Clarendon Township Board Meeting

Monday, February 12, 2018 Regular Meeting Minutes

I. <u>Opening</u>: Steve Schrock, Sharla Vincent, Rose Mary Berry, Jim Russell and Tim Anderson. Also present were five members of the public.

A. Meeting called to order at 7:30 PM by Steve Schrock followed by the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

- II. <u>Additions to and Approval of Agenda:</u> Tim Anderson moved to approve agenda; Rose Mary Berry supported; motion carried.
- III. Public Voice: None
- IV. Minutes: Tim Anderson moved to approve the January minutes; Rose Mary Berry supported; motion carried.
- V. <u>Correspondence</u>: MTA training opportunities, Consolidated Dispatch Authority assessment for the rest of the year, notification of March Board of Review dates.
- VI. Treasurer's Report: Sharla Vincent moved to approve Treasurer's report; Tim Anderson supported; motion carried.
- VII. <u>Accounts Payable:</u> Rose Mary Berry moved we approve bills amounting to \$18,272.64; Tim Anderson supported; motion carried.

VIII. Committee Reports:

- A. Ambulance Report (Steve Schrock): New ambulance in service this month. Budget on track. Clarendon had 11 runs last month. Up 40 runs due to weather. Income on track.
- B. Homer Lake Board (Tim Anderson): No meeting
- C. Homer Fire Board (Rose Mary Berry or Tim Anderson): 1 call in Clarendon for December. Insurance situation discussed. Workmen's comp will be \$5,581.
- **D.** Tekonsha Fire Board (Terry Petersen): Clarendon had one call in December and 19 for 2017. They will have an open house on the 28th of each month until the May millage vote. Darryl Cummins spoke of grants applied for and talked to the Board about a pump station at Clarendon Pond to be used by Tekonsha and Homer Fire Departments. The Township would need to erect a small building to house the pump.
- E. Zoning Administrator Report (Randy Shank): Letter was given to SafeBuilt for review and improvements were made to the language/. It was suggested that they be printed on Clarendon Township letterhead. Randy will try to develop something suitable.
- F. Planning Commission Report (Penny West): None
- G. Election Report (Sharla Vincent): None
- H. County Road Department Report (Jim Russell): Trimming trees and snowplowing. The snowplowing in our area has not been done very well.

IX. Old Business:

- A. Cost Recovery Ordinance: Tabled until a decision made by the Authority
- B. Township Roads: Discussed.
- C. Road Committee: Steve Schrock would like to have a meeting soon, possibly next Thursday. Brian Walker and Richard Maples have agreed to serve on the committee in addition to the previous group.
- D. Budget Committee: Rose Mary and Sharla will set a time

X. <u>New Business</u>:

- A. Res. 2018-1 Poverty Exemptions: Sharla Vincent offered Resolution 2018-1 Poverty Exemptions; Tim Anderson supported. Roll call vote was: Berry, yes; Vincent, yes; Schrock, yes; Anderson, yes; Russell, yes. There were no "no" votes. Supervisor declared resolution passed.
- **B.** Budget Amendment: Sharla Vincent moved to add \$800 to Legal Notices from Grave Openings; Tim Anderson supported; motion carried.
- C. 2018-19 Budget recommendations: Supervisor Schrock presented the budget recommendations from the Budget Committee. The annual Budget Hearing will be March 12th at 7 PM, prior to the regular Board Meeting.
- **D.** March Board of Review: Organization meeting will be March 7th at 4 PM; first meeting for protests will be March 12th from 9 to noon and 1 to 4; last meeting will be March 15th from 2 to 5 and 6 to 9.
- XI. <u>Public Voice</u>: Our County Commissioner, Gary Tompkins, reported on a number of County Commission issues and commented on current issues relevant to Clarendon Township. Homer Lake Board will meet March 13th. Flu and Hepatitis A outbreaks in Calhoun County are causes for concern. The Road Department Managing Director position will be posted next week.

XII. Land Use Permits: None

I. <u>Adjournment</u>: Meeting adjourned at 8:20 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Sharla Vincent, Clerk

Steve Schrock, Supervisor

Sharla Vincent, Clerk