



**TOWN OF St. JOHN**  
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**MEETING OF OCTOBER 23, 2023**

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Webb. Councilmembers Bezdicek, Hamshar, Smick and Smith, Public Works Steve Gibson and Steven Engles, Century West’s Matt Morkert and Hunter Carrol, and the Town clerk attended the meeting. On Facetime was SJ Environmental’s Sam Snead.

The minutes of the October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023 meeting were read and approved as read.

The payables were presented to the Council for their review and discussion. The payables were moved by Smick and seconded by Smith—motion carried by a vote of the Council.

CL# 15148-15160 & EFT’s	\$ 18,248.13
PR# 15161-15165 & EFT’s	\$ 14,315.97

Judy Hergert was a no show.

Matt Morkert presented the Bid packet for the treatment plant. Location of building and equipment needed. This packet is for equipment only. Discussion ensued on the different elements for the plant and backup options. Matt will send the bid package and handouts to SJ Environmental for their review and input. After review and possible changes, the packet will be sent to Diana Washington of Ecology for approval.

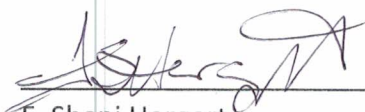
Sam Snead updated the council on the composite sampler. The application has been sent to WECL and the samplers are in the process of being obtained.

6 S Jennings has still not submitted an approved L&I electrical inspection. The clerk will contact L&I to see if there are fines associated with this.

The use of the Meeting Room was discussed for the Garden Club during Winterfest and the sewing group Thread Catchers. After discussion, it was agreed the groups may use the Meeting Room for their prospective events at no cost due to the nature of the organizations. They are responsible for making sure the Meeting Room is clean and put back to the original condition after use.

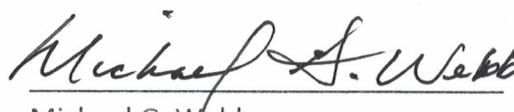
The Mayor has had multiple conversations with the school in regards to the drainage issue. The council still has concerns about the dry wells planned. A conversation with Shoemaker will need to take place also. The school and the Town are two separate projects, but the success of each is linked to the other.

No request for additional comments was stated and it was moved by Mayor Webb, seconded, and unanimously agreed to adjourn. The Meeting was adjourned at 7:38 PM.



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F. Shani Hergert  
CLERK-TREASURER



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Michael G. Webb  
MAYOR