Fairgrove Township Board

Special Virtual Meeting – Trash Collection

May 14, 2021 1:00 PM

Roll Call: Supervisor Keith Aeder (Fairgrove, MI), Clerk Katie Gebhardt (Fairgrove, MI), Treasurer Sarah Donovan (Fairgrove, MI), Trustee Dennis Hadeway (Fairgrove, MI ), and Trustee Justin Edwards (Frankenmuth, MI)

Visitors Present: Joe Pustizzi, Matthew Schoenow, David Hills, DJ Bourdow (GFL), Libin Joseph, Jerry Oatley, Jill Reynolds (WM).

Call to order

Trash Collection

* GFL – For weekly trash collection and biweekly recycling pickup.
  + 1 year $18.41 per stop.
  + 3 year starting at $17.22 (2nd year $17.74, 3rd year $18.27)
  + 5 year staring at $17.22
  + No fuel surcharges or dump fees
  + Discussion on GFL services.
* Waste Management – Weekly trash collection and biweekly recycling pickup.
  + 1 year $17.50 per stop
  + Alternative option (installing recycling station) $14.50 per stop for trash and $800 per dump of recycling station.
  + Surcharge for recycling surplus over 123 ton.

Public Comment

* Matthew Schoenow – Concerned with WM recycling station leaving a mess and where would it be placed?
* Joe Pustizzi – Also showed concern with recycling station due to difficulty for elderly to use.

Aeder moved Edwards supported to contract with GFL for a 3 year term for $17.22 the first year for weekly trash collection and biweekly recycling. 2nd year $17.74, 3rd year $18.74.

* Roll Call: Y: DH, JE, KG, SD, KA N: None Passed

Public Comment

* Matthew Schoenow – question why the board had switched companies in the past. KA indicated the board was seeking to save residents money when trash was paid by assessment.
* Joe Pustizzi – Was encouraged by GLFs treatment of employees.

KA spoke with the Township lawyer about the continued issues with Republic despite notice. GFL agreed to place dumpster at Township Hall to handle the stops missed by Republic.

DH moved SD supported to Adjourn meeting

* Roll Call: Y: DA, KG, SD, DH, JE N: None Passed

Meeting Adjourned 2:38 PM

Respectfully Submitted

Katie Gebhardt

Fairgrove Township Clerk