

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

May 18, 2017

Call to order

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m., by Beau Williams, Supervisor

Members present:

Kari Klein, Elva Duncan, Mary Hubbard, Bob Hosmer and Beau Williams.

Minutes Approved from April 20, 2017-Regular Meeting- with no corrections. *Motion made by Hosmer, 2nd by Hubbard, carried unanimously.*

Correspondence: Resolution from Montmorency County Road Commission received stating they will cover 50% of the expense of the first application of brine to the areas within Loud Township (Brining will be discussed later on agenda).

Up North Prevention will be hosting a Medical Marihuana Workshop on May 31st, 2017 (Beau will gather more information and contact Board).

Mary presented Board with a Loss/Risk Assessment document provided by the Michigan Participating Plan. (Tabled until June Meeting)

LED Survey Email was sent to the Board offering a free evaluation (Mary will research).

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. Stats reviewed by Board.

Landfill Report: Girardin reported, a new cell is being built it should be ready within approx. two years.

County Road Commission: Not present. Williams took comments from public on roads within the township that need attention and will contact the Road Commission Supervisor.

Ambulance Report: Williams reported, Audit has taken place- no official results yet. Sensitivity training took place for employees. The service is now able to give continuing education/training credits for employees once they participate/attend these trainings.

Fire Report- Duncan reported: There will be an open house provided by the Fire Department after the Fourth of July Parade, with hotdogs provided- cost will be by donation. The department

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is currently checking on prices for kitchen equipment. Approval to purchase batteries for saws was given by the Board.

Assessor: Not Present. Williams discussed a new application available for phones that he has found greatly helpful with property lines, maps, etc. He will discuss this with Deb.

Public Comment: Mr. Danks questioned about reopening the township property located on the corner of Lockwood Lake Road as a baseball field. Mr. Danks also questioned Blight issue on M-33 now that camper trailers have been recently placed on the property. Suzanne Loperfido and John Hudson, current owners of the former Hunters Home Bar Property requested that the Board write a letter to the State of Michigan in support of issuing them the one Liquor License available in Loud Township. (Board responded that more information is needed)

Unfinished Business:

NONE

New Business:

Road Brining- Motion to perform one application of brine to the route within Loud Township with the exception of Pocahontas Trail and Hunt Creek Road. Motion made by Klein, 2nd by Hubbard. Motion carried unanimously.

Wage Increase/Hourly Workers- Motion to increase hourly workers for township business to \$10.00 per hour. Motion made by Hubbard, 2nd by Duncan. Motion carried unanimously.

Wage Increase Deputy/Election Chair- Motion to increase wages for Deputies and Election Chairperson to the amount of \$10.25 per hour while conducting township business. Motion made by Duncan, 2nd by Hubbard. Motion carried unanimously.

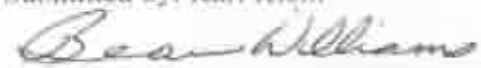
Public Comment: Mr. Girardin stated he would be absent for a few landfill meetings in June due to personal reasons.

Adjournment:

Williams adjourned the meeting at 8:32 p.m. with no objections.



Submitted by: Kari Klein



Approved By: Beau Williams, Supervisor