

WRIGHT TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES

September 11th, 2024 – 7:30 pm

In Office at 1565 Jackson St. Marne, MI 49435

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APPROVED OCTOBER 09, 2024

Supervisor Schoenborn called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm, with the Pledge of Allegiance and a prayer. Board members present include Trustee Adam Taylor, Trustee Brad Anderson, Clerk Theresa Frank, Supervisor Schoenborn, and Treasurer Sharyl Dietrich. The meeting was held at the Township Office, 1565 Jackson St. Marne, MI. 49435.

APPROVE AGENDA and ADDITIONS

- Dietrich moved to approve the agenda and Taylor supported it. All ayes, motion carried.

REVIEW AND APPROVE

- Anderson moved to approve bills and payroll for \$416,545.69 for August 2024 and accept the Treasurer's Report as written. Frank supported. Four ayes, one nay, motion carried.
- Dietrich moved to approve the August 14, 2024, Regular Board Meeting Minutes. Anderson supported. All ayes, motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

- Mr. Hopper had a tax question for the Treasurer.
- Mr. Graftema made the Board aware of how he was dealing with the new township hall that is in his backyard. The supervisor is going to meet with him to see what we can do to help.

REPORTS

- Commissioner Miedema was at the meeting to share an update on the Ottawa County Commissioner's work.
- Fire Report given by Adam Taylor.
 - 88 Calls for service during August.
 - The Fire Department participated in Project Night Lights. This is a monthly event put on by Silent Observer and Helen Devos Children's Hospital.
 - Four of our members have started EMT class. This class ends just before Christmas.
 - All of our pumpers have been undergoing their pump testing to ensure they are in the best working order.
- Senior Services Report given by Dietrich. Senior Services have started back up from the summer break. Bingo, lunches and multiple bus trips are planned. At this time there will be no exercise classes.

- There was no Planning Commission Report because there was not an August meeting. No September meeting is expected due to lack of subject.
- Election Report given by Frank. Ballots will arrive soon.

OLD BUSINESS

- None

NEW BUSINESS

- Discussion was had over a temporary agreement with Fresh Coast Planning to contract for an in-house planner for four hours a week.

SUPERVISOR REPORT

- None

BOARD COMMENTS

- Anderson wanted to know if the ordinance was looked into regarding the solar panels Mr. Umlor discussed at the last Board Meeting. Supervisor reported that yes it has been.

ADJOURN MEETING

- The Supervisor adjourned the meeting at 8:09 pm.

Respectfully prepared by Theresa Frank, Wright Township Clerk.

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(Any documents referenced in these minutes are on file in the Clerk's office)