

**Village of Bellwood
Meeting Minutes ~ March 1st, 2021**

The Village of Bellwood Board of Trustees held its regular meeting on March 1st, 2021 at the Village Auditorium. Mayor Joyce Napier, called the meeting to order at 7:02 P.M. with board members Connie Scholz, Jeremy Junck, Scott Romshek, and Lee Nickolite in attendance. Village employees Jennifer Brown, Paul Nickolite, and Ray Sueper were also present.

The chairman stated that the open meetings law is in effect.

The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

The minutes of the February 1st meeting were up for approval. Co-Chair Romshek motioned to approve the minutes; Trustee Scholz seconded. A roll call vote was taken, this motion passed with all in favor.

The February receipts and bills were read by Clerk Brown at 7:05 p.m. Adjustment made to the Fremont Sanitation bill as its total should be \$166.00 not \$311.00. Chairwoman Napier motioned to approve the bills as read, Trustee Junck seconded. A roll call vote was taken, this motion passed with all in favor.

Bills and prepaid bills were as follows:

Feb-21

Vendor	Amount	Check #
Unites States Treasurer - Payroll Liabilities	\$1,289.36	E-Pay
City Truck Payment	\$525.93	E-Pay
Loan Transfer	\$696.95	E-Pay
Bellwood Ampride	\$253.73	15276
Butler Co. Treasurers Office	\$1,000.00	15277
Butler Co. Welding	\$37.64	15278
Card Services	\$1,518.28	15279
Nebraska Environmental Lab	\$30.00	15282
Pinnacle Agency	\$5,397.00	15283
Verizon Wireless	\$82.63	15284
Fremont Sanitation	\$311.00	15285
Windstream	\$345.70	15286
Butler Public Power	\$3,274.66	15287
Butler Co. Treasurers Office - Gen. Election	\$100.00	15288
	\$14,862.88	

Butler County Sheriff's Department:

Sheriff Dion and the board discussed nuisance vehicles within the Village as well as the need for yard clean up at residences. Chairwoman Napier stated that these need to be a priority as they are worsening.

Resident Bill Macoubrie stated that ATV usage is up, and to make sure that those in use have the proper licensure for the 2021 year.

Complaint Forms – None

Tree Board – No report

Auditorium Project – No Report

Planning and Zoning

Ray Sueper presented the building inspectors report. Mr. Sueper continued to inform the board of works in conjuncture with Sheriff Dion and his office to take care of nuisance vehicles as well as unsightly yard waste. It was noted that a well check would be done at 516 Derby street to ensure the residence is up to code. Chairwoman Napier added that with the recent snow melt more vehicles need to be inspected to make sure that they are operable.

Also discussed was the tax estimate for the annexation of Frontier Co-Op. Mr. Sueper explained that the amount was determined to be \$8224.62.

Water Treatment Center

Data report handed out to board members. Mr. Nickolite discussed the recent cold weather stretch and noted that the generator needed some assistance, but it is up and running now.

Utilities Report: No Report

Planning Commission – The planning commission will meet on Monday, March 8th at 7:00 p.m. in the Village Auditorium.

Other business –

Armor Coat Bidding – Bids were opened and discussed. No decision has been made at this time.

Jimmy Buell – Keno inquiry for The Backroads Pub LLC. Process to be checked by Clerk Brown with Village Attorney Tim Wollmer.

Baseball Field – Little field to be used by U10 Girls on Wednesday evenings.

Edgewater Insurance – Formerly Pinnacle Agency: Mr. Ray Pilakowski and associate Jake Jarecki presented information to the board on the 2021 insurance policies.

Meeting adjourned at 8:29 p.m. motioned by Chairwoman Napier, seconded by Trustee Scholz. Roll call vote, all in favor.

Next Board Meeting will be Monday, April 5th at 7:00 p.m.

Village Clerk,
Jennifer Brown