

**Town of Cherry  
Regular Board Meeting  
05/05/2021**

Minutes from the 04-07-2021 Regular Board Meeting:

The regular board meeting was called to order by Chairperson, Dave Leslie at 7:10 pm. Those in attendance were Supervisors Ron Pittman, and Loy Adkins, Treasurer Diane Jacobson, Clerk Angela Koski, and Kip Borbiconi.

Minutes from last month's meeting were reviewed. Dave Leslie made a motion to accept the minutes. Loy Adkins supported. Motion carried.

Diane Jacobson presented the treasurer's report. Dave made motion to accept the treasurer's report. Ron supported. Motion carried. Diane's report had the following balances:

**Town of Cherry  
Monthly Fund Balances  
04/01/2021**

<b>Fund:</b>	<b>Beginning Balance:</b>	<b>Deposits:</b>	<b>Disbursements:</b>	<b>Ending Balance:</b>
<b>General:</b>	\$ 219,339.91	\$ 8,081.83	\$ 2,970.32	\$ 224,451.42
<b>Fire:</b>	162,242.34	5,991.72	6,305.00	161,929.06
<b>Recreation:</b>	42,218.87	836.05	-0-	43,054.92
<b>H/S/W:</b>	32,785.70	836.05	590.00	33,031.75
<b>Capital Improvements:</b>	149,355.36	2,786.84	-0-	152,142.20
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>605,942.18</b>	<b>18,532.49</b>	<b>9,865.32</b>	<b>614,609.35</b>
<b>Account:</b>	<b>Ending Balance:</b>	<b>Deposits:</b>	<b>Disbursements:</b>	<b>Ending Balance:</b>
<b>Checking Account</b>	\$ 605,942.18	\$ 18,532.49	\$ 9,865.32	\$ 614,609.35
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 605,942.18</b>	<b>\$ 18,532.49</b>	<b>\$ 9,865.32</b>	<b>\$ 614,609.35</b>

<b>Cash on Hand:</b>	<b>\$ 447.26</b>
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Claims were presented by Angela Koski for approval and payment. Dave Leslie made a motion to pay all bills out of their respected accounts. Loy Adkins supported. Motion carried.

Correspondence was presented by Angela Koski. The following items were received:

**Correspondence:**

**Lake Country Power** – April 2021 Newsline 2021 Official Director Ballot

**Minnesota Association of Townships-** Officer List Due May 1, 2021

**Carlton County Soil Improvement Program:** Letter stating that Tom Borbiconi's application to "land apply wood ash and/or lime on two fields.

**St Louis County Auditor/Licensing:** Request to renew liquor license for the Thirsty Moose.

**St. Louis County Environmental Services Department-** 2021 Household Hazardous Waste Community Collection Schedule and posting flyer.

**Edge Consulting Engineers, Inc.** – Public Notice for potential effects on historic properties parallel infrastructure/Cherry

**Fire Department:**

- Loy Adkins gave the fire department report.
- Fire department met last night. 6 Members attended the meeting.
- Fire training will be starting again in the summer.\
- Looking into DNR grant. It is a 50/50 grant.

**First Responders:**

- Nothing new to report at this time.

**Recreation Board:**

- Rec board met last week
- Cody Gunderson is building a new digger for the playground.
- Baseball- 4 teams from the south decided to not join the baseball group.
- Need to order agrilime.
- Rec Board is planning to hold holiday parties again in the future.
- Baseball sign up is April 13<sup>th</sup>!

**Maintenance:**

- Ron reported that things are going well.

**Key Holder:**

- Kip reported that the building is being kept clean.
- There have been some rental requests – Angie Koski wishes to hold her camps in June and a September Wedding.
- Everything looks good!

**Internet:**

- Kip Borbiconi gave the following report:
- Equipment is starting to be installed in homes. It's happening!
- April 21-22 there will be a CTC Meet and Greet in the parking lot with tents.

**Old Business:**

- RAMS**-Ron reported that Cherry Township will be receiving \$100k from the American Revocery Rescue Act. This money is to be used for capital improvements. He would like to use the money to put in ball field lights. Loy suggested we also look into extending the parking lot and take care of well issues. We have until 2023 to spend this money.
- Bulletin Board**-Still needs to be put up at Thirsty Moose.

**-Building/Vehicle Insurance:** The walk through took place. We are waiting to hear from Jon Mocol. Board will vote to make insurance changes in May.

**-Hall Rentals** Ron Pittman made a motion to open the building up to rentals. Capacity is 100, so ½ capacity or 50 people or less. Masks must be worn. Loy supported. Motion carried. Rentals will resume starting now! Rooms not needed will be closed to lessen cleaning. Cheryl should submit time for any additional cleaning for additional payment.

**New Business:**

**-Cemetery:** Dave made a motion to make payment of \$1500 to the Cherry Clinton Cemetery. Loy supported.

**-Thirsty Moose Liquor License:** Dave made motion to renew the liquor license for the Thirsty Moose. Ron supported.

**-ATV/Side by Side Purchase:** Dave made a motion to purchase a used ATV for \$6500. Loy supported. Board members will determine if they will make the purchase from a local private party.

**-Basketball Hoops-**are coming. Taking much longer than anticipated.

**-Sidewalks-** Board will address the concrete issues near the main entrance at an upcoming meeting.

-Dave made a motion that the meeting be adjourned. Ron supported. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 8:17 pm

Angela Koski, Clerk  
Town of Cherry

Signatures of Supervisors:

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