

Township of Clinton  
Lenawee County  
172 W. Mich. Ave.

September 9, 2024

Clinton Township Hall

Clinton Township Board Meeting:

The Clinton Township Board Meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by the Supervisor and the pledge was given to the American flag. Supervisor Greenleaf, Clerk Scott, Treasurer Thompson, Trustee Couture and Trustee Murphy were present.

Motion Murphy 2<sup>nd</sup> Thompson to accept August 12, 2024 minutes. 5 yes 0 no Motion Passed.

Guest Introduction and Citizens present: Warren & Linda Starks, Leslie Kovalski, Sandie Brissette, Jeromy Zarko, Nancy Wilt, Mary & Mark Gallup, Dillion Howe.

Citizen Comments: Warren & Linda Starks commented on how well Riverside Cemetery is looking after Jeromy Zarko the new sexton has taken over and how Barb Merritt the deputy clerk has gone above and beyond to help them with cemetery issues.

Motion Couture 2<sup>nd</sup> Scott to accept Treasurers report as presented. 5 yes 0 no Motion Passed.

Clerk Scott discussed that Clinton, Precinct 2 has been selected for the BOE Audit of the August 2024 election.

Motion Murphy 2<sup>nd</sup> Couture to accept Clerks report as presented. 5 yes 0 no Motion Passed.

Motion Murphy 2<sup>nd</sup> Thompson to pay \$24,130.26 101 Township 5 yes 0 no Motion Passed.

Motion Couture 2<sup>nd</sup> Murphy to pay \$3,438.93 in Riverside Cemetery bills 209. 5 yes 0 no Motion Passed.

Motion Scott 2<sup>nd</sup> Murphy to pay \$5,447.09 206 Fire Bills. 5 yes 0 no Motion Passes.

Greenleaf asked about checking to see if the cemetery was pinned in the area that was approved a couple years ago with the previous sexton. Zarko stated he will look into it.

Sexton Zarko presented a proposal of \$6,745.00 for Beautification of Riverside Cemetery to get it to a safe and presentable condition.

Motion Scott 2<sup>nd</sup> Couture to approve the Beautification of Riverside Cemetery Proposal. 5 yes 0 no Motion Passed.

Discussed the sale of the cemetery property located adjacent to 206 Coman St. Greenleaf presented an estimate for the property of \$1,000 to \$2,000.

Motion Scott 2<sup>nd</sup> Couture to sell property adjacent to 206 Coman St. to Dillion Howe for \$1,000.00 with Howe paying expenses for the sale. 5 yes 0 no Motion Passed.

Motion Scott 2<sup>nd</sup> Thompson to approve proposed Solicitor's fee to match Clinton Village.

Discussion on farmland Development Rights and how it works.

Motion Scott 2<sup>nd</sup> Thompson to approve farmland Development Rights for Rebottaro located at 6779 Centennial Rd, Clinton. 5 yes 0 no Motion Passed.

Motion Murphy 2<sup>nd</sup> Thompson to go into closed session to discuss the library contract. 5 yes 0 no Motion Passed.

Motion Couture 2<sup>nd</sup> Thompson to reject the library contract and have the library take over all of their own book keeping and bank accounts. 5 yes 0 no Motion passed.

Discussed the library will assume responsibility for their books by the end of September, as the township is no longer managing their book or bank accounts.

Motion Scott 2<sup>nd</sup> Couture to leave adjourn session. 5 yes 0 no Motion Passed.

Motion Murphy 2<sup>nd</sup> Thompson to adjourn at 7:47 pm 5 yes 0 no Motion Passed.

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Clerk Kim Scott

Next Regular Meeting will be October 16, 2024 7:00 pm 172 W. Mich. Ave, Clinton Twp. Hall