

VILLAGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
SPECIAL MEETING
MAY 14, 2025

Peterson called the Special Meeting to order at 5:00 PM in the Ceresco Community Room. Board Members had been given the agenda and supporting documents. Notices were posted at the Village Office, Ceresco Post Office and CerescoBank. Peterson pointed out the Open Meeting Law Act posted on the wall of the Community Room. Answering roll call: Peterson, Custer, Ruble, and Johnson. Tardy: Burklund. Also present: Brian Roland, Terry Miller, and Joan Lindgren.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roland reviewed the 2024 Water Main Improvements and the Elm Street sewer main. 1) Both ends of the project are completed. All that is left is to tie in the new valves. 2) There is an issue with a collapsed sewer main. 3) Vrba will dig up a service at 224 W Elm and put a double cleanout in. The plumber was unable to get past the corner of the house because the line is plugged. The sewer line is cast iron and isn't good. The property originally had a septic tank. The plugged sewer line wasn't caused by the Village. It was an issue before. It still drains a little. Right Way Plumbing has been in business 22 years and been to the property 5 times. 4) Vrba needs approval from Board to dig up the sewer main and figure out what needs to be done to repair the collapse. 5) They came from both directions with a crawler camera and it looks like a 10 foot section is bad. 6) The homeowner will pay for the house sewer service repairs. 7) The Village will pay for the sewer main repairs.

Burklund moved to have Vrba go ahead and start the repair to the collapsed sewer main on Elm Street. Peterson seconded. Voting Yes: Burklund, Peterson, Custer, Ruble and Johnson. No: none. Motion carried.

Burklund questioned if the wells are down. Roland said about 7 feet, and he's never seen the wells this low. He recommended staying on the odd/even day restrictions.

Terry Miller with Saunders County Emergency Management was present for the G-402 Incident Command System (ICS) Overview for Executives and Senior Officials.

Burklund left the meeting at 6:30 PM.

Peterson moved to adjourn at 6:48 PM. Ruble seconded. Voting Yeas: Peterson, Ruble, Custer, and Johnson. Nays: none. Motion carried.

Scott Peterson, Chair
Joan Lindgren, Clerk