The Town of Preston met on Monday, January 8, 2024, at the town hall. The meeting was called to order at 5:30 PM by Darrel. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Certification of Open Meeting Law Requirements was met. Roll call was held with Ron, Philip, Darrel, Mary and Cathy present.

Motion by Darrel, second by Ron to approve the agenda as printed. Motion carried.

Motion by Ron, second by Philip to approve the minutes of the December 11, 2023, regular board meeting. Motion carried.

The financial report for December was approved with a motion by Philip, second by Darrel. Motion carried.

The disbursements for January were approved with a motion from Ron, second by Philip. Motion carried.

Public comment: None.

Patrolman’s report: guys are brushing and sanding.

Motion by Ron, second by Philip to approve 2024 road agreement with SES (Source Energy Solutions) Preston Mine with no changes from the 2023 agreement.

Discussion on shared roads with city, Ron will contact them to set up meeting to clarify who does what and when.

Office heat is working, there was a short in the furnace that pushes the heat there. There is also a water leak in the furnace that Sampson will check on a return visit.

Roadwork: Patrolmen request a check for using brine on roads, Darrel will check cost from the County. LRIP of $30,000 approved for Irvin’s Coulee Road.

Equipment: Western Star is fixed; wires were stretched loose.

Announcements: BOR training at upcoming District Meetings

Suggestions for agenda items for the next regularly scheduled board meeting on February 12, 2024: Delmore road update, City/Town roads and culverts on Blom Road.

Motion to adjourn at 6:11 PM by Ron, second by Philip. Motion carried.