

Hancock Township
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Supervisor: Kenneth Moyle 906-482-8856

Clerk: Lori Young 906-281-0256

Treasurer: James Moore 906-482-0465

Trustee: Julianne Haischer 906-483-0247

Trustee: Ronald Racine 906-337-2799

The regular meeting October 12th, 2020 of Hancock Twp. Board was called to order at 7:00 pm by Supervisor Moyle with all members present.

The minutes of the previous monthly meeting were approved as presented.

It was moved by Trustee Haischer and supported by Trustee Racine to accept the Treasurer report with a total fund balance of \$299,520.72 as presented by Treasurer Moore. MOTION CARRIED

It was moved by Trustee Racine and supported by Supervisor Moyle to pay the October bills totaling \$6,839.99. Vouchers 12087 thru 12104. MOTION CARRIED

REPORTS:

Fire Dept. was paged out twice. Car accident by old fire hall on 41 and fire by Lily Pond/on road by Lily Pond. It was a small controlled burn on top of hill. Land owner had a permit to burn.

Truck was in shop but has an exhaust leak. Trucks are usable.

Cemetery is being cleaned up for the year and closing soon.

CORRESPONDENCE:

MERS (Pension Plan) 5 Board Members participate in plan (Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, & 2 Trustees) and no vesting period. It was moved by Treasurer Moore and supposed by Supervisor Moyle to approve the addendum of our MERS define contribution plan. MOTION CARRIED.

Shorewaves sent bill for an increase of \$25 a month. They are back billing us for a couple months but Treasurer Moore is calling to ask for clarification of increase.

Portage Lake Water & Sewage notifying township of using bio solids for John Lukowski property.

MJO will be doing snow removal for township. Supervisor Moyle ordered more coffee for MJO.

Received a call from a township resident in regards to a property that used to be Erkkila Road. Blocking off road and went to court and can't be blocked. They cut in a road but wanting a new road name. If private road residents will need to purchase a sign of new road.

Waiting to hear from Tim Luoma if he is able to do 10 or 20% more of the tax roll audit.

OLD BUSSINESS:

Lauri Markkinen will be taking over cleaning township hall. Lauri is a township residents. Cindy's Odd Jobs will be no longer cleaning township hall.

Baraga Telephone Internet service is on hold but hoping to get started in October.

Treasurer Moore is working on street signs.

NEW BUSSINESS:

Troy & Emily Johnston proposed parcel split of 5 acres on Salo Road of 24 acres, Roll call taken Moyle- YES, Racine-YES, Haischer-YES, Young-YES, Moore-YES

Barry Gaudette was here for township audit on October 3rd and found some errors but Treasurer Moore corrected spreadsheets. He seemed satisfied with everything for township and should have everything by end of the month.

Metal roof completed at storage unit at township hall and cemetery storage unit roof will be completed soon.

November 20th the new township board member will assume their positions and need to be sworn in.

Supervisor Moyle cleaned out storage unit.

John Deere tractor in storage unit sold for \$300.

Supervisor Moyle & Keith Koski will be changing out the bulbs to the LED lights for township hall.

Pete G. will contact RC Mechanical to clean furnace for township.

Supervisor Moyle will be checking on capacity for township hall with fire marshal.

Board Meeting for County will meet on 10/13.

With no further business to come before the board, it was moved by Trustee Racine to adjourn. Without objection, the meeting was adjourned at 8:18 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Lori Young, Clerk

Kenneth Moyle, Supervisor