

TOWN OF ARENA

Town Board Minutes

March 7, 2023

Town Board Members Present: Bill Gauger, David Lucey, John Wright, Minnie Gauger

Others Present: Colleen Zimple, Matt Maffet, Tom Skaife, Julie Jensen, Ingmar Nelson, Cheryl Schmidt, Tom Frischmann, Dalton Schaff, Cody Dummer, Kathy Mauger, Tom Mauger

1. Meeting called to order by Lucey at 6:00pm
2. Roll call taken.
3. Wright motions to approve the current agenda, Gauger seconded.
4. Verification of proper public notice: TOA Website, Town Hall, Arena Post Office, TOA Facebook
5. Gauger motions to approve meeting minutes from the prior town board meeting, Wright seconded.
6. Patrolman Report
 - a. Roads got posted with weight limits.
 - b. Discussion on Helena Rd. Truck traffic and S-curve part of the road is breaking up.
 - c. Discussion on culvert needed on Mellum Rd, along with roads that need the edges blacktopped.
7. Tom Frischmann, Baker Rd. Rezone 30 acres A1 to AR1. Gauger makes a motion to approve 30 acres to be rezoned from A1 to AR1, Wright seconded.
8. Nadia Alber, Blue Ridge Rd, Ag Building, Future Buildings.
 - a. 2 no shows from Alber, neighbors show frustration in that
 - b. Driveway location was brought up as an issue and discussed.
 - c. General discussion on what Alber had proposed in a prior planning meeting.
9. Spring Election.
 - a. Wright made a motion to establish 148 Hwy 14, Arena as location for spring election, Gauger seconded.
 - b. Wright made a motion to combine wards for election, Gauger seconded.
 - c. Wright made a motion to appoint Marion Wright, Evy Halverson & Julie Jensen as election tabulators, Gauger seconded.
10. Baxter Rd Discussion.
 - a. The state is not replying to emails.
 - b. Baxter Rd cannot be done until Hwy 14 turnoffs are done.
11. Security Cameras. Ingmar Nelson has new security cameras the town can purchase and install but they are not returnable.
12. Review Bills. Wright motions to approve bills, Gauger seconded.
13. Public Comment.
 - a. Clean Sweep discussion. Clean sweep will be booked for May.

14.Adjournment 7:20. Gauger motioned to adjourn; Wright seconded.

Submitted March 23, 2023, Andrea Joo, Town Clerk