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PRESENT

Robert Iversen, president; Chrissie Edwards, Tom Folowell, Don Haeffner, Brenda Jergens, and Malerie Schumaker, trustees; Debra Lang, comptroller; Kevin Buick, attorney; Scott Kaelin, Village maintenance; and Mary Johansen, clerk.

CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

President Iversen called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m., and the board said the Pledge of Allegiance.

CITIZEN/GUEST HEARING

Citizens from Prairie Springs subdivision were represented by Jarod Bunge who read a letter of concerns. See attached sign-in sheet for the list of citizens present.

CONSENT AGENDA – ACCEPT MINUTES

- a. November 13, 2024, Malta Seedling Project Committee Minutes
- b. Motion by Trustee Jergens to accept the above minutes, second by Trustee Schumaker, roll call vote: Arneson absent, Edwards aye, Folowell aye, Haeffner aye, Jergens aye, Schumaker aye. Motion carried.

POLICE REPORT

President Iversen read aloud the December 2024 police report.

LEGAL REPORT

Attorney Buick updated the board regarding the Pucket property on 2nd Street.

COMPTROLLER'S REPORT

a. Financial Report and List of Claims – Motion by Trustee Edwards to accept the financial report for December 1, 2024 – January 21, 2025 and the list of claims in the amount of \$80,136.62, second by Trustee Jergens, roll call vote: Arneson – absent, Edwards – aye, Folowell – aye, Haeffner – aye, Jergens – aye, Schumaker – aye. Motion carried.

COMMITTEE REPORT

- a) Malta Seedling Committee Trustee Jergens updated the board.
 - i. Malta Days date Saturday, June 21, 2025 Malta Days will be a one-day event with fireworks, bands, bounce houses, and food trucks planned; contracts to be approved. Malta Library will provide kids games.
 - ii. Music in the Park planned.
 - iii. Movie night planned.

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

- a) John Montgomery Music in the Park Contract, Seedling Committee Motion by Trustee Jergens to authorize President Iversen to sign the Music in the Park contract for John Montgomery, second by Trustee Edwards, roll call vote:

 Arneson absent, Edwards aye, Folowell aye, Haeffner aye, Jergens aye, Schumaker aye. Motion carried.
- b) Demolition of 510 S. 4th Street and 404 N. 4th Street and request for direction of demolition of these properties – After discussion, board consensus was for Comptroller Lang to get demolition bids for 404 N. 4th Street. The 510 S. 4th Street was acquired by the Village,
- c) Malta Township Fire Department Rescue Training Request, Harkness Lake Motion by Trustee Folowell to approve the rescue training request, second by Trustee Schumaker, roll call vote: Arneson absent, Edwards aye, Folowell aye, Haeffner aye, Jergens aye, Schumaker aye. Motion carried.
- d) RKM Fireworks Company Contract to engage the services as a vendor for Malta Days, providing a certificate of insurance naming the Village of Malta as additionally insured. Tabled for February meeting.
- e) Annual Appointment of Malta Plan Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals Members: Harry Rogers, Josh Holbrook, Larry Fullington, Joel Fox, and Tom Jergens Motion Trustee Jergens to appoint these members, second by Trustee Edwards, roll call vote: Arneson absent, Edwards aye, Folowell aye, Haeffner aye, Jergens aye, Schumaker aye. Motion carried.

Amend Agenda Items: Motion Trustee Edwards, second by Trustee Jergens, all present voting aye, to move item h) USEPA Lead and Copper Rule to above item f) Annual Review Closed Executive Session Minutes

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- g) Executive Session, Authorization of destruction of recordings for any minutes opened by the board Motion by Trustee Jergens to authorize destruction of recordings, second by Trustee Folowell, , roll call vote: Arneson absent, Edwards aye, Folowell aye, Haeffner aye, Jergens aye, Schumaker aye. Motion carried.
- h) USEPA Lead and Copper Rule Survey/Inspection Update informational

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ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Trustee Folowell to adjourn the meeting at 7:38 p.m., second by Trustee Jergens, all present voting aye. **Motion carried.**

APPROVED THIS 26th DAY OF February	2025
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