Loud Township Board Regular Meeting Loud Township Hall 3882 M-33, Atlanta, Michigan 49709

October 19, 2017

Call to order

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m., by Kari Klein, Clerk

Members present:

Kari Klein, Elva Duncan, Mary Hubbard, Bob Hosmer

Absent: Benu Williams

Minutes Approved from September 21, 2017-Regular Meeting- with no corrections. Motion made by Duncan. 2nd by Hosmer, carried unanimously.

Correspondence: Invite from Alpena-Montmorency Soil Conservation District for Annual Meeting. Klein announced AV Ballots are available.

Bills To Be Approved: Prepared by Klein- Motion by Duncan, 2nd by Hosmer. Motion carried unanimously.

Treasurers Report: Prepared by Hubbard (see attached)

Other Reports:

Sheriff Department: Not present.

<u>Landfill Report:</u> Engineers gave a presentation on the Storm Water Maintenance Cell C. Lagoons are good. Landfill is unsure if they can continue to take in contaminated soil, due to the amounts. Raises were given for office personnel.

County Road Commission: Not present.

<u>Ambulance Report:</u> Auto repair locations have been changed. One rig needs to be replaced. One of the personnel passed the Critical Care Exam. Reviewing BCBS Insurance.

Fire Report- Insurance presentations were given by two companies. LED lights were ordered from a different provider. A total of 56 runs to date. Hillman Tower is having issues, may need work. Donations are still coming in from members of the community for the station improvements:

<u>Assessor</u>: Downing reported that lines will now be imposed by Equalization to townships if the 4029 is not submitted to Equalization on time. All assessing will be transitioned to Marshall-Swift. BSA will no longer be used as a calculator tool. Building permits continue to be an issue due to inability to print. The board asked Downing to bring more information regarding this to the next meeting (November).

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<u>Public Comment:</u> Mrs. Danks asked if the board could do anything in regards to Verizon and cellphone service in our area. Internet services were also discussed as being an issue to no good services available.

Unfinished Business:

911 Signs- Hubbard informed board Harwood Road is now ready to put signage up. She will contact board members soon to hold a work bee.

New Business:

Snow Removal Bids- Motion to advertise for snow removal bids. Bids will be advertised in the Tribune and The Herald. Bids will be due November 13, 2017.

Public Comment: Mr. Danks encouraged the board to advertise in the Alpena News for snow bids. Sno-Drift Rally is scaling back this year.

Adjournment:

Klein adjourned the meeting at 8:06 p.m. with no objections.

Submitted by: Kari Klein

Approved By: Beau Williams, Supervisor

Beau Williams