

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

January 20, 2022

Call to order

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Robin Chinavare, Clerk

Appoint Chairperson in the Supervisors absence

A motion to appoint Chinavare as the Chairperson was made by Stehle, 2nd by Rippee. Motion carried unanimously.

Members present:

Robin Chinavare, Donna Stehle, Kimberly Rippee, Robert Hosmer

Members Absent:

Beau Williams

Minutes Approved from December 16, 2021-Regular Meeting- with no corrections. *Motion made by Stehle, 2nd by Hosmer, motion carried unanimously.*

Correspondence: Minutes received from the Tri-Township Fire Department. PAR Plan News. Tri-Township Ambulance 2022 meeting schedule and minutes.

Bills to Be Approved: Prepared by Chinavare- *A motion to approve the bills to be paid was made by Stehle, 2nd by Hosmer, motion carried unanimously.*

Treasurers Report: Prepared by Rippee (see attached)

Other Reports:

Sheriff Department: No representative present.

Landfill Report: Reported by Gary Girardin There were two meetings. There was discussion on Loud Township Taxes. Recycling is coming.

County Road Commission: No representative present.

Fire Report: Reported by Donna Stehle. The budget was amended for \$500.00 to set up the office for the new Fire Chief.

Ambulance Report- Reported by Connie Danks. The Board officers will remain the same. There were 2 new hires, one EMT and one Medic. They are looking for a waiver on mandatory vaccines. They are looking for a grant writer, offering a 5% award. They are in need of cardiac monitors, costing \$30,000. A loan is being taken for a new van for \$110,000.

Assessor- No representative present.

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Public Comment: None

Unfinished Business:

- a. Playground- tabled until the spring or prices.
- b. American Rescue Plan- *A motion to hire an account to fill out the required report, if needed, was made by Chinavare, 2nd by Stehle. Motion carried unanimously.*
- c. Tree Cutting-Williams will do.
- d. Cemetery Markers-Work to begin in the spring. Will discuss wage for labor at a future meeting.
- e. M-33 Access-Waiting on a response from Paige Perry with the DNR

New Business:

Salary Resolutions- Board discussion held regarding a salary increase for all board members. *Motion to increase all board members salary by 5.9% for the next fiscal year was made by Chinavare, 2nd by Hosmer. Followed by a Roll Call Vote. Rippee: YES, Chinavare: YES, Hosmer: YES, Stehle: YES. ABSENT: Williams*

Motion for Resolution for the Supervisor salary to increase to \$7567.56 annually by Chinavare, 2nd by Stehle. Followed by a Roll Call Vote. Stehle: YES, Chinavare: YES, Hosmer: YES. Rippee: YES. ABSENT: Williams

Motion for Resolution for the Treasurer salary to increase to \$7567.56 annually made by Chinavare, 2nd by Stehle. Followed by a Roll Call Vote. Rippee: YES, Chinavare: YES, Hosmer: YES Stehle: YES. ABSENT: Williams

Motion for Resolution for the Clerk salary to increase to \$7567.56 annually made by Rippee, 2nd by Stehle. Followed by a Roll Call Vote. Stehle: YES, Chinavare: YES, Hosmer: YES Rippee: YES. ABSENT: Williams

Motion for Resolution for the Trustee salary to increase to \$1235.76 annually made by Chinavare, 2nd by Rippee. Followed by a Roll Call Vote. Rippee: YES, Chinavare: YES, Hosmer: YES Stehle: YES. ABSENT: Williams

Salary/Hourly wage for Non-Board Members

Discussion was held to increase wages by 5.9%, with rounding, for all positions beginning the next fiscal year as follows.

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A motion to increase the Deputy Treasurer wage to \$12.00 per hour, Deputy Clerk wage to \$12.00 per hour, Treasurer Per Diem/Tax Prep to \$11.65 per hour, Assessor Per Diem/Prep to \$11.65 per hour, Board of Review hourly rate to \$11.65 per hour, Election Inspector Chair to \$12.00 per hour, Election inspector to \$11.65 per hour was made by Rippee, 2nd by Stehle. Followed by a roll call vote. Rippee: YES, Chinavare: YES, Hosmer: YES, Stehle: YES. ABSENT: Williams

A motion to increase the Janitor salary to \$133.00 per month was made by Rippee, 2nd by Chinavare. Followed by a roll call vote. Rippee: YES, Chinavare: YES, Hosmer: YES, Stehle: YES. ABSENT: Williams

