

Edwards Township Board Meeting
June 10, 2019, 7:30 p.m.

Supervisor Taylor opened the regular meeting with the pledge to the flag at 7:30 p.m.

Present: Supervisor Ron Taylor, Treasurer Eileen Fournier, Clerk Yvonne Mahl, Trustees Dave Ross and Brent Illig

Attendance; Appointed/Official Positions: Craig Scott, Ogemaw County Commissioner; Ray Miller, BOR & Planning Commission; Carl McCauley and Rick Stillwagon Planning Commissions; Rob Kowalski BOR and ZBA member; Bob Clayton, Zoning Administrator; Mike Laier, Sexton; Bob Mahl, Hall Maintenance; Township residents

ADDITIONS to AGENDA:

Brian Gilbert
Deputy Clerk

Motion by Illig, supported by Ross, to accept additions to the agenda. Motion carried.

BRIAN GILBERT introduced himself, visiting townships, will be running for sheriff in 2020

Commissioner Craig Scott informed the Board: Animal control answering calls, Humane Society gave bid to house dogs, still talking, 3 old police cars up for bid, Emergency Manager part time position,

DEPUTY CLERK; Mahl announced Katie Pfeiffer as her deputy clerk, she is very knowledgeable of Pontem software, elections, past deputy clerk, wonderful asset to township

TREASURERS REPORT presented by Fournier. Motion by Illig, supported by Ross, to approve Treasurer's report as presented. Motion carried.

PAST MINUTES of May 13 and May 29, 2019 were reviewed. Motion by Taylor, supported by Fournier, minutes approved. Motion carried.

Motion by Illig, supported by Ross, to return hall deposits as listed. Motion carried.

Motion by Fournier, supported by Ross, to approve bills as presented checks 5285-5315, in the amount of \$17,031.11. Motion carried by the following roll call vote: Ayes: Taylor, Mahl, Fournier, Illig, Ross, Nays: None.: Motion carried.

TREE REMOVAL AT CEMETERY: had bids from Eager Beaver and Ross Rose to remove 4 trees from cemetery with CLJ not getting bid in time for meeting, Motion by Illig, support by Ross to table item until get all three companies with coincident bids to remove 4 trees and/or trim all 61 trees up 15ft with assurance of proof of liability insurance, motion carried

PURCHASE OR REFUSAL OF LAND IN FORCLOSURE WITHIN TOWNSHIP: Motion by Ross support by Illig to pass on purchase of land, motion carried

BILLING FROM ATTORNEY: was for marihuana ordinance

STING REQUEST: motion by Taylor support by Ross to approve 1000.00 payment to Sting. Motion carried

PUBLIC COMMENT: Rick Stillwagon, cemetery looks nice, what happened to getting sign for cemetery

BOARD COMMENTS; Fournier: Yvonne and I in process of getting audit done, Taylor: rebate for Consumers has been received, Illig: current status of credit card? New card within a week, no statement from Huron Visa this month.

CREDIT CARD PAYMENT: Motion by Ross support by Fournier to pay Visa 176.79 Motion carried by the following roll

call vote: Ayes: Illig, Fournier, Mahl, Taylor, Ross Nays: None.: Motion carried.

The next township board meeting is scheduled for July 8, 2019, at 7:30 p.m.

The next MTA meeting is scheduled for July 11, 2019, at 7:00 pm, Churchill Township.

The next Township Planning meeting is set for July 22, 2019 at 7:00p.m.

Motion by Illig, supported by Ross, to adjourn the meeting at 8:26 pm. Motion carried.

Ron Taylor, Edwards Township Supervisor

Yvonne Mahl, Edwards Township Clerk