September 2022 Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting for the Town of Casco was called to order by Chairman Joe Lukes on Thursday, September 22 at 7:00 pm. Present were Joe and Lisa Mastalir, Brian Peot, Ruth and Lowell Obry, Wendy Blasier and all members of the Casco Town Board.

The clerk read the minutes from the August meeting. Perry made a motion to approve the minutes as read and Barry seconded. Motion carried.

The treasurer reported as follows: Checking-\$201,454.26 Cemetery-\$3,209.86 ARPA-\$123,710.59 Loan balance-\$34,595.50 There were no deposits of interest. Barry made a motion to approve the report and Perry seconded. Motion approved.

Edie had a rezone hearing on August 23 for Allan and Linda Baumgartner to rezone 2.55 acres from A-1 to A-2 rural-residential. It was unanimously approved by the zoning co9mmission. Perry made a motion to approve the rezone and have the clerk sign the CSM. Barry seconded. Motion approved.

On August 29, Edie had a hearing for a variance by Baudhuin Farms to put a barn closer to the road. This was approved by the Board of Appeals.

On September 8, there was a hearing to rezone 4 acres of land owned by Lowell Obry from A-1 to A-2 rural-residential for his son to build a house. The vote was 4 in favor and 1 no vote by the zoning commission. The motion carried. Barry made a motion to approve the rezone and have the clerk sign the CSM. Perry seconded. Motion carried.

Joe presented a 1-year contract from Jadin for snow plowing for 2023. Perry made a motion to accept and sign the contract. Barry seconded. Joe signed the contract.

None of the outstanding bills were paid. The clerk will re-issue them.

Lisa Mastalir questioned Joe about the chain of command with response to fire calls. He said the closest department will generally respond first to a structure fire, but then when Luxemburg Fire arrives, they take over command. He will check and get back to her after the next fire meeting.

Joe, Perry, and Terrie attended the L-C budget meeting. Residential attendance is down by 29 students. The levy will be determined at the annual meeting.

The county board talked about the new jail. The bid process will start in March to May of next year.

The clean sweep will be held October 22.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, October 20, at 7:30 pm. Barry made a motion to adjourn and Perry seconded. Meeting adjourned at 7:55 pm.

Terrie Gabriel, Casco Town Clerk