

Ordinances of the Village of Greenbush, Roseau County, Minnesota

Ordinance No 1

Relating to, Defining and Regulating the Meetings, Duties and Business of the Village Council.

The Village Council of the Village of Greenbush do ordain as follows:

Sec. 1. There shall be a regular meeting of the Village Council on the first Tuesday each month, and it shall be the duty of the Council at its first meeting to designate the time for regular meetings for the ensuing year, and special meetings may be called by any two trustees, by filing written notice of such meeting with the Village Recorder; and when the Village Recorder receives such notice of any special meeting he shall duly notify all members of the council of the time and place of such meeting.

Sec.2. It shall be the duty of every member of the said village council to be promptly present at all meetings thereof, whether regular or special: and it shall also be the duty of every member present at any meeting, the President excepted, to vote upon every motion that is properly put before such meeting, and the president shall vote whenever his vote is necessary to decide any question before the council. And any member of the council who shall fail or refuse to comply with the provisions of this section, without satisfactory cause, explanation or excuse, may be, by resolution of the council, fined in any sum not exceeding ten dollars (\$10.00), for each and every such offense, and if such member refuses to pay such fine, he may be proceeded against before any Justice of the Peace of said Village upon complaint of any member of said council, in a summary manner, and upon conviction for such offense shall be fined not less than ten dollars (\$10.00), not more than twenty dollars (\$20.00) and the costs of such prosecution, and in default of the payment of such fine and costs, such member may be imprisoned in the county jail or village jail for a period not exceeding ten days.

Sec. 3. The President shall, when present, preside at all meetings of the council; in his absence the council may select any one of the Trustees to preside; any three members of the council shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business and any two members may adjourn any meeting from time to time when necessary.

Sec. 4. Order of Business: The following shall govern the proceedings of the council so far as practical:

- 1st. Reading of the minutes of the last meeting and, the disposition thereof.
- 2nd. Unfinished business.
- 3rd. Reports of committees in the order in which such committees were appointed.
- 4th. Hearing petitions and the disposition thereof.
- 5th. Examining and disposing of bills.
- 6th. Miscellaneous.

Robert's Rules of Order shall govern all meetings of the Village Council.

Sec.5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication.

Passed January 23, 1905

A.P. Kukowski
President of Council

Attest: Torjus Luudevall
Recorder

Council reviewed the bylaws. A motion was made by June Novak and seconded by Arnold Pederson that the City Council of the City of Greenbush shall adopt an Amendment to Ordinance No 1. Upon being placed to a vote, the same passed unanimously by the Council.

An Ordinance Relating to, Defining and Regulating the meetings, duties and business of the City Council.

Sec 1. Delete the following: There shall be a regular meeting of the City Council on the First Tuesday in each month,

Sec 1. Will now read: There shall be a regular meeting of the City Council on the Third Monday of each month,

Adopted by the Council this 6th day of January, 1981.

Adrian Pulczinski
Mayor

Attest:
Nancy Evans
Clerk-Treasurer