Town of Albion Workshop: Hwy Pay #2 May 31, 2024

Present: Supervisor Mike Faulkner Councilman Steve Steinfeld Councilman Rick Stowell Councilman Vern Mowers Councilman Corey Holcomb Recording Secretary: Amy J. Ford, Town Clerk Hwy Supt. Steve Cronk

Supervisor Faulkner called the workshop to order at 8:00am

Councilman Mowers handed out work sheets that had the position/ability listed and the pay raise for each. This would not reference seniority, but, if the worker has been trained, he would get the raise stated. The list is as follows:

- Basic Laborer = \$18.50
- Laborer/MEO = \$19.50
- Chainsaw Qualified = \$0.50
- Driver with CDL B = \$2.00
- Driver with CDL B & MEO = \$3.00
- Driver with CDL A = \$1.00 over B
- Driver with CDL A & MEO = \$1.00 over B
- Working Foreman = \$1.00
- Part Time Laborer = \$17.00
- Exceptional Mechanical Ability = \$1.00

Supervisor Faulkner stated that minimum wage as of January 1, 2025, = \$15.50, and as of January 1, 2026, minimum wage will be \$16.00. He has done an average summary of all surrounding townships and a MEO pay is \$27.54. With training the pay would be raised accordingly.

Supervisor Faulkner has talked with the Teamster's representative and the pay raises will take effect according to the payroll schedule.

Supervisor Faulkner & Supt. Cronk will write up the qualifications for new applicants and Mrs. Ford will place it in the paper for two weeks and post it on the Town website.

Councilman Mowers then proposed a plan for an extension to the municipal building for the Assessor & Code Enforcement Officer. The current Assessor's office would then be split between the Judges chambers and the Town Clerk's office. Further discussion will be at the next meeting.

Supervisor Faulkner called the workshop to a close at 9:30am.

Respectfully submitted, Amy J. Ford, Town Clerk