

July 3, 1973

A special meeting of the Crosslake village council was held at 8:00 P.M. in the village hall. Present were Mayor Kluender, councilmen Olson, Foss and Schneider and R. E. Schalow, Clerk. Also present were: M. L. Hilsabeck, Civil Defense Coordinator, Francis Fraser, Fire Chief, Leo Fraser, Ass't. Fire Chief, and John Backdahl Police Chief and Jerry Sainio.

Purpose of the meeting was to discuss plans for a Civil Defense Emergency Center.

Mayor Kluender called the meeting to order and Mr. Hilsabeck related certain facts to the group regarding such a center.

The village mayor to have complete charge of all emergency operations within the village. He or the Crow Wing County Sheriff can issue a call for the National Guard. Mr. Hilsabeck indicated that ALL volunteer workers must report to a coordinator before going into the area. It was suggested that the Fire Chief and Police Chief work together in their work.

Mr. Hilsabeck indicates that the Establishment of an Emergency Operating Center was the first order of business in event of a disaster. Chief Fraser suggested that perhaps thought should be given to making advance plans for such a center, with choices ranging in order such as 1-2-3 etc. In event the first selection was found to be unusable--the 2nd building would be used. The same sort of plan was to be put in effect for a Red Cross center.

Mayor Kluender suggested that this plan be given some thought and that a second meeting of the group be set for a later date to determine the choices of the two locations.

Mr. Hilsabeck pointed out that ALL law enforcement within the village was under the control of the police chief.

After this discussion ended, clerk Schalow asked who was to handle the reorder of gasoline for the village tank, and the size of the tank that was buried. It was indicated that the tank that was purchased was a 500 gal tank but that the first fill was 550. It was decided that Councilman Olson would make arrangements with Chief Backdahl to arrange for the reorder of gasoline.



R. E. Schalow, Clerk