

# VILLAGE OF STODDARD

Village Board – Telephone (608) 457-2136

Regular Meetings Second Tuesday Each Month

Village Hall, 180 N. Main Street

Stoddard, WI 54658

Bill Evans - President

Scott Chiples

Diane Olson

Karen Long

Jancyn Lepke

Terry Berra

## **REGULAR MEETING – VILLAGE BOARD TUESDAY, MAY 13th, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. STODDARD VILLAGE HALL**

Call to order, roll call, minutes

Appearances:

Bills and Vouchers:

- a) Check register
- b) Approval of April bills and vouchers

Committee Reports:

Board of Appeals

Budget/Finance

Fire Board

Police

Public Works

Board of Review

B/Z/LP

Park

Personnel

Utility

### **Consideration and possible action on the following items:**

Unfinished Business:

- a) Hwy 162 project 2026
- b) Board of Review update
- c) Rummage Along the River, May 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>

New Business:

- a) Worth Services contract proposal
- b) Chad Wild Myhre insurance proposal
- c) Committee appointments
- d) Large Item Recycling Day, June 7th, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Communications:

License Applications: Shannon Boardman – Chicken permit

Operator License: Leah Goralski, Daemon McDonald

Public Comment

## **STODDARD VILLAGE BOARD MEETING**

### **Guidelines for Public Participation at Board Meeting**

- 1) Public participation must be limited to the “Public Comment” agenda line unless a request is made at that time to speak during a different agenda line and is authorized by the Village President
- 2) Please state name and address
- 3) Please state subject to be presented
- 4) Please limit comments to four (4) minutes
- 5) Personal attacks or comments are out of order and will be so ruled by the Village President
- 6) Questions may be presented and become part of a discussion or agenda item at the next village board meeting if requested and appropriate for board discussion and action
- 7) No action will be taken on public participation comments during the “Public Comment” agenda line. Items for discussion may be placed on a future board agenda
- 8) Village Board members may respond to questions or information requests personally or in writing following the meeting

**Village of Stoddard  
Village Board Meeting  
April 8th, 2025, 6:00 p.m.**

The Village Board met in regular session. Roll call: Bill Evans, Scott Chiples, Karen Long, Diane Olson and Jancyn Lepke.

**Minutes:** Motion Long, second Chiples to approve minutes from the March meeting. All aye. Motion carried.

**Appearances:** None.

**Bills and Vouchers:** Motion Chiples, second Long to approve March payments #21810-#21831 in the amount of \$28,642.50 for payment. All aye. Motion carried.

**Committee Reports:**

**Board of Appeals** – No meeting.

**Board of Review** – No meeting. Open Book set for April 14<sup>th</sup>, 4 – 6:00 p.m., Board of Review – May 7<sup>th</sup>, 6-8:00 p.m. Jancyn Lepke – Chair.

**Budget & Finance** – No meeting.

**Building/Zoning/Land Planning** – Meeting set for April 9<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 p.m.

**Fire** – No meeting.

**Park** – No meeting.

**Personnel** – No meeting.

**Public Works** – No meeting.

**W&S – Utilities Commission Meeting, March 17th, 2025, 3:30 p.m., Stoddard Sewer Plant**

Meeting called to order at 3:35 p.m. Present - Mark Peterson Russ Bolton and Mike Young. Village Lead Operator Rob Hurlburt, Village Trustee Scott Chiples and Administrator Kent Hatlestad also present.

**Minutes:** Motion Bolton, second Young to approve minutes from the February meeting. All aye, motion carried. **Appearances:** None.

**Bills and Vouchers:** Sewer - #3842-3850 = \$12,402.82, Water - #3489-3495 = \$5,294.76. Motion Bolton, second Young to approve. All aye, motion carried.

**Unfinished Business:**

Discussion on Hwy 162 project. New agreements must be signed for proposals of work. WI DOT is sending them.

Discussion on ferric replacement for phosphorus removal. Hatlestad reported that Hawkins had sent another representative to do some jar testing at the plant.

AquaHawk 15047 will sell for \$0.91/lb or 10.05/gallon. This is roughly a 40% increase in cost compared to the ferric but we will be feeding 50ppm less of it to achieve better phosphorous removal than the ferric could do at its best concentration. It's not quite a "break even scenario" but, for a relatively small increase in chemical price we will be reducing the corrosion issue in the plant by a lot. Hawkins recommends a Vega Sonic Leveling Unit for scaling the tank so that we know how much is being fed. These can be programmed in gallons or pounds. The Vega Units are \$2,600.

Discussion on new meter heads. Hatlestad reported that the new meter heads had been delivered.

Discussion on meter reading. Hatlestad reported that the quarterly meter reading cycle will be done later this week. System is working better now that the bugs are being ironed out.

