

Loud Township Board  
Regular Meeting  
Loud Township Hall  
3910 M-33, Atlanta, Michigan 497

August 21, 2014

**Call to order**

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

**Members present:**

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

**Minutes Approved from July 17<sup>th</sup>, 2014** -Regular Meeting- Motion made by Elva Duncan, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Bob Hosmer, carried unanimously.

**Minutes Approved from August 20, 2014**- Special Meeting-Motion made by Mary Hubbard, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Elva Duncan, carried unanimously.

**Public Comments:**

Discussion regarding the special meeting on August 20, 2014 pertaining to public comments. Grammatical and Spelling Errors found on minutes approved by the board.

**Correspondence:** NONE

**Bills To Be Approved:** Prepared by Mary Hubbard (see attached) Motion made by Elva Duncan, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Bob Hosmer – Motion carried unanimously.

**Treasurers Report:** Given by Mary Hubbard (see attached), Motion by Elva Duncan, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Bob Hosmer- Motion carried unanimously.

**Reports:**

Sheriff Department: Not in Attendance

Landfill Report: Given by Stacy Carroll, RER will be at next meeting (August 22, 2014) and will give updates regarding breaking ground. The landfill will soon be paying off a balloon loan for a compactor. New pumps are laid out. She warned once gasification occurs township checks will be decreasing.

Fireboard Report: Given by Elva Duncan, The recent Open House on July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2014 was a success. Water rescue training was held recently at Clear Lake. The new hall is still in need of new shutters, lights for sign and a flag pole. Fireman Bill Burling has announced his retirement.

Ambulance Report: Beau Williams reported that no meeting occurred due to lack of attendance from Briley Township. A quorum was not able to be formed.

County Road Commission: Not in Attendance

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Assessor: Not in Attendance

**Unfinished Business:**

911 signs- Beau Williams stated many signs are still not up in township, raised the question of whether or not Loud Twp. should step up and assist citizens. Since survey was sent out with taxes- we are still waiting on response of citizens. Topic is to be reviewed again at next regular meeting.

**New Business:**

Road Brining- Beau Williams stated the cost of brine has increased more than estimated within current budget. Question was raised in regard to brining a second time this year due to cost and recent rains. No motion was made regarding roads to be brined again due to fall rains already beginning.

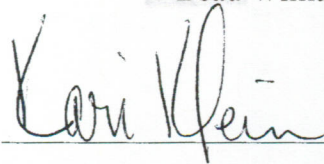
Township website: Newly appointed clerk Kari Klein requested more time to investigate current site- board will revisit topic next month.

Former Clerks outside assignments: Landfill & MTA- Elva Duncan volunteered to cover MTA obligation. Landfill minutes will be emailed to the clerk and Stacy Carroll volunteered to provide a summary each month- until a more permanent arrangement can be arranged.

Public Comment: Discussion regarding upcoming audit in September. Comments were given to the township election workers for a smooth running Primary Election in August. Questions were presented about locks being changed due to turnover of employee. Locks have been changed.

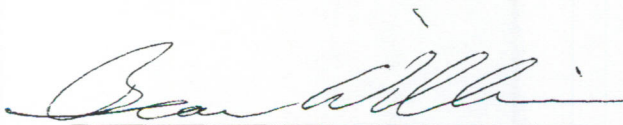
**Adjournment:**

Beau Williams adjourned the meeting at 8:28 p.m. with no objections.



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Submitted by: Kari Klein, Clerk



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Approved By: Beau Williams, Supervisor