Fairgrove Township

Regular Board Meeting

Fairgrove Township Hall

June 21, 2021 7:30 PM

Roll Call: Supervisor Keith Aeder, Clerk Katie Gebhardt, Treasurer Sarah Donovan, Trustee Dennis Hadeway, and Trustee Justin Edwards.

Visitors Present: Colleen Russell – Deputy Clerk, Pat Donovan-Grey – Deputy Treasurer, Doug Foster – Sexton, Bruce Turner – Zoning Admin, John McQuillan – Township Attorney.

Call to order

Hadeway moved and Aeder supported to approve June Special Meeting minutes. Passed.

Hadeway moved Edwards supported to approve May Meeting minutes. Passed.

Aeder moved Donovan supported to approve June Agenda, with Hadeway requesting that other reports category be moved to beginning of the agenda for all meetings going forward. Passed.

Visitor Comments:

* Colleen Russell – Waiting on Matt Kirk to return call on landscaping for Township Hall.
* John McQuillan – Thumb Electric Franchise Agreement. Update on the resolution of Republic contract, still working on negotiations.

Visitor Comments Closed

Other Reports

Sexton Report

* Report Presented – 4 burials. National Honors Society helped with flag placement. Purchased new flag.

Police Report

* Report received.

Assessing

* Discussed BOR for July, nothing else to report.

Zoning

* 1103 Dick Starkey – Front Porch
  + Hadeway moved Gebhardt supported to accept zoning permits. Passed.
* Board asked for update on building codes. No information yet.

Supervisors Report

* Aeder moved Hadeway supported to introduce electric franchise agreement ordinance with Thumb Electric. Passed.
* Fire Meeting – Fairgrove Fire had the opportunity to get handheld radios at half the cost. 7 radios will be purchased access all Townships. Fairgrove Township held a special meeting to approve cost.
* Nextera – Trumbauer called to let Township know that Nextera would be moving some parts out of the area. Wanted Board aware of movements within the area.
* ARPA – Board discussed on how funds are spent. Further research on topic needed.
* Ambulance – Potential for the Township to handout stop the bleeds kits at Bean Festival? Aeder looking into cost.
* Dump – Aeder asked Turner about procuring gate to secure property. Spoke to Kristin Young about dump permits being issues to Village residents without the Township Boards knowledge. Discussion on future of dump.
* Dutcher Rd – Waiting on call for update.
* Bank Building Roof – 6 layers of roofing have been removed. Edges are pretty damaged.
* Kapans – Waiting on quote for Kapans to spray Oakley Rd grass, and brush/stumps on Dunham/Fenner Rd.
* Code Enforcement – A few jurisdictions are looking to contract with a company.
* Tax Tribunal – Ruled against Townships in the Northern area (unsure which wind farm) MREC may appeal.

Unfinished Business

* Township Audit will being next week.

Financial Report

* Frankenmuth Credit Union Sweep Account - $850,000 deposited into account.
* METRO Act payment direct deposited.

Bills

* Hadeway moved Edwards supported to pay bills as presented. Passed.

Board Comments - None

Visitor Comments - None

Aeder moved and Edwards supported to adjourn meeting. Passed

Meeting adjourned 10:10 PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Katie Gebhardt

Fairgrove Township Clerk