**New Business:** None. **Communications:** None. **Public Comment Time:** None Motion Young, second Bolton to adjourn at 4:07. All aye. Motion carried.

Adjournment. Next meeting April 21st.

**Unfinished Business:**

a) Discussion Hwy 162 project. Hatlestad reported that the project plans are being moved back up to 2026.

**New Business:**

a) Discussion on Spring Election results. Hatlestad reported the following results:

State Superintendent of Public Instruction	Brittany Kinser – 159 votes
	Jill Underly – 173 votes
Justice of the Supreme Court	Brad Schimel – 182 votes
	Susan Crawford – 205 votes
Court of Appeals Judge	Jennifer Nashold – 270 votes
De Soto School Board – Town of Sterling	Rodney Marks – 159 votes
	Ryan Isbell – 101 votes
De Soto School Board – Village of Genoa	Tony Walker – 250 votes
De Soto School Board – Village of Stoddard	Nick Sonnenfeld – 270 votes
De Soto Referendum	Yes – 218 votes
	No – 158 votes
Village President	Bill Evans - 291 votes
Village Trustee	Scott Chiples - 194 votes
	Karen Long - 256 votes
	Write-In (registered) Terry Berra - 34 votes
State Question	Yes - 254 votes      No – 117 votes

b) Discussion on Open Book and Board of Review. Hatlestad reported that dates have been set: Open Book set for April 14<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 – 6:00 p.m., Board of Review – May 7<sup>th</sup>, 6:00-8:00 p.m. Jancyn Lepke – Chair.

c) Discussion on Downtown Beautification proposal. Hatlestad brought up the possibility of installing hanging baskets in the downtown area of Main Street. People could sponsor a basket and a list would be posted on Facebook and the Village website with the name of the people responsible. Motion Long, second Chiples to approve the project. All aye, motion carried.

**Communications:** The Vernon County Sheriff's Office will be conducting a "Drug Take Back" program on April 26<sup>th</sup>. Community members can bring unused/expired medication to Stoddard Village Hall between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. for disposal by the VCSD.

**License Applications:** Chad "Wild" Myhre Memorial Fishing Tournament, May 2-3, Picnic license. Motion Chiples, second Long to approve with the condition that the group present a certificate of liability insurance to the village office. All aye, motion carried.

Operator license. None.

**Public Comment:** None.

Motion Olson, second Long to adjourn. All aye. Motion carried.

Next meeting April 8th.

Village of Stoddard - General Fund  
**Check Register**  
 For the Period From Apr 1, 2025 to Apr 30, 2025

Filter Criteria includes: Report order is by Check Number.

Check #	Date	Payee	Cash Account	Amount
21832	4/2/25	Karla K. Berra	10001	207.79
21833	4/2/25	Carrie A. Brudos	10001	573.51
21834	4/2/25	Robert M. Hurlburt	10001	1,868.54
21835	4/2/25	Chad C. Maas	10001	1,374.91
21836	4/2/25	Leslie P. Wegener	10001	206.54
21837	4/2/25	Jo Ellen Oliver	10001	207.79
21838	4/2/25	Kent A. Hatlestad	10001	1,878.85
21839	4/7/25	USAbLe Life	10001	41.00
21840	4/7/25	Vernon Cty. Sheriff's Dept	10001	1,620.00
21841	4/7/25	Walsh's Ace Hardware	10001	360.60
21842	4/7/25	Mid-American Research C	10001	107.59
21843	4/7/25	Sam's Club/Synchrony Ba	10001	52.75
21844	4/7/25	Coon Valley Farmers Tele	10001	290.76
21845	4/7/25	Johns, Flaherty & Collins,	10001	330.00
21846	4/7/25	Johnson Block & Compan	10001	3,900.00
21847	4/7/25	GFL Environmental	10001	5,536.22
21848	4/14/25	Oak Ridge Painting & Bo	10001	2,500.00
21849	4/16/25	Carrie A. Brudos	10001	651.96
21850	4/16/25	Robert M. Hurlburt	10001	1,737.24
21851	4/16/25	Chad C. Maas	10001	1,381.95
21852	4/16/25	Kent A. Hatlestad	10001	1,866.61
21853	4/21/25	Goldman Sachs Bank US	10001	361.73
21854	4/21/25	Best Kept Portables	10001	200.00
21855	4/23/25	Verizon Wireless	10001	84.23
21856	4/23/25	USAbLe Life	10001	41.00
21857	4/30/25	Carrie A. Brudos	10001	714.65
21858	4/30/25	Robert M. Hurlburt	10001	1,797.78
21859	4/30/25	Chad C. Maas	10001	1,426.95
21860	4/30/25	Kent A. Hatlestad	10001	1,831.25
Total				33,152.20

# WORTH SERVICES

29808 Boydtown Hollow Rd ~ Wauzeka, WI 53826  
608-476-2262 Assessor@WorthServicesWI.com

## Annual Assessment Maintenance Contract for VILLAGE OF STODDARD

Period Covered: July 01, 2025 through June 30, 2028 (Tax years 2026, 2027, and 2028)

This contract for service is between the Village of Stoddard (municipality) and Worth Services (assessor). During the period above stated, the assessor shall perform services for the municipality per Enclosure (1). The municipality shall provide space for all property records and assessment manuals if/when necessary and a location for Board of Review.