A motion to increase the Assessor salary to \$7850.28 per year was made by Chinavare, 2nd by Stehle. Followed by a roll call vote. Rippee: YES, Chinavare: YES, Hosmer: YES, Stehle: YES ABSENT: Williams

Mileage Reimbursement for Loud Township- The IRS standard mileage rate has increased to .585 per mile beginning January 1, 2022. *A motion to reimburse mileage at \$.58 beginning in February was made by Chinavare, 2nd by Rippee. Motion carried unanimously.*

Annual Meeting of Electors- The Loud Township Annual Meeting of Electors will be on March 26, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. at the Loud Township Hall.

Budget Workshop and Hearing Dates- The Loud Township Budget Workshop will be on March 4, 2022 at 3 p.m. and the Budget Hearing on March 17, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. both located at the Loud Township Hall.

Poverty Exemption- *Motion made to accept the presented Poverty Exemption Income Guidelines and Asset Test 2022 as a Board Resolution by Chinavare, 2nd by Rippee. Followed by a Roll Call Vote. Rippee: YES, Chinavare: YES, Hosmer: YES Stehle: YES ABSENT: Williams*

Board of Review Meeting-The Board of Review will meet on March 2, 2022

Board of Review Training-*A motion was made to reimburse Gretchen for online training and to pay for Gary Girardin to attend in person training by Chinavare, 2nd by Stehle. Motion carried unanimously.*

Election Worker Training-*A motion was made to send election workers to two trainings and pay \$35 per training plus mileage by Chinavare, 2nd by Stehle. Motion carried unanimously.*

SOME Audit-The annual audit is being scheduled with SOME.

MTA Meeting- Reported by Stehle. A representative from 211 was the presenter. Handouts are available to those that would like them. Mike Brilinski with the VA was at the meeting. Flags

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and markers are available for use at the cemetery. Officers were chosen. Ken Werner is the Chairman. Donna Stehle is the Vice Chairwoman.

Public Comment: None

Adjournment:

Chinavare adjourned the meeting at 7:50 p.m. with no objections.



Submitted by: Robin Chinavare



Approved By: Beau Williams, Supervisor

LOUD TOWNSHIP
 Financial Report-*unaudited 01/31/2022*

Beginning balance as of		12/31/2021	\$ 324,232.34
CFCU Gen Fund Money M beginning balance \$ 248,718.11			
	Loud Twp Admin Fee	\$ 4,222.86	
	Loud Twp Operating Interest	\$ - \$ 53.94	
	Revenue Sharing		
	ARPA Grant	\$ 14,706.00	
	Swampland Tax		
	Total Receipts		
	Transfer out<<<< to general checking	\$ 4,000.00	
	to limited use ck'g		
	BALANCE		\$ 263,700.91
General Checking beginning balance \$ 2,535.78			
	Deliquent Tax		
	Admin fee		
	Bankhead Jones		
	574 Revenue Sharing		
	Transfer in>>>> from Money Mkt	\$ 4,000.00	
	Total checks	14 \$ 3,783.81	
	BALANCE		\$ 2,751.97
Limited Use Ck'g beginning balance \$ 622.13			
	PC Vvaccine	\$ 50.00	
	BOR Training	\$ 128.00	
	Transfer in>>>>		\$ 444.13
CFCU Certificate of Deposit \$ 21,796.74			
	#33 BALANCE	\$ -	
	beginning balance		\$ 21,796.74
CFCU Cert of Deposit Interest \$ -			
	#45 BALANCE	\$ -	
	beginning balance		
CFCU Cert of Deposit \$16,789.98			
	#46 BALANCE	\$ -	
	beginning balance		\$16,789.98
CFCU Cert of Deposit Interest \$ 11,874.66			
	#47 BALANCE	\$ -	
	beginning balance		\$ 11,874.66
CFCU Cert of Deposit Interest \$ 21,894.94			
	#48 BALANCE	\$ -	
	beginning balance		\$ 21,894.94
Total in General Fund Interest \$ 339,253.33			
BALANCE			
CFCU Loud Twp tax acct BALANCE on 01/31/2022 \$ 9,922.03			
	Summer taxes collected as of 02/14/2022	\$416,013	94%
Submit	Winter taxes collected balance as of 02/14/2022	\$136,148	85%
	Kim Rinnee - Township Treasurer	2/14/2022	