



Shirley Town Council Agenda

~~November 8, 2021~~

December 13, 2021

Open Council Meeting:

David Messer opened the meeting.

Call to Order:

David Messer – Council President, Becky Perkins – Council V President, Robin Boucher – Council absent

Others Present:

Teresa Hester – Clerk Treasure, Andy Ebbert – Fire Chief, Brian Vaughn – Maintenance, Brian Pryor – Police Chief, Attorney – Tracy Newhouse via phone conference.

Minutes – Approve following minutes: October 18, 2021; October 25, 2021; and November 8, 2021.

Dave Messer moved to approve, Becky Perkins second, motion carried 2-0

Guest:

- Steller Presentation
Joanie Fitzwater – Greenfield planning director and Adam Zaklikowski – Fortville planning director. Along with Andy Ebbert and Teresa Hester presented the Stellar update which is helping to fund our Shirley Heritage Trail.
- Luke Ebbert – Boy Scout came to observe for his merit badge.

Department Head Reports:

Utilities – Nicole Alexander

- 99 Delinquents
- 19 Door tags
- 0 Shut offs
- Request dates off:
 - December 16-mom eye doctor appts. (late lunch)-FLMA
- Need a person to review Water, Wastewater, and Storm Water ordinances to be consistent across the town. Clerk Treasurer is still working on this. Tracy has ordinances.

Fire – Andy Ebbert Fire Chief –

- Annual Toy Drive
- Department Awards
 - Delbert Reason Firefighter of the Year: Firefighter Bruce Nichols
 - 20 Year Member: Assistant Chief Josh Willis
 - IVFA District 13A Excellence Award: Chief Andy Ebbert
 - Ambulance update

Maintenance – Brian Vaughn

- Chevy Maintenance truck needs repair. Maintenance Brian Vaughn recommends to fix and hopefully replace at a later time. David Messer moved to approve the repair not to exceed \$800. Second Becky Perkins, motion carried 2-0
- Ordinance for home owners requiring them to have a shut off at the house. Suggestion by Brian Vaughn. Discussion: It was stated that we need to review the Water/Wastewater Spec Book for a statement about shutoffs.
- Liability question concerning trail w/o removing snow/ice. Recommendation to put signs up to watch for ice/snow. (or something of the sort). Andy Ebbert will contact engineer to see what other communities do.