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## **President's Report**

**July 11, 2022**

- 1. Agnus Klonowski House** –Michael Parish has made contact with Dawn and is working with her to obtain the information that we need to acquire this property. Once the information on this house attained, Michael will start the paperwork to obtain this property.
- 2. Electronic Sign** - Jerry Stam, Don, Dennis and I met with Brian Mazurek from Vernon and Maz to discuss an electronic sign for the Village. We looked at 5 or 6 locations for a new sign and we ended by back at the site of the current sign. Brian really liked that location; he said the biggest issue was the new sign needed to be lowered to eye level. Dennis and Don said they could get the electricity to that location if we decide to move forward with this project. This sign can be used for us to get messages out to the community much easier and quicker. The sign will eliminate the cost of our guys manually changing the sign. In addition, we can charge a small fee for people to post messages such as happy birthdays and anniversaries. Also, the schools and churches could post messages as well. Initially, we could use some of our Covid money to cover the cost of this project. I have asked for Brian to give us at least an estimate on the cost for the sign. We'll have more on this next month.
- 3. Water Project Phase 1** – I spoke with Neil last week concerning our Phase 1 water project that is listed on the July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022 EPA projects. We have better news. The forgiveness has now gone up to \$1.135 million instead of the \$1 million. This will put our loan payback at just under \$2 million dollars. The monthly payment for this first loan will be around \$7,000 per month. Again, these payments will be coming from our Water Fund, not from our Tax Base. We will be breaking ground on this phase most likely in mid to last August.