

**Town of Cherry  
Regular Board Meeting  
07/07/2021**

Minutes from the 06-02-2021 Regular Board Meeting:

The regular board meeting was called to order by Chairperson, Dave Leslie at 7:00 pm. Those in attendance were Supervisors Ron Pittman, and Loy Adkins, Treasurer Diane Jacobson, Clerk Angela Koski, Fire Chief John Templeton, 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. Loy supported. Motion carried. Diane’s report had the following balances:

**Town of Cherry  
Monthly Fund Balances  
06/01/2021**

<b>Fund:</b>	<b>Beginning Balance:</b>	<b>Deposits:</b>	<b>Disbursements:</b>	<b>Ending Balance:</b>
<b>General:</b>	\$ 219,130.55	\$ 6.32	\$ 10,735.68	\$ 208,401.19
<b>Fire:</b>	161,620.60	484.69	122.17	161,983.12
<b>Recreation:</b>	43,075.78	0.65	405.00	42,671.43
<b>H/S/W:</b>	33,052.61	150.65	300.00	32,903.26
<b>Capital Improvements:</b>	152,211.73	2.18	-0-	152,213.91
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>609,091.27</b>	<b>644.49</b>	<b>11,562.85</b>	<b>598,172.91</b>
<b>Account:</b>	<b>Ending Balance:</b>	<b>Deposits:</b>	<b>Disbursements:</b>	<b>Ending Balance:</b>
<b>Checking Account</b>	<b>609,091.27</b>	<b>644.49</b>	<b>11,562.85</b>	<b>598,172.91</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>609,091.27</b>	<b>644.49</b>	<b>11,562.85</b>	<b>598,172.91</b>

<b>Cash on Hand:</b>	<b>\$ 600.00</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** – May 2021 Newsline

**St. Louis County Attorney’s Office:** 2019-2020 Annual Report

**Minnesota Association of Townships: Membership Cards**

**Minnesota Department of Health:** Drinking Water Bacteriological Investigation Report. Test results from 2019-2021

**Minnesota Township Insider:** 2021 Spring Issue

**Fun Express Product Guide-** Catalog

**Oriental Trading: Business Edition:** Catalog

**Letter from Chris Gunderson:** Requesting written response about increase in property taxes.

**Fire Department:**

- John Templeton gave the fire department report.
- Fire Department met June 1st. 6 members attended. Handled department business-paid bills, etc.
- They will be meeting with an attorney to update the fire department bylaws on June 17<sup>th</sup>.

**First Responders:**

- Epi pens price went down. They will be ordering for all first responders bags- both adult and child epi-pens.
- 3 calls for the month.

**Recreation Board:**

- Dave Leslie gave the report.
- Rec Meeting was held.
- Water to Rec Building is turned on.
- Water heater element was replaced.
- Basketball Hoops are fixed.
- League fees were paid.
- Wells were being tested.
- Halloween and Christmas parties are being planned.
- Mr Ed's event being planned for Sept 10-11, 2021.
- Peewee tournament will be held in Cherry on July 10-11, 2021.

**Maintenance:**

- Trees- all of the Ash trees froze. All green buds and leaves are gone. They should grow new leaves.
- All is going well.
- Air compressor hose was replaced.

**Key Holder:**

- Rentals are starting to be scheduled.
- COVID 19 capacity limitations have been lifted. 100% capacity is now allowed.
- Cheryl is still looking for a vacuum.
- Building looks great and is always clean!

**Internet:**

- Kip Borbiconi gave the following report:

- Kip received an email from Rice Lake requesting info on how Cherry went about getting funding for fiber optic internet. He will assist them.
- CTC is still accepting requests for free install. Residents of Cherry Township can still sign up for fiber optic internet!
- Building WIFI is working again.

**Old Business:**

- Concrete:** The sidewalk needs to be repaired/replaced. Nordy attended agreed that certain areas look rough and he will make the corrections.
- Fire Extinguishers:** Extinguishers were checked, refilled, and replaced as needed. He will be back to finish with the kitchen “bonnet.”
- Elementary Party:** The Cherry Elementary will use the fields and covered picnic area for an end of school year party tomorrow, June 3, 2021.
- Room Capacity Posters/Signs:** Check with MATIT or Fire Warden to see what our room capacity is for the main room and small room.
- Football Equipment:** The football team left some equipment behind. Sled was moved. Wondering what the plan is for the fall.
- Picnic Tables:** Two new tables to be placed near the playground for those bringing their children to the playground have been ordered.

**New Business:**

- Meeting Location:** Board decided that we will move back into the small room for our next meeting.
- ARPA LML Model Resolution:** Loy made a motion to table this until our next meeting. Dave supported. Motion carried. Board members will study this new information and revisit this at our next meeting. Angie will type up the resolution and board members will vote on this next month.
- Dave made a motion that the meeting be adjourned. Loy supported. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm

Angela Koski, Clerk  
Town of Cherry

Signatures of Supervisors:

Date:

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