

October 24, 2016

The September 26, 2016 regular meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM by Cheryl with the Pledge of Allegiance. Introductions were skipped.

The following were present. Trustees: Cheryl Welch, Scott Markley & Kay Wright. Fiscal Officer: Kellie Light; Zoning Inspector: Lori Hartsel; Road Crew: Herb Wiles; Guests: Kenny Howell.

The minutes of the August 22, 2016 regular meeting were read. Scott made a motion to approve the minutes with the five corrections. Kay 2nd it & Cheryl in agreement.

ROAD CREW

Herb reported that all the road work is where it's supposed to be.

He has done some work on Lovers Lane.

Herb has done some tree trimming because he had a bus driver complain about branches hitting the bus.

The tractor went down but it has been fixed.

Cheryl said she has not found a good used mower yet but she is still looking.

Cheryl wants to have it noted in the minutes that she voted against rehiring Justin Rood with a 90 day probation. Kay & Scott voted to rehire Justin.

Kay wants to put together a road plan to include the repairs of the roads, items that the township residents have asked for and culverts that need repaired,

Herb said that he won't be able to say what roads need worked on until spring to see what damage has been done to the roads from the winter.

She said the Tomlins on 810 have been put on the back burner for too long. Herb said he was waiting for the State to do their work on State Route 42. Kay said that the state has done all they are going to do. Herb said the storm sewer is shot at the end of 810 by 42.

Herb said he needs something to run the tile to keep the water off Tomlins.

Cheryl said that when the work for the Tomlins is ready to be scheduled all 3 trustees will be apprised of the work prior to the start of work.

Township Road 251 has the 3 year plan for repairs.

Cheryl said that Herb already has a list of culverts that need replaced.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

None to report

OLD BUSINESS

None to report

NEW BUSINESS

None to report

ZONING

Lori reported that she has taken in \$916 for zoning certificates this month.

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She said there is a new house being built on 700, storage barn on 175 & a building on 101 by Scott Markley.

Lori will check on the new building going up at Hickory Welding on 604.

The Amish that has the logging business on 175 is getting his paperwork together to turn in.

Lori said that she will not be actually sitting at the township house for an evening for zoning questions or paperwork until October. For now she is going to the people's homes for the questions, zoning certificate paperwork and money.

She said that the phone call Cheryl got for person in Cinnamon Lake is for a garage that they will be building. Cheryl said she told the person that it is unusual for Lori's phone voicemail to be full or not to return calls.

TRUSTEE SCOTT MARKLEY

Nothing else to report

CEMETERY

Kay said Mr. Farnsworth did a good job on fixing the fence at the cemetery.

The light on the flag pole is working again. When the light is out, she now jiggles the pole to get sensor away from tree branch & so far it has been coming back on.

TRUSTEE KAY WRIGHT

Kay would like to get new mats for inside the township house. Herb said Drug Mart has them for \$6. The trustees told Herb to purchase the new mats.

PARK

Cheryl reported that she has collected \$140 from the vendors at the Farmers Markets this summer.

She said that she had about 6 people reserved the pavilion this year.

Cheryl told Kellie to stop the port a pot and trash pick-up at the park as of October 15th.

Herb told Cheryl that the stone for the park is being delivered. She told him not to spread the stone at the park until the work on the roads is done.

Cheryl said that once the stone is spread at the park, she will turn in the stone bills to be reimbursed with the grant money.

TRUSTEE CHERYL WELCH

Cheryl reported that the Polk Fire Department had 2 fire & 30 squad runs. Also, had 7 mutual aids & 1 public service. Total of \$0 loss in Jackson Township.

The fire department sold the red Crown Victoria & purchased a Ford F150 club cab utility vehicle.

They have replaced windows at the fire department & done some interior remodeling.

Kay made a motion to accept the receipts as submitted. Scott 2nd it & Cheryl in agreement.

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Kay made a motion to accept the warrants as submitted. Scott 2nd it & Cheryl in agreement.

Kellie said that 2012 & 2013 records have been turned over to the auditors. The auditors are working on getting the books balanced for 2014 & 2015.

Scott made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Kay 2nd it & Cheryl in agreement.

Respectfully submitted by Kellie Light, Fiscal Officer.

Signature: _____ Date: 10/24/2016
Cheryl Welch

Signature: _____ Date: 10/24/2016
J. Scott Markley

Signature: _____ Date: 10/24/2016
Kay Wright