

TOWN OF WEST POINT

The town board of the Town of West Point held the regular monthly meeting on Thursday, November 5, 1992 at the Town Hall at 7:30 p.m. The town board members present were: Fred Thistle-Chairman, Alan Treinen-1st Supervisor, and A. Dave Cole-2nd Supervisor; also present were: Edith Eberle-Clerk, Joan Bader-Treasurer and Harry Sawyer-Assessor.

The meeting was published in the Lodi Enterprise and the Sauk Prairie Star and Posted in four places.

The minutes were read from the October 8, 1992 meeting. A motion was made by Dave Cole to approve the minutes as read, 2nd by Alan Treinen - motion carried.

The minutes were read from the October 23, 1992 meeting. A motion was made by Dave Cole to approve the minutes as read, 2nd by Alan Treinen - motion carried.

The Treasurers report was \$49,136.43 in the general account. A motion was made by Dave Cole to accept the Treasurers Report, 2nd by Alan Treinen - motion carried.

Alan Treinen was asked to check into what was happening at Woodlake Trails and report back to the town board.

The bills were presented, a motion was made by Dave Cole to pay the bills presented, 2nd by Alan Treinen - motion carried.

Dan See - our representative on the Columbia County Board gave a report on the Columbia County budget for 1993.

Mr. Larry Mueffet from the Columbia County Economic Development Corporation came and explained in further detail that the Economic Development committee is trying to bring more economic growth to the cities and villages (or town) of Columbia County. Dave Cole stated that he would like to see more programs developed that would use corn.

Chairman Fred Thistle stated that Golf Road has been finished. We will be receiving a bill from Columbia County soon.

There were several people present that own property along the Wisconsin River, that asked what the Town Board could do to help them as Wisconsin Power and Light are saying that they own the land next to the Wisconsin River not the property owners whose deeds say to the water edge. After discussion a motion was made by Dave Cole to set up a public forum in January with Scott Klug, Eugene Hahn, Charles Chvala, and Wisconsin Power and Light, 2nd by Alan Treinen, motion carried. A date will be set later.

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Wisconsin Power and Light asked for a pole line extension on Van Ness Road for a Mr. Charles Elliott who has purchased land along Van Ness Road. A motion was made by Dave Cole to grant the pole line extension on Van Ness Road, 2nd by Alan Treinen - motion carried.

The Evert fence was brought up again because the Town of Roxbury had called and stated that Mr. Carlson thought that the amount for repairing the fence was too high. A motion was made by Dave Cole to leave the amount as previously stated, 2nd by Alan Treinen - motion carried.

A motion was made by Dave Cole to have the Town of West Point a collection site for Hazard Waste for the Columbia County Hazard Waste Program, 2nd by Alan Treinen - motion carried.

Chairman Fred Thistle stated that he had talked to Columbia County Recycling Center and that they will charge the Town of West Point a fee of \$12.00 per appliance, and that the license for hauling the appliances would be \$100.00. There was a lot of discussion on whether the recycling center should or shouldn't take white goods (refrigerators, freezer, air conditioner etc.), a motion was made by Fred Thistle that as of January 1, 1993 the West Point Recycling center will start taking white goods at a fee of \$25.00 per appliance, 2nd by Alan Treinen -Yes - 2, No - 1 - motion carried.

It was announced that the public hearing and budget meeting will be on Tuesday - November 17, 1992 at 7:30 p.m.

It was announced that the Planning Commission will meet on November 12, 1992 at 8:00 p.m. at the Town Hall. Char Brereton from the Town of Lodi will be present to go over the Sub Division Ordinance.

A Resolution #11/92 was presented which asked all property owners of the Town of West Point that are requesting a variance make application to come to the Town Board and/or the Planning Commission before they go to the Columbia County Board of Adjustments. After discussion - a motion was made by Dave Cole to approve Resolution #11/92, 2nd by Alan Treinen - motion carried.

There has been some complaints about Mr. Robert Ingram not having a dog under control. After discussion a motion was made by Dave Cole that if the dog is not controlled - the dog will be removed and/or destroyed and the Town Chairman Fred Thistle can issue a fine, 2nd by Alan Treinen - motion carried.

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Columbia County Planning and Zoning Committee is requesting a Zoning Change to Chapter 11 of the Columbia County Ordinance to remove "building permit" and to be replaced with "zoning permit". A motion was made by Alan Treinen to grant the change in Chapter 11 of the Columbia County Ordinance, 2nd by Dave Cole - motion carried.

A Resolution # 11-92A was presented, it obligates the Town of West Point to pay State and County Taxes in accordance with Wisconsin Statutes 70.67, Section 2. A motion was made by Dave Cole to approve Resolution #11-92A, 2nd by Alan Treinen - motion carried.

A motion was made by Dave Cole to adjourn the meeting at 10:00 p.m., 2nd by Alan Treinen - motion carried.


Edith Eberle
Town Clerk