Town of Oakland Douglas County, WI

The town board convened for regular monthly meetings at 7 pm. on July 8, ^{2025,} at the Oakland Town Hall 6152 S. County Road K. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by Chairmen, Pete Fornengo. The meeting began with verification of public notification. A quorum was present as well as 10 interested citizens.

Motion to approve the meeting minutes from 6/10/25, 6/24/25, 6/30/25 made by Randy Polson, seconded by Dana Dolsen, all in favor via voice vote, motion carried.

Town Clerk Lydia Schroeder was not present, the report given by Stacy Fornengo that was left on the agenda, No July Hall rentals, is still working on the .gov request and the Microsoft office licensing changes.

Town Treasurer Stacy Fornengo reported 4 deposits made, working on paying bills via Ach to save in envelopes/stamps. Contacted the bank regarding interest rate for a new grader.

Board members Dana Dolsen, Randy Polson, Pete Fornengo no reports currently.

Fire Department- Stacy Fornengo reported members are participating in training as they are available and few members participated in the July 4th parade around the lake.

Road Crew- graded multiple roads, fixed signs, moved lawn mower between the hall/shop, black dirt for the hall, lawnmower repair, drug test, buried a residents dog, serviced brusher, cut trees off roads from winds, garbage/recycling cans out, working on ECE permits to replace poles on Turbett Rd, cut grass multiple days, called Dan Z in regards to beavers, sharpened blades on lawnmower/brusher, picked up a mattress on Mable Nelson Rd, met with Brock from Fabick for purchase agreement for grader, fixed washouts on Tri Lakes Rd, graded, assisted with cones for a trailer house in the ditch on Newman Rd.

County Board- No representation

Community Events- Will be convened in September

Call for agenda items/ approve order of Business: Review of Bills, Claims, and expenses- Motion to Approve Payments. DD made a motion to approve, RP seconded, all in favor via voice vote; motion carried.

- The planning commission is working on the utility ordinance and will have that ready for the next town board meeting. They also met with Judy Peterson, in which she attended the Northwest Wi lakes conference and had information regarding the wake board ordinance. Town of summit has postponed passing of the wake board ordinance currently. Mary Brill will be working on a guiding principle for variances. Sandy W also resigned from the planning committee.
- Dog ordinance, motion was made by DD to approve the revised Dog ordinance with the multiple dog license included in the ordinance, seconded by RP; all in favor via voice; motion carried.
- Timber sale notice was given by Carlson Timber Inc., for south Lyman Lake Rd, Greg D will call them regarding any road damage.

- New town Grader will start manufacturing on August 1, 2025, including a 9-year warranty. The
 interest for the loan with Fabick would be 5.49% and interest with NBC 5.25%. Members agreed that
 going forward for the loan would be beneficial through NBC.
- Credit card, sf will look more into this for the next meeting.
- Staffing update, discussed for the road crew job description to have a requirement for class B license with Class A preferred or to be able to obtain within 6 months of hire. Possibly have the application run for 3 weeks and interviews being a closed meeting. Another meeting to be held July 14th at 6:00 pm for final details for application/job description.
- Cell phone/internet/phone line changes, sf has reached out to Bright speed with no call back and will
 continue to try to reach them, pf presented information on First net/star link options and will discuss
 further next months meeting.

Public Comment/Set next board meeting Date

- -Members of the public inquired if residents/people are allowed to leave items such as paddle boats on the easement around the lake.
- -DD inquired about the meeting agenda items being posted at 3 places, such as Four Corners Store, Reillys Tavern, by mailbox at the town hall and posted online. Everyone was in an agreement.
- Next month's board meeting will be held August 11, 2025, at 7:00 pm.

 Adjournment RP made the motion at 7:43 pm, DD seconded, voice vote all in favor; motion carried. Submitted, Stacy Fornengo, Town Treasurer