For these services, the municipality shall make payment to the assessor as follows:

- \$8,800.00 total per year - All expenses for postage, gas, telephone, etc are included
- \$4,400.00 due March 01, annually
- \$4,400.00 due within 30 days of the closing of Board of Review, annually

Additional costs will be incurred by the municipality for the following services of the assessor:

- Extra days of Board of Review-\$30 per hour
- Furnishing testimony in defense of the value established by the Board of Review appeals to the DOR or the courts-\$30 per hour if done locally, \$150 per day if done out of town

This contract is submitted this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.

  
William Hanson

The above contract and terms are hereby accepted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

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Village of Stoddard President

\_\_\_\_\_  
Board member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Board member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk/Treasurer



**SHERIFF'S OFFICE**  
**COUNTY OF VERNON**  
1320 BAD AXE COURT  
VIROQUA, WISCONSIN 54665  
ROY TORGERSON, SHERIFF

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NATHAN CAMPBELL, CHIEF DEPUTY

Incident List - Stoddard

Printed on May 1, 2025

[CFS Date] is between '2025-04-01' and '2025-04-30' and [Zone->Zone] equals 'Village of Stoddard'

DATE/TIME	INCIDENT	LOCATION	ZONE	UNIT	Code
04/01/25 12:44:34	DRUGS	215 ELM DR	Village of Stoddard	16	N
04/01/25 22:27:57	MENTAL	350 ELM DR	Village of Stoddard	22	N
04/02/25 07:53:26	HANG UP PHONE CALL	920 BIRCH ST	Village of Stoddard		IMP
04/03/25 09:43:13	WELFARE CHECK	215 ELM DR	Village of Stoddard	15	N
04/03/25 11:11:11	PARK CHECK	500 DIVISION ST	Village of Stoddard	15	N
04/03/25 14:14:45	TRAFFIC STOP	2184-BLK STATE HIGHWAY 35	Village of Stoddard	15	W
04/03/25 14:38:02	TRAFFIC STOP	2184-BLK STATE HIGHWAY 35	Village of Stoddard	15	W
04/04/25 19:37:14	DEATH INVESTIGATION	144 S MAIN ST	Village of Stoddard	117, SFR, 25,	R
04/04/25 20:42:30	MISCELLANEOUS	149 S COTTAGE ST	Village of Stoddard		N
04/05/25 00:31:10	CIVIL MATTER	127 EASY ST	Village of Stoddard	25, LCSO	R
04/05/25 09:42:40	ACCIDENT (PD)	300-BLK N MAIN ST	Village of Stoddard	19	R
04/05/25 16:56:12	CORONER CALLS IN	880 BROADWAY ST	Village of Stoddard	117	N
04/05/25 19:59:48	DISORDERLY CONDUCT	409 S PEARL ST	Village of Stoddard	22	R
04/06/25 20:10:59	MEDICAL CALL	115 EASY ST	Village of Stoddard	TSA1, SFR	N
04/10/25 19:06:38	INV FOLLOW-UP	127 EASY ST	Village of Stoddard	14	N
04/10/25 21:05:08	SUSP ACTIVITY	350 ELM DR	Village of Stoddard	14	R
04/11/25 01:09:09	MEDICAL CALL	880 BROADWAY ST	Village of Stoddard	TSA1, SFR	N
04/11/25 09:41:00	MEDICAL CALL	880 BROADWAY ST	Village of Stoddard	TSA1, SFR	N
04/12/25 08:20:26	MEDICAL CALL	880 BROADWAY ST	Village of Stoddard	TSA1, SFR	N
04/12/25 17:17:06	ANIMAL	335 N MAIN ST	Village of Stoddard	19	N
04/12/25 21:18:23	SUSP ACTIVITY	636 DIVISION ST	Village of Stoddard	21	U
04/12/25 23:40:00	CORONER CALLS IN	880 BROADWAY ST	Village of Stoddard	117	N
04/13/25 20:23:06	MISSING	409 S PEARL ST	Village of Stoddard	19	N
04/13/25 22:54:18	MISCELLANEOUS	300 N COTTAGE ST	Village of Stoddard	19	N
04/14/25 09:19:09	DISORDERLY CONDUCT	880 BROADWAY ST	Village of Stoddard	22	N
04/14/25 19:23:01	TRAFFIC STOP	2184-BLK STATE HIGHWAY 35	Village of Stoddard	25	W
04/15/25 18:07:19	INV FOLLOW-UP	127 EASY ST	Village of Stoddard	14	N
04/16/25 10:27:58	TRAFFIC STOP	2184-BLK STATE HIGHWAY 35	Village of Stoddard	15	W
04/16/25 17:25:49	MEDICAL CALL	N1595 LAKE RD	Village of Stoddard	TSA1, SFR	N
04/16/25 21:52:54	MISSING	409 S PEARL ST	Village of Stoddard	19	N
04/17/25 09:51:59	PARK CHECK	500 DIVISION ST	Village of Stoddard	15	N
04/17/25 10:03:38	TRAFFIC STOP	200-BLK S MAIN ST	Village of Stoddard	15	W
04/17/25 22:12:18	MEDICAL CALL	N1595 LAKE RD	Village of Stoddard	TSA1, SFR	N
04/17/25 23:17:03	SCHOOL WALK-THROUGH	300 N COTTAGE ST	Village of Stoddard	21	N
04/18/25 15:26:07	MENTAL	409 S PEARL ST	Village of Stoddard	9	R
04/18/25 18:02:09	SPILL OR LEAK	405 DIVISION ST	Village of Stoddard	SFD1	N
04/18/25 19:29:45	CIVIL MATTER	335 EVERGREEN CT	Village of Stoddard	14	N
04/18/25 21:50:40	WARR SERV ATTEMPT	1364 TRAVIS ST	Village of Stoddard	LCSO	FOR
04/18/25 22:36:04	DOMESTIC	520 WHITE TAIL DR	Village of Stoddard	14	N

