

Minutes
Board of Review
Village of Newburg
Washington and Ozaukee Counties
May 26, 2015

Board of Review was called to order at 6:00 P.M. May 26, 2015. This meeting has been given public notice in accordance with Section 19.83 and 19.84, Wis. Stats, in such form that will apprise the general public and news media of subject matter that is intended for consideration and action. Roll was taken and those present were Trustees Strohmeyer, Huebner(alt), Juech, Heili and Village Administrator/Clerk Goeckner; absent President Sackett. Also present Assessor Ahrens.

A motion was made by Huebner and seconded by Goeckner to nominate Heili as Chairman of the Board of Review and Strohmeyer as Vice-Chair. Motion passed, 5 - 0.

Goeckner verified that the State mandatory training requirement of at least one Board member has been fulfilled by Goeckner and Sackett.

A motion was made by Heili, seconded by Huebner to approve the Board of Review minutes from June 10, 2014. Motion passed, 5 - 0 nays.

Goeckner reviewed with the Board the basic Board the Review checklist as to the process and how the meeting is handled. Noted was attendance of three individuals at the recent Open Book hearing, two of which had the valuations lowered, the third request was denied. They were no requests by any property owners to attend tonight's Board of Review hearing. Assessor Les Ahrens presented the final assessment rolls for both Counties to the Board of Review which is a statement of both real estate and property assessments. Both Goeckner and Ahrens continued to explain and give examples of the process and how changes made affect the levy and community.

Goeckner led discussion as to allowing testimony by telephone or sworn written statements. Noted were possible pros and cons. A motion was made by Heili, seconded by Juech to recommend the Village Board deny allowing testimony by telephone or sworn written statements. Motion passed 5 - 0.

No one appeared before the Board to provide any testimony or file any objections.

Board members reviewed both the Ozaukee and Washington County 2015 Final Roll/Assessment books for possible discrepancies. None were found.

Motion was made by Huebner and seconded by Juech to close the hearing at 8:00 P.M. Motion passed, 5 - 0.

I, Rick J Goeckner, Clerk of the Board of Review, do hereby certify that the members of the Board of Review voted as stated above.