

REYNOLDS TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING MINUTES

2.8.18

Supervisor Kindel called the regular Meeting of the Board to order at 7:00 pm., Pledge of Allegiance was given. Invocation was given by Pastor Frank Taylor of Deerfield Bible Church, Morley.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Supervisor Kindel, Clerk Sholty, Treasurer Stedman, Trustee Eversole and Dave Saucier.

CONSENT AGENDA: Deputy McConnell presented the Police Report and Zoning Administrator, Mark Stevens presented the Zoning Report.

Motion: Approve consent agenda consisting of January 11, 2018 Regular Meeting of the Board Minutes, Police Report, Fire Report, Zoning Report, Library Report and the Township's Monthly Bills. Motion by Saucier, 2nd by Sholty, Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Motion Carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

Tax Account – Treasurer Stedman returned a Q&A paper and reports requested by the Board to be addressed in the meeting. Entire Board did not receive packet handed to Supervisor and had no time to look things over.

Q & A: Township Board asked how much money had to be refunded due to 3 tax bills going out and how many residents were affected? Were refund checks written to the residents?

Treasurer: 246 and yes.

Board: How much more money was owed by the resident (from original tax bill that went out) and how many residents were affected? Treasurer: Less than 50.

Board: How many residents received delinquent bills that had actually paid on time?

Treasurer: None.

Board: Residents have complained of receiving delinquent tax bills.

Board: Requested a list of all uncashed refund checks (name and amount) in the Mercantile Bank Tax account. Treasurer reported 17 + 2 for a total of \$3,548.41. of uncleared checks.

Treasurer stated there was about \$6,000 in tax account before he took over.

Township Improvements: Carpet installed, LED lights installed, working on Handicap Restrooms in new fiscal year.

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NEW BUSINESS:

Motion: Adopt Resolution R2018-0208-01, 2018 Federal Poverty Guidelines & Asset Test.

Motion by Sholty, 2nd by Stedman, Roll Call Vote: Kindel – Aye; Stedman – Aye; Saucier – Aye; Eversole – Aye; Sholty – Aye. Resolution Declared Adopted.

Motion: Adopt Resolution R2018-0308-02 To approve alternate start date for March Board of Review. Motion by Eversole, 2nd by Sholty, Roll Call Vote: Stedman – Aye; Sholty – Aye; Kindel – Aye; Saucier – Aye; Eversole – Aye. Resolution Declared Adopted.

Discussion regarding budget items for a proposed budget Public Hearing in March

Motion: Accept Brining Contract with Montcalm County Road Commission, 4 applications at a cost of \$21,146. Motion by Eversole, 2nd by Stedman, Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Motion Carried.

Clean-up Day/Tire correspondence has been sent out to residents with assessment. This is a joint effort with the Village of Howard City and Pierson Township. Village of Howard City will contribute \$2500 and a couple workers.

There will be a School Election, May 8th.

2017-18 Audit is scheduled for May 30th.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

BOARD COMMENTS: Clerk Sholty would like to thank the Village of Howard City, Department of Public Works for the great maintenance of our roads. After driving on horrible roads in other cities it is nice to come home and be able to drive on safe roads.

Meeting adjourned: 8:28 p.m. Motion by Eversole, 2nd by Sholty, Ayes: 5, Nays: 0

Next Meeting: March 8, 2018, 7:00 pm, 215 E. Edgerton St., Howard City. For more information, call the township office at 231 937-6739 or check our website at www.reynoldstwp.org.