

MANSFIELD TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING

OCTOBER 16, 2024

Meeting called to order at 9 A.M. by Supervisor Brock VanOss with the pledge of Allegiance. Mike Carey gave the invocation.

Roll Call: Brock VanOss, Mike Carey, George Minerick, Rose Poynter and John Leutz were present.

Also in attendance were Russ Bauwens, Pat Minerick and Zach Hautala.

Public Comment: None

Board Comment: Minerick asked VanOss to extend a thank you to the Iron County Road Commission for their quick work on a culvert problem in the Fence Lake area. No other comments.

Agenda: VanOss motioned to accept the agenda which was seconded by Minerick and all members voted "aye".

Minerick motioned to accept the minutes from September, 2024, and Carey seconded with all members voting "aye".

Assessor: VanOss spoke on the BSA program to search for information on land parcels in the Township. This was discussed and on a motion from VanOss to accept the contract at no cost for the Township. Minerick seconded the motion and all members voted "aye".

Clerk's Report: Leutz went over the monthly Payables and Payroll. After discussion, Minerick motioned to accept them as presented. VanOss seconded and all members voted "aye". Leutz went over correspondence with no action needed. Leutz then went over the upcoming election.

Treasurer's Report: Poynter went over her report. Carey asked about a difference in the Audit and F-65 report. This was discussed and VanOss okayed Carey to contact the bookkeeper on the question.

Supervisor's Report: VanOss went over the roads and problems of repair costs. VanOss presented the snow plowing contract for the upcoming year at \$50.00 plow. Minerick seconded and all members voted "aye". VanOss then talked about a problem with the gate posts at Dawson Lake. This was discussed and it was decided that no action was needed at this time. The blight problems on Frank Road was discussed and since there was progress on both sites, no further actions were needed at this time. Carey brought up the need for all the counties to work together to help each other. No action was needed at this time.

Pam Minerick gave the Zoning Report.

Russ Bauwens gave the Web Report.

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Library Report: None

Zach gave the update on the work or the I.C.E.C.A..

Recreation Report: VanOss reported no action at this time.

Hall Report: VanOss gave a report on the progress of new locks and on the new sign. This was discussed with no action needed at this time.

Dawson Lake: VanOss reported on the trash barrels for the campgrounds. He thanked Minerick for the donation of the barrels.

The Board was reminded that the November Regular Board Meeting was moved to noon from 9 A.M..

Old or New Business: None

Public Comment: None

Board Comment: Carey asked about the Highline fiber optics. This was discussed and Carey would call and see about getting it in the Lake Ellen area.

With no other business to discuss, Minerick motioned to adjourn. VanOss seconded and all members voted "aye". The meeting was adjourned at 10:39 A.M..

John Leutz, Township Clerk