

**November 14, 2016**

**Town Budget Hearing**

Chairman Gene Huth opened the Town of Washburn Budget Hearing at the Town Hall at 7:00 p.m. on November 14, 2016. Present were all Town Board members, Town residents Ed Kuhn, Pete Hellios, Jim Olin, and landowner Steve Reimer. The proposed budget for 2017 was presented and reviewed. Questions were answered. **Ed Kuhn moved/ Pete Hellios 2nd, to close Budget Hearing. Carried.**

**Town Budget Meeting**

The Town Budget Meeting was opened immediately following the Hearing, for the purpose of adopting the Road Budget and Town Tax Levy for 2017. **Ed Kuhn moved / Pete Hellios 2nd, to adopt the 2017 Town budget to include \$130,000 for the Road budget and the 2017 Town Levy of \$36,042. Carried.** Ed Kuhn moved / Pete Hellios 2nd, to adjourn the Town Budget Meeting. Carried.

**BOARD MEETING**

The November monthly board meeting immediately followed the Budget Meeting. Roll call was taken and the agenda was approved. Minutes were approved as read. Treasurer's report was accepted. Gavin Hansen bill total has been finalized for the Robin culvert replacement so treasurer will now bill Hansen. Address on police report is Hansen's father's business address. No dog incidents.

Clerk asked the Board for any update on the notices to be sent out with the taxes. Because of on-going changes in telephone numbers, the Town will again request phone numbers from landowners so they can be reached in emergencies.

Supervisor Report: oak wilt flood update and FEMA flood update by Chairman.

**Reinart moved / Canfield 2nd, to adopt the 2017 Budget final draft with a Town levy of \$36,042. All – yes. Carried.**

Road maintenance: Board discussed using money remaining in road budget for ditch cleaning rather than gravel because of the time of year.

Public Input: none.

Bills were examined and paid.

Meeting Adjourned.  
Donna Kuhn, clerk