

May 6, 2025

The regular meeting of the Franklin Town Board was called to order at 7:32 by Don Smith, Supervisor. Present were Don Smith, Garret Sitts, Heather Ross, Teddy Storey, Dwight Bruno, Paul Warner, Jamie Archibald and Gregg Pitula.

Also present were Laura Leale, Amber Gray

The minutes were read from the April 1, 2025 meeting. Garret made the motion to accept the minutes as read. Heather seconded the motion. All present agreed.

Garret reported for KECC that its pretty quiet. They are in great financial shape. Jonah Shaw has agreed to put a fence up so guests know where the boundary is. They are worried about a dead tree. Jamie said it's on the county but he will check it out.

Heather said the rec commission has 25 signed up for T-Ball. They will have 2 lifeguards and 2 water safety people. They think there is a leak and will apply for grants to have it fixed.

Jamie said for the highway dept that it's mainly just normal spring work.

He also mentioned that the budget vote for school is May 20 from 12-8.

Gregg said he's been getting a lot more calls. Several foundations, open violations among other things. Also doing Airbnb inspections.

Teddie said that since there was nothing on the agenda for the planning board, Teresa Ferringo showed them how the county mapping system works.

Garret made a motion to have a public hearing for escrow accounts at Treadwell Firehouse, June 3 at 7:30. Heather seconded the motion. All present agreed.

Dwight told that the \$960,000.00 that we thought Treadwell water district was granted through Marc Molinaro is no longer there as he was not reelected. Dwight spoke with Eric Ball in Josh Riley's office and was told that they need to reapply and wait and see.

Amber Gray gave a presentation on DELcovery, which is a centralized, multi-platform, comprehensive hub for substance use disorder and mental health resources, education, and outreach in Delaware County.

There will be a CPR course at Open Doors on May 8 at 6:00 PM

Vouchers 2025-174 – 2025-216 were presented for payment.

Heather made a motion to go into executive session at 8:00 PM. Teddie seconded the motion. All present agreed.

The board returned from executive session at 9:10 PM. With nothing further to come before the board, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Sonja Johns