volkmann stated that as he reported at the Waterworks Board Meeting, they also did a Utility Rate Study on our Sewer Utility. That study recommended a sewer utility increase, but we're also embarked on doing our sewer rate study (required every five years) for the Town of St. John. He stated that that report is not completed and would impact any suggested increase to the Schererville Sewer Rates. Mr. Volkmann stated that he is just putting the Board on notice, because they will probably be recommending a Sewer Rate Increase sometime in the future.

THEREUPON, Old Business NONE

THEREUPON, New Business NONE

THEREUPON, Business from the floor NONE

Meeting adjourned.

THOMAS SCHMITT
UTILITY BOARD PRESIDENT

MICHAEL A TROXELL, CMO
TOWN CLERK-TREASURER

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