

CUMMING TOWNSHIP
Regular Meeting

March 2, 2023

The monthly meeting was called to order at 6:30pm with the Pledge of Allegiance. Roll Call: All board members present. Others present were: Jan Thompson; Rose Quackenbush; Randy McCrite; Matt Polzin; Debby and Ray Grant; Lucinda Morrison; Gary & Judy Asel; Jim & Norma Morris; Pat Robinson; LuAnne Rosebrugh; Bob Hoover; Michelle & Cal Berk; one (1) individual on ZOOM.

Shari made a motion, seconded by Reid, to accept the previous monthly meeting minutes, as presented. Motion carried.

Jan reported that Fire ck#1085 was returned from the Rose City Fire Dept, due to the correction in the taxable value for the municipalities, by Randy Booth at Equalization; said check was voided. Fire ck#1086 is for the corrected first half maintenance and two (2) fire runs. Shari made a motion, seconded by Jan, to pay bills. Roll Call Vote: Fred, Reid, Shari, Ron, Jan -All Yes. Motion carried.

Ron reported that he hasn't received any information regarding the sewer survey. Fred stated that Leo Dion, from RCAP, hasn't received information from Jan; Jan stated she sent the information right after the special meeting. Jan also stated that she will re-send the information to Leo Dion. Ron reported that Matt Miller questioned what was going on with the sewer system; Ron told him that we are working with Leo Dion. Ron also stated that Matt Miller may move his businesses to another location and leave the current buildings as storage. Shari stated he will still have to pay the sewer bills.

Ron stated the Ogemaw County Road Commission Overlay Project is 50% township costs for main roads and 55% township costs for subdivisions. Jan reported that she contacted the Ogemaw County Road Commission regarding the overlay projects and the percentages paid by the township are only on scheduled road projects, not if the Road Commission uses extra overlays within the township. Jan stated that a scheduled project is approximately \$100,000 per mile for ¾" lift of overlay.

Reid gave the RC Fire report, which included: six (6) runs, three (3) in Cumming twp. Reid stated that Rose Twp is having trouble with the Lupton Fire Dept, which needs to get a new pumper; he suggested not to get involved, everyone agreed. Reid also stated that the Rose City Fire Dept and the Lupton Fire Dept could possibly combine, discussion was held.

Ron gave the OCOA report, which included: the audit report was presented, everything is good; NEMSCA gives the largest amount of funds to OCOA; discussion was held regarding purchasing a generator, which will be used in a natural disaster, financial help will be needed; the new truck will arrive soon; discussion was held regarding Seniors using Marihuana for health issues.

Jan Thompson gave the Transfer Station report, which included: everything is good. Ron reported that he and Reid looked at the hoses at the Transfer Station and will replace them when the weather is warmer.

Ron gave the Assessor's report, which included: Allison Thompson said the Township is all set for BOR. BOR will meet March 7, which is for organizational purposes; the BOR will meet March 15 and March 16 for the public.

Ron gave the HL report, which included: the 2022 Annual report has been received; said report gave the dates the lake was treated and what was used for treatment, including Muck Buster; there was no milfoil this year or the year before.

Jan reported there will be an Ogemaw County MTA meeting on Tuesday, March 28, 2023, at 6:30pm at Ogemaw Township Hall. Ron stated the Executive Director of MTA will be a guest speaker.

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Reid questioned if the cabinet for the AED is in; Jan stated it is in the office along with the AED. Pat Robinson questioned if Jan had a deputy; Jan stated yes, the deputy just needs to be sworn in. Pat Robinson questioned who it is; Jan stated Abby Coleman. Pat Robinson questioned the transfer from General Account; Shari stated it was transferred into the Tax Account, which she is working on the tax account. Fred stated he needs a key to the storage room; Ron stated it's in the office. Fred also stated he wanted to meet Shari at the bank. Jan questioned if he needed to see the statements, he needs to meet with Shari. Shari said she will check her calendar and let Fred know when she could meet. Matt Polzin questioned if the cabinet for the AED arrived; Reid stated he just questioned that. Cal Berk stated he has extra stickers for the AED.

Fred reported that the class on pruning and taking care of fruit trees will be held on March 11, 2023, at 9am-12pm; 20 individuals have signed up, but there is still room for more.

Shari made a motion, seconded by Ron, to adjourn at 7:01pm.

_____, Clerk