

TOWNSHIP OF BRUCE
MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON DECEMBER 11, 2014

The regular meeting of the Bruce Township Board was held on December 11, 2014 at the Bruce Township Hall with board members Sawyers, LaJoie, Rogers, Pins and Marsh present. Also in attendance was one township resident. The Supervisor called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Public Comments: There were no comments.

The minutes of the November 13, 2014 meeting were presented. Motion was made by Rogers seconded by LaJoie to accept the minutes as presented. All were in favor, motion carried.

Motion was made by Pins, seconded by Rogers to pay the bills. Checks #8169 through #8210 were presented for a total of \$ 17,414.91. All were in favor, motion carried.

County Commissioner Report: Commissioner McLean was not present.

Reports of Special Meetings: No one attended any special meetings.

Zoning Administrator: There were 36 zoning permits issued in 2014.

Assessor's Report: The Board of Review met on December 9, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. for clerical errors. They are now working on new construction in the Township.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report was read. The balance of all funds is \$857,762.03.

Clerk's Report: There was no correspondence.

Firemen's Report: There was no report.

Grounds and Park Report: There was no report.

Old Business: Ken Norris Contracting is now doing the snowplowing. The Supervisor will push back the banks and shovel the walks.

New Business: The following budget adjustments were made to the general fund:

Motion was made by Sawyers, seconded by Marsh to increase # 900 Clerk, Advertising/Printing by \$300.00 and decrease #964, Contingency by \$300.00. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sawyers, seconded by Marsh to increase # 910, Insurance by \$80.00 and decrease # 694, Contingency by \$80.00. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sawyers, seconded by Pins to increase Newsletter by \$1025.00 and decrease # 694, Contingency by \$1025.00. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sawyers, seconded by Pins to increase #702 Lawn Maintenance Salary by \$390.00 and decrease #694, Contingency by \$390.00. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Sawyers, seconded Pins to increase #715, Lawn Mowing FICA by \$25.00 and decrease #694, Contingency by \$25.00. Motion carried.

The following budget adjustment was made to Roads II:

Motion was made by Sawyers, seconded by Marsh to increase # 964, Refunds by \$308.00 and decrease # 694, Contingency by \$308.00. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Marsh, seconded by LaJoie to reappoint Carolyn Person, Reine Benoit and Melvin VanLuven to the Board of Review. All were in favor, motion carried.

2015 Board of Review Training will be held in St. Ignace on February 12, 2015. Reservations will be made when everyone has been notified and can attend.

Public Comment: The boat launch in Barbeau is still being considered.

Motion was made by Rogers, seconded by Pins to adjourn the meeting. All were in favor, motion carried. The Supervisor adjourned the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Wanda Sawyers, Clerk

Carl Marsh, Supervisor