

Edwards Township Board Meeting
October 12, 2020, 7:30 p.m.

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

ATTENDANCE: County Commissioner Craig Scott, Planning members Rick Stillwagon, Carl McCauley, Zoning Administrator Bob Clayton, Jane Illig

ADDITIONS/DELETIONS to AGENDA:

Motion by Ron Taylor, supported by Brent Illig, to accept the agenda, Motion carried.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER:RV Park remodel underway, work bee at nature park 2weeks ago went very well, Liability insurance went to Diebold Agency, received reimbursement for covid related expenses, committee and board openings will be on county website as they become open

ZONING ADMINISTRATOR: Do we want to proceed with house on Greenwood? Board suggested he wait until COVID-19 lessens

TREASURERS REPORT: presented by Fournier. Motion by Ron Taylor Supported by Dave Ross to approve treasurers report as presented. Motion carried.

MINUTES: Motion by Dave Ross supported by Brent Illig to approve September 14, 2020 Regular meeting minutes. Motion carried

HALL DEPOSIT RETURNS: Motion by Brent Illig supported by Eileen Fournier to return hall deposits as presented. Motion carried

APPROVAL OF BILLS: Motion by Ron Taylor supported by Dave Ross to pay bills check # 5760-5788 totaling 13,844.92

Roll call vote: Taylor-yes, Mahl-yes, Fournier-yes, Illig-yes, Ross-yes Motion carried

EQUALIZATION: Eileen attended the zoom meeting October 1, 2020 with Randy Booth, pertaining to the designated assessor role. The role of designated assessor is to make sure our assessor is following state guidelines, we can have Randy Booth do it at an additional cost of .25 per parcel, instead of 1.20 it will be 1.45 to the county or hire it out, but it is mandated by state that we hire someone. Motion by Ron Taylor supported by Dave Ross to hire Randy Booth as out Designated Assessor, motion carried.

T-LAKE LOT 25: She contacted Ron Taylor, he offered it at the 6000.00 the board had approved, she called back with an offer of 500.00, to which Ron said he would present it. Motion by Brent Illig supported by Dave Ross to sell it for 500.00 with buyer paying all transfer fees associated with the sale. Motion carried

Snowplowing: Bob Mahl is willing to continue doing the hall on an as needed bases at same price as last year, Motion by Brent Illig supported by Dave Ross to keep Bob Mahl plowing snow. Motion carried

PA-116 Jane Illig presented two parcels for enrollment into PA-116. Parcel #003-011-010-10 (minus one-acre house sits on) and parcel # 003-009-004-32. Motion by Yvonne Mahl supported by Dave Ross to allow parcels 003-011-010-10 and 003-009-004-32 to be put into PA-116 agricultural. Motion carried

Sting: Brent Illig made a motion supported by Eileen Fournier to pledge 1000.00 to Sting
Roll call vote: Mahl-yes, Fournier-yes, Illig-yes, Ross-yes Taylor-yes Motion carried

MORRIS/IRENE PRIVATE ROAD UPGRADE/MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT: Yvonne Mahl has found that every 5 years there is to be a petition signed by at least 51% of land owners wanting the township to put said maintenance on their tax role. She is working with land owners to get everything into motion. There will need to be two public hearings.

BUDGET: Yvonne Mahl presented a copy of current budget to board members, pointed out some concerns with line items, and asked that the budget be tabled until she has time to get with Pontem to make corrections.

PUBLIC COMMENT: Jane Illig suggested a reset on Pontem might fix the problem

BOARD COMMENTS:

Next township board meeting is scheduled for November 9, 2020 at 7:30 p.m.
Next MTA Meeting CANCELLED

Motion by Ron Taylor, supported by Dave Ross, to adjourn the meeting at 8:25pm. Motion carried.

Ron Taylor, Edwards Township Supervisor

Yvonne Mahl, Edwards Township Clerk