

PROCEEDINGS OF TOWN BOARD MEETINGS

Meeting held on the 15th day of December A. D. 1916

A meeting of the Township Board of Bates was held in the Town Hall of Bates on the 15th day of December A. D. 1916

Meeting Called to order by the Supervisor.

on roll call the following members answered to their names
Supervisor Charley Olson Clerk P. A. Putz
Justice of the Peace C. J. Gustafson + Miss L. C. Clair

Minutes of previous meeting read by the Clerk
Moved by C. J. Gustafson supported by P. A. Putz
That the minutes of previous meeting be approved
as read Motion carried

a motion was made by C. J. Gustafson supported
by M. L. Clair ^{that} Estimate No 2 of the Rogers mine
road Contract to Ernest Bergquist, Contractors of
two hundred Ninety Three dollars and twenty cents be
allowed Vote on above Motion of follows
Yeas Olson, Putz, L. Clair, Gustafson
Nays None Motion carried

Next the pay roll and bills were claimed by the Board Members
There were three bills presented by the Board against
the Bergquist Contract which are as follows
to Wilbur Winton for Labor Sixty nine dollars and
twenty three cents andy Chamberlain for Labor
Twenty dollars + forty cents. P. E. Peterson for
supplies Fifty one dollars and twenty six cents

Therefore a motion was made by C. J. Gustafson supported
by P. A. Putz that the above claims be taken out of
the Bergquist Estimate of two hundred Ninety ^{three} dollars and
twenty cents, leaving a balance to Bergquist of one hundred
fifty one dollars and sixty cents Motion carried by the

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following vote

(Yeas) ~~John~~ J. Clair, Patsy Gustafson
(Nays) none

on Motion The Phoenix Lbr Company bill for lumber be returned to the Highway Commissioner for correction

Justice of the Peace Mike J. Clair with supervisor Chas Olson introduced the following resolution, which upon their motion was unanimously adopted, whereas, the Township Board of Bates has investigated the bills and pay roll and has satisfied its self that said bills and pay roll each and all of them are legal liabilities against the Township, now, therefore, be it resolved, that the said payroll and bills are hereby allowed, for the amounts hereinafter specified, and that the Clerk be, and he is here by directed to draw orders upon the several funds in payment of said bills and pay roll

Resolution carried unanimously
Contingent bills as follows

351	Mike J. Clair justice services 1 one meeting	\$ 13.00
352	P. Gustafson	13.00
353	First National Bank Interest on orders	40.00
354	Chas Olson spreading taxes & making tax roll	115.00
355	Chas Olson services as Supervisor	18.00
356	P. J. Patsy services as per bill	27.00
Town Hall Fund		
83	Ella Lindholm Cleaning Hall	3.00
84	Mrs John Reinen labor in Town Hall	3.00
85	First Natl Bank Interest on orders carried	30.00
87	Miners State Bank Insurance premium	24.00
Poor Fund		
186	First Natl Bank Interest on orders carried	10.00
Highway Fund		
686	J. D. Adams & Co repairs for grader	11.75
687	First Natl Bank Interest on highway orders carried	244.60
688	J. H. Shultz highway order book	4.22

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689	P. E. Peterson Supplies to Bergquist	51 96
690	Walter Winter Tools for Bergquist	69 23
691	Andy Chamberlain Tools for Bergquist	20 40
692	Ernest Bergquist Estimate No 2 Rogers Wain road contract	157 61
693	John Johnson road contract	6 30
694	Thalmer Wallin - - -	5 40
695	Ruben Sjogquist Road Tools	4 51
696	A. J. Erickson Team Tools	2 50
697	Andrus Mickberg Road Tools	1 13
698	Adolph Erickson - - -	4 50
699	Oscar Erickson overseer	6 25
700	Aug Johnson hauling Plank	2 50
701	Will Anderson Team Tools	5 00
702	Ernst Jodquist - - -	6 25
703	Arvid Anderson Contract	6 50
704	Samuel Fines - - -	6 50
705	Mike Montinack Road Contract	V 125 00
706	Walfred Trybom Commissions	21 00
707	Otto Trybom road Tools	4 50

A Motion was made by Charley Olson supported by C. J. Gustafson that the Iron River Steamship reports be prevailed on to make a correction of their mistake in their issue of Nov 24th in the publication of Bates Township board proceedings of Oct 7th 1916 in regards to highway order no 623 issued to Charley Olson for looking over roads of sixty three dollars, which should be three dollars.

Motion carried unanimously

A Motion was made by Charley Olson supported by C. J. Gustafson that the Town Hall be insured in the sum of two thousand dollars including tool sheds at a rate of one dollar and twenty cents per hundred per annum.

Roll call was taken motion as follows: J. A. Olson, P. E. Peterson, C. J. Gustafson, none.
This being no further business before the members of this board a motion was made & duly supported that we adjourn with out date.
P. A. Pats Clerk