

TOWNSHIP OF BRUCE

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING HELD ON JANUARY 12, 2017

The regular meeting of the Bruce Township Board was held on January 12, 2017 at the Bruce Township Hall with board member Pins, LaJoie, Sawyers, Marsh and Rogers present. Also in attendance were 2 Township residents. The Supervisor called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Public Comments: The comment was made to thank everyone for the driveway being plowed, the sidewalks are shoveled and everyone is doing a good job.

The minutes of the December 8, 2016 were presented. Motion was made by Pins, seconded by Rogers to accept the minutes as presented. All were in favor, motion carried.

Motion was made by Rogers, seconded by Pins to pay the bills. Checks #9062 through #9101 were issues for a total of \$ 22,326.20. All were in favor, motion carried.

County Commission Report: Commissioner MacLean was not present.

Reports of Special Meetings: There were no reports.

Zoning Administrator: There have been no permits issued.

Assessor's Report: Most of the properties have been looked over. They have been working on sales and land studies. The personal property statements have been sent out.

Planning Commission Report: The Tuesday night meeting was cancelled due to the weather.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report was presented. The balance of all funds is \$754,064.24.

Clerk's Report: The routine water test and the DEQ drinking water test show nothing detected.

Firemen's Report: There were no fire calls this month. The new Fire Truck should be here within the next two weeks.

Grounds and Park Report: The permit for work being done on Dunbar Park has been received.

Old Business: The contract with Pickford Ambulance is being looked at by our Attorney. He was contacting Pickford's Attorney on some clarification on some questions.

The contract with Dan Bonnee on use of the Township land needed some additions to it.

Our Attorney is still in contact with the State on the license for the Donaldson Cemetery.

The junk car problem on 10 Mile Rd. is now being sent to Court.

Rob Laitinen is drawing up plans to expand the township parking lot.

Motion was made by LaJoie, seconded by Pins to appoint Carolyn Person, Reine Benoit and Melvin Van Luven to the Board of Review. All were in favor, motion carried.

Motion was made by Marsh, seconded by Rogers to send 3 members of the Board of Review to training on February 9, 2017 in St. Ignace. All were in favor, motion carried.

Public Comment: There were no comments.

Motion was made by Pins, seconded by Rogers to adjourn the meeting. All were in favor, motion carried. The Supervisor adjourned the meeting at 7:40 p.m.

Wanda Sawyers

Carl Marsh, Supervisor