

REYNOLDS TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING MINUTES

July 14, 2016

Clerk Sholty called the regular Meeting of the Board to order at 7:00 pm., Pledge of Allegiance was given. Invocation given by Pastor Dan Wolters, Pine Grove Community Church, Howard City.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Clerk Sholty, Trustee Eversole and Trustee Saucier. Absent: Supervisor Kindel, Treasurer Stevens.

PUBLIC COMMENT: Mr. Eric Smith, Montcalm County EMS informed the residents of the EMS Millage on the ballot and asking for support. Independent of Montcalm County General Fund monies, this is a renewal of the current millage and not an additional amount. Requesting the same levy of 0.75 mills but will only use what is needed (currently using .65 mills.) Mr. Smith also informed the residents of the "Vial of Life" program. Medical information put in a vial and stored in resident's cupboard, refrigerator, etc. with a "Vial of Life" sticker placed on the front of the vial location. This is a free program.

Gregory Alexander announced his candidacy for State Representative.

CONSENT AGENDA: Planning Commission Chair, David Kohn presented the Planning Commission Report, noting "Keeping of Animals" language has been sent to the attorney.

Zoning Administrator, Mark Stevens presented the Zoning Report, noting a very active month.

Motion: Approve consent agenda consisting of June 9 Regular Meeting of the Board Minutes, Police Report, Fire Report, Planning Commission Report, Zoning Report, Library Report, Treasurer's Report and the Township's Monthly Bills. Motion by Saucier, 2nd by Eversole, Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Motion Carried.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. Douglas Wohlberg, CPA has completed the audit. He noted there were no major issues and thanked the Treasurer and the Clerk for being well prepared. Only one contract was asked for after the day of audit.

Discussion regarding Board of Review and necessary date change. Change Board of Review date from Tuesday to Monday, July 18 at 2:00 PM. Motion by Saucier, 2nd by Eversole, Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Motion carried.

Robert Richards informed residents of National Night Out, August 2nd from 6 pm-9 pm. Several agencies representing police, fire, ambulance and rescue. Also included in the festivities is the Chamber of Commerce Expo in the Park, Music in the Park and local craft vendors. Free hot dogs and sno cones, face painting and other options for kids. Volunteers are still needed.

Discussion regarding Chamber of Commerce offering Reynolds Township a free booth. Reynolds Township will utilize the booth for the “Vial of Life” Program.

BOARD COMMENTS: Trustee Saucier presented information on the “File of Life” program. Based out of Connecticut, there are fees involved with the program. Information available for residents.

Meeting adjourned: 8:24 p.m. Motion by Saucier 2nd by Eversole, Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Motion Carried.

Next Meeting: August 11 at 7:00 pm., 215 E. Edgerton St., Howard City. For more information, call the township office at 231 937-6739 or check our website at www.reynoldstwp.org.