TOWN BOARD PUBLIC HEARING MEETING, August 27, 2024 – 6:00 P.M.

<u>PRESENT:</u> Town Chair Dick Green, Supervisors, Faith Schuck, Eric Olson, Melanie Miller and Renee Gouaux and Clerk/Treasurer Maria Hougan.

ABSENT:

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE:

A list of others in attendance will be kept as part of this record on file for reference.

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Green called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. He explained the reason for the Public Hearing and provided history of the current ordinance in place which was adopted in 2003. He stated other towns are now enacting ATV/UTV ordinances as they are becoming more and more popular.

<u>Discussion regarding ATV/UTV usage on town roads.</u>

This Public Hearing meeting is for the purpose of public input regarding amending the towns ordinance to allow for possible future use of ATV/UTV's on town roads. There will be no action taken at this meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT: The Board listens to residents speak on any issue (three-minute time limit)

The Board now listened to the publics input.

Ed Folger- 401 S. Page St., spoke in favor of an ordinance of allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Audra Dalsoren, 2280 County Rd N., spoke in favor of an ordinance of allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Mike Northouse,3882 Lauder Rd., spoke in favor of an ordinance of allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Aaron Joseph, 2591 Door Creek Rd., spoke in favor of an ordinance of allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Ryan Dalsoren, 2280 County Rd. N., spoke in favor of an ordinance of allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Steve Jackson, 2697 Rolling View Rd., spoke in opposition of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Kenneth Schuck, 1616 Spring Rd., spoke in spoke in opposition of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Terry Veum, 2460 S. Hill St., spoke in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Tim Christenson, 2011 Skyline Dr., spoke in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Greg Yelk, 1702 Red Oak Dr., is in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Mark Nordlie, 1859 Koshkonong Rd., wondered if this would pertain to highways.

Nick Monalle- 2459 Fairview St., spoke in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Dale Olson, 2759 County Hwy BN., spoke in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Wendy Olson, 2759 County Hwy BN, spoke in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Tim Dieth, 2757 Door Creek Rd., registered written comments in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Brad Warren, 2904 McConnell Rd., spoke in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Jason Kellnhofer, 1768 Kaase Rd., spoke in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Diane Kellnhofer. 1768 Kasse Rd., spoke in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

John Quam, 3118 Shadyside Dr., spoke in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Bill Blaska, 707 Cherokee Path, Lake Mills, spoke in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Jeff Winge, 2426 Wildflower Rd., spoke in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Larry Schuller, 2552 Brown Deer Rd., spoke in opposition of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Jason Halverson, 1660 Drotning Rd., submitted written comments in favor of an ordinance allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Jeff Vedvig, 2001 Washington Rd. spoke in favor of an ordinance to allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Dan Vedvig, 2041 Washington Rd. spoke in favor of an ordinance to allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Holly Paulson, 1754 Rinden Rd., spoke in favor of an ordinance to allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Virgil Paulson, 1754 Rinden Rd., spoke in favor of an ordinance to allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Brad & Melissa Beckwith, 2560 Circle Dr., submitted written comments in favor of an ordinance to allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

Keith Comstock, 3080 Shadyside Dr. submitted written comments in favor of an ordinance to allowing ATV/UTV's on town roads.

There were questions for the DNR conservation warden. There was a discussion which followed the public input.

The next steps are for the Town Board to determine drafting an ordinance.

ADJOURNMENT

The Public Hearing adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

Respectively Submitted, Maria "Pili" Hougan Clerk/Treasurer

Note: These minutes are not considered official until acted upon at a future meeting, and, therefore, are subject to revision.