

**Ashippun Town Board Meeting**  
**April 20, 2017**

Chairman Steve Panozzo called the monthly Town of Ashippun board meeting to order on Thursday, April 20, 2017 at 7:00 pm at the Ashippun Town Hall. Pledge to the flag was recited.

Clerk Michelle Liesener verified the meeting notices were properly given and posted at the Town Hall, the Recycling Center, the Ashippun Post Office, emailed to the Watertown Daily Times, the Oconomowoc Focus, WTTN radio stations and posted on the official website of the Town of Ashippun.

Roll call was taken with Chairman Steve Panozzo, Supervisor Norman Greeb, Supervisor William Bremer, Supervisor David Adkins, Supervisor James Meyer and Clerk/Treasurer Michelle Liesener as being present. Supervisor Adkins moved and Supervisor Bremer seconded to approve the March 9, 2017 meeting minutes. All in favor and motion carried.

Public Input: Syl Hoerth asked who is responsible for paying for a new fire number as his is faded. Chairman Panozzo stated the home owner is responsible per Ordinance 2015-003.

Police Report: Chairman Panozzo read the March police report. Town of Ashippun had 112 incidents.

Fire Department Report: Supervisor Meyer gave the fire department report. There were 1 fire calls and 9 EMS calls in March.

Clerk/Treasurer's report and presentation of bills. Clerk Liesener gave the Treasurer's report for March. Deposits, disbursements, and interest for the month were reported. Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Meyer seconded to approve the March Treasurer's report. All in favor and motion carried. Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Bremer seconded to approve the April bills to be paid. All in favor and motion carried.

Highway Department Report: No report available.

Town Chairman/Supervisors Reports: Supervisor Adkins reported Community Park has been rented to Ixonia Knights baseball and Ashippun Fire Department/Dodge County Tournament July 5th thru 8th. Supervisor Greeb asked when Town Road MM will be shouldered. Chairman Panozzo stated the work will be done soon. Supervisor Greeb also asked why lines are not painted on Town Road MM and would like this to be an agenda item for May. Chairman Panozzo stated he continues to receive feedback on closing the brush and yard waste.

Unfinished Business: Discussion only on possible future road work on Harding Road. Nothing new to report. Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Bremer seconded to hold this item over to the May meeting. All in favor and motion carried.

Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Greeb seconded to hold over to the May meeting the discussion and possible approval on Engineering proposal for Roosevelt Rd bridge West of Hwy P. All in favor and motion carried.

Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Adkins seconded to hold over to the May meeting the discussion and possible approval of Ordinance 2017-001 residency Restriction for Sex Offender. All in favor and motion carried.

Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Meyer seconded to remove discussion and possible approval of Ordinance 2017-002 Redefining Speed Limit on Harding Road. Voice vote: 4 ayes and 1 nay. Motion carried.

Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Bremer seconded to hold over to the September meeting the discussion and possible approval to accept a contract from Spectrum for the Town Hall internet/phones. All in favor and motion carried.

New Business: Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Greeb seconded to approve Ashippun Mudcats picnic beer license for May 21, 27, 28, June 10, 11, 24, 25 and July 2 and 23, 2017. All in favor and motion carried.

Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Meyer seconded to approve the Ashippun Lions Club picnic beer license for May 19 and 20, 2017. All in favor and motion carried.

Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Adkins seconded to approve New Operator's License through June 30, 2017 for Marquee J. McClenathan for Deertrak Golf Course and Tina M. Radtke for Trackside. All in favor and motion carried.

Supervisor Meyer moved and Supervisor Bremer seconded approval of Letter of Intent from Phyllis Westenberg, agent for Bernice Wiser Trust, Washington Road, to split 1.80 acres for the purpose of an add-on to existing neighbor. Discussion followed. Supervisor Meyer made a motion to withdraw his previous motion and Supervisor Bremer seconded to withdraw his previous second. Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Meyer seconded to hold this item over to the May meeting. All in favor and motion carried.

Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Adkins seconded to approve Resolution 2017-003, Town of Ashippun petitions Dodge County for Bridge Aid, Roosevelt Road West of County Road P. All in favor and motion carried.

Discussion only on presentation from ad hoc committee regarding brush and yard waste. Judy Kehl read the minutes from the ad hoc committee meeting regarding brush and yard waste. The committee recommended fencing in an area at the Town Hall at a cost of approximately \$9,000. With the following guidelines: open April 1 thru Dec 1, residents only, fine non-residents \$200, burn on site as needed, Recycling Center employees to monitor and burn. Supervisor Bremer recommended looking into collecting brush and burning at the Ashippun Sanitary District site.

Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Greeb seconded temporarily accepting brush and yard waste at the Recycling Center on Saturday's only from 8 am to 2 pm starting April 29th. All in favor and motion carried.

Supervisor Meyer moved and Chairman Panozzo seconded to hold over to the May meeting the discussion and possible approval to work together with Town of Lebanon on TV recycling. All in favor and motion carried.

Chairman Panozzo moved to purchase 2 fire proof cabinets for the Town Shop at a cost of approximately \$4,000 plus shipping, no second motion failed. Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Bremer seconded to hold over to the May meeting discussion and possible approval to purchase 2 fire proof cabinets for the Town Shop at a cost of approximately \$4,000 plus shipping. All in favor and motion carried.

Chairman Panozzo moved and Supervisor Adkins seconded for the Board Members to do a Road tour on May 15th at 6:00 pm. All in favor and motion carried.

Town Chairman/Supervisors correspondence: Supervisor Bremer asked if Highway Supervisor Dan Vander Molen gets paid for mileage while driving his own truck while the Town dually truck is having a new bed put on. Clerk Liesener stated any board member or employee who drives their own vehicle does get reimbursed for mileage.

Public Input: Tom Jordens feels, in reference to item 9 D on the agenda, the once every 5 years on land splits should be held in place. Also when changing a deed it is considered a land split not a lot line configuration. He also feels item 9 F should have had an asterisk. Jim Franke stated non-residents dump brush and would like to see the fees increase at the Recycling Center. He also stated no roads have been redone in 8 years as money is being spent elsewhere. Syl Hoerth stated roads need to be seal coated or the roads will start breaking up. Rob Sterr from the Ashippun Fire Department has entry forms for the parade that will be on July 9th. Mitch Hertneky feels people using the drop off of brush and yard waste should pay a fee. Also he asked why multifamily cannot use the Recycle Center, brush and yard waste drop off. Supervisor Meyer stated this is a DNR regulation on the grant money the Town receives. Sandy Jaeger feels residents would not be opposed to paying a reasonable fee for brush and yard waste.

Announcements: Chairman Panozzo reviewed the calendar items. Open Book with the Assessor at the Town Hall on May 1, 2017 at 9:30 am to 11:30 am. Plan Commission meeting on May 4, 2017. Town Board meeting on May 11, 2017 at 7:00 pm. Spring Clean Up May 6th and 13th at 8 am to 2 pm. May 17, 2017 Board of Review from 5 pm to 7 pm (by appointment only). Chairman Panozzo moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:135 pm. Supervisor Adkins seconded the motion. All in favor. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by:

Michelle Liesener