Town of Lincoln Monthly Meeting Minutes December 18th, 2019 6PM

The monthly town meeting for the Town of Lincoln was held on Wednesday, December 18th, 2019 at 6pm at the town hall.

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Ray Secrist. Members present, Ray Secrist Chairman, Bruce Auseth and Cody Ritscher Supervisors, Kathy Schultz Treasurer, and Carolyn Thomsen Clerk. Clerk noted all notices were posted as required. Dennis Bork county supervisor and fifteen towns people were in attendance.

Discussion was held with Dennis Bork County Supervisor regarding Buffalo County board’s direction to turn County Rd XX into a Rustic Rd Route. The township was not aware of the proposal taking place at the county level. Citizens voiced concern and asked for this subject to be requested as an agenda item at the County’s January meeting. Townspeople voted with a show of hands against the proposed road designation change. Town board will draft a letter to the county opposing the change and ask that the item be tabled until further discussion takes place during open meeting session on January 7, 2020 at 9am at courthouse.

Minutes were read by Clerk. Bruce Auseth made motion to approve minutes, Cody Ritscher seconded.

Treasurer’s balance reflected $4,646.27 in checking and $32,684.53 in savings for a total of $37,330.80.

Town orders 4550 to 4565 in the amount of $32,353.67 were approved and paid.

Bruce reported tree cutting will resume following the 2019 hunting season.

Motion was made by Cody Ritscher and seconded by Bruce Auseth to pay engineering cost of $1,000 to Cedar Corporation to participate in potential grant money for bridge replacement on Schaub and Yapp Roads.

Motion was made by Bruce Auseth and seconded by Cody Ritscher to accept the follow election inspectors for the 2-year term for 2020 – 2021; Karen Schultz, Suzie Schultz, Kathy Mueller, Kristy Armstrong, Andrew Armstrong, Liz Walker, and Perry Thomsen.

Next meeting will be January 22, 2020 at 6pm at the Townhall. Bruce Auseth made motion to adjourn, Cody Ritscher second. Meeting adjourned.

 Carolyn Thomsen, Town Clerk