DATE/TIME	INCIDENT	LOCATION	ZONE	UNIT	Code
04/19/25 22:21:15	DOMESTIC	520 WHITE TAIL DR	Village of Stoddard	22	N
04/20/25 10:16:40	MEDICAL CALL	880 BROADWAY ST	Village of Stoddard	SFR, TSA1	N
04/20/25 14:42:50	MENTAL	409 S PEARL ST	Village of Stoddard	22	N
04/21/25 08:40:27	PARK CHECK	500 DIVISION ST	Village of Stoddard	17	N
04/21/25 11:31:01	MEDICAL CALL	304 DIVISION ST	Village of Stoddard	SFR, TSA1	N
04/22/25 09:57:34	ABANDONED VEH	100-BLK N MAIN ST	Village of Stoddard	18	W
04/22/25 18:18:44	DISORDERLY CONDUCT	409 S PEARL ST	Village of Stoddard	19	N
04/23/25 07:51:35	PAPER SERV	215 ELM DR	Village of Stoddard	9	N
04/23/25 07:52:30	SCHOOL WALK-THROUGH	300 N COTTAGE ST	Village of Stoddard	9	N
04/23/25 07:54:46	CONTROLLED BURN	430 S PEARL ST	Village of Stoddard		CB
04/23/25 08:28:07	ALARM TEST/PROBLEMS	188 N MAIN ST	Village of Stoddard		N
04/23/25 15:46:19	TRAFFIC	N MAIN ST / PROKSCH COULEE RD	Village of Stoddard	9, LCSO	FOR
04/23/25 18:56:02	SUSP ACTIVITY	500 DIVISION ST	Village of Stoddard	14	U
04/24/25 10:06:13	CONTROLLED BURN	322 N MAIN ST	Village of Stoddard		CB
04/25/25 18:25:44	WELFARE CHECK	128 EASY ST	Village of Stoddard	19	N
04/25/25 19:46:23	DISORDERLY CONDUCT	202 N MAIN ST	Village of Stoddard	19	N
04/26/25 09:05:21	ASSIST OUT. AGENCY	OAK ST / BIRCH ST	Village of Stoddard		N
04/26/25 09:43:22	MISCELLANEOUS	188 N MAIN ST	Village of Stoddard	14	N
04/27/25 20:37:15	TRAFFIC STOP	400-BLK N MAIN ST	Village of Stoddard	24	N
04/27/25 21:40:00	TRAFFIC STOP	200-BLK N MAIN ST	Village of Stoddard	24	C
04/27/25 22:03:11	TRAFFIC STOP	329 N MAIN ST	Village of Stoddard	24	C
04/30/25 16:48:18	MEDICAL CALL	226 S PEARL ST	Village of Stoddard	TSA2, SFR2	N

**Total Records: 61**