

**Village of Rockland
Regular Meeting
April 12, 2022**

Board Members Present: President Jon Hohlfeld, Trustee Ole Mathison, Trustee Derek Millin, Trustee Bob Nielsen, Trustee Randy Rowell, Trustee Bob Rueckheim, Trustee Corey Wilson

Absent: Trustee Ole Mathison

Support Staff Present: Clerk/Treasurer Stephanie Rowell
Public Works Employee Isaac Bauer

Also Present: La Crosse County Sheriff Jeff Wolf

Meeting called to order at 6:00 p.m. with President Jon Hohlfeld presiding.

MINUTES: The 3/8/22 minutes were approved as submitted.

TREASURER’S REPORT: The March Treasurer’s report was reviewed. Bob Rueckheim motioned and Randy Rowell seconded to approve the March Treasurer’s report. Motion carried.

LA CROSSE CO. SHERIFF: Sheriff Wolf was present to discuss the village contracting with the La Crosse County Sheriff’s Dept. for more coverage that the village would pay for. This would be above the service that Rockland is already provided with from the county. Sheriff Wolf gave the following proposal (this is preliminary) for services:

4 hours/week coverage - \$1280/month

8 hours/week coverage - \$2560/month

12 hours/week coverage - \$3840/month

A tentative schedule could look something like this:

(4 hour blocks)

6:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. or 7:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. School buses/traffic

10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. or 11:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m.

2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. or 3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. School buses/traffic

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Extra coverage would also be available for special events.

After some brief discussion, it was the board consensus that Rockland would be interested in contracting with La Crosse County Sheriff’s Dept. Sheriff Wolf will be back in contact with Rockland once he speaks with his corporation counsel and county board supervisor.

The Village board did indicate that Rockland needs ordinance enforcement as one of the main reasons for contracting. Randy Rowell motioned and Corey Wilson seconded to have Sheriff Wolf proceed further with details for contracting with La Crosse County. Motion carried.

VOUCHERS: The vouchers were reviewed. Randy Rowell motioned and Bob Rueckheim seconded to approve payment of checks #12726- #12750 in the amount of \$21,279.68. Motion carried.

STREET MAINTENANCE: Skylar and Isaac will get quotes for crack sealing more streets in Rockland this year. They will determine which streets are needed most. We will also check into any grants available from the state or funding for street maintenance.

PARK FERTILIZER: Skylar and Isaac will check on prices for grass seed and fertilizer for both Gaylord Park and Brooks Park. They can rent a spreader and should be able to do the seeding/fertilizing in the next couple of weeks.

RETENTION POND FENCE: Derek will contact several places to get quotes for the fence for the retention pond in Meadow Park Estates.

ADJOURNMENT: Corey Wilson motioned and Bob Rueckheim seconded to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned at 8:05p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephanie Rowell
Village Clerk

**Rockland Water & Sewer Utility
Board Meeting Minutes
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VOUCHERS: The vouchers were reviewed. Corey Wilson motioned and Randy Rowell seconded to approve payment of checks #5086 - #5098 in the amount of \$52,908.99. Motion carried.

WWTP: Isaac indicated that the holding tank inspection at the WWTP will take place next week., they had originally recommended replacing 4-6 of the panels. Davy Engineering will be there as well doing their review of the plant. October is the deadline for any grants we may want to apply for.

ADJOURNMENT: Bob Rueckheim motioned and Corey Wilson seconded to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephanie Rowell
Village Clerk

