

TOWNSHIP OF BRUCE
MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING HELD ON MAY 12, 2016

The regular meeting of the Bruce Township Board was held on May 12, 2016 at the Bruce Township Hall with board members Rogers, LaJoie, Sawyers, Pins and Marsh present. Also in attendance were 4 township residents. The Supervisor called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Public Comments: A thank you was given for help on the newsletter.

The minutes of the April 14, 2016 meeting and the Special Meeting held on April 18, 2016 were presented. Motion was made by Rogers and seconded by Pins 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 #8755 through #8803 issued for total of \$ 28,774.63. All were in favor, motion carried.

County Commissioner Report: Commissioner MacLean was not present.

Reports of Special Meetings: The Clerk attended an Election Training Session in preparation for the November Presidential Election.

Zoning Administrator: There has been no permits issued.

Assessor's Report: They have been working on land percentage maps and looking at properties not visited.

Planning Commission Report: There was no meeting in May.

Treasurer's Report: The Treasurer's report was read. The balance of all funds is \$944,404.98.

Clerk's Report: The Clerk presented a roster of 24 firemen. Motion was made by Marsh, seconded by Rogers to accept the roster as presented. All were in favor, motion carried.

A survey was received on making the Park a tobacco free area.

Grounds and Park Report: The boat launch is in. There are a few holes to fill. The Supervisor will be attending a meeting with the Corp on May 23rd at the Library.

Old Business: The Supervisor is interested in attending a seminar in Bark River on June 7th, 8th and 9th. Motion was made by Rogers, seconded by Pins for the Supervisor to attend the Seminar in Bark River. All were in favor, motion carried.

Road work on 13 Mile is scheduled to begin by June 1. They have been waiting for the phone company to move their wires.

The replacement of culvert on W.12 Mile Rd will begin in July or early August.

The bridge on 12 Mile Rd. will be bi-passed. On May 24th the papers will be signed with the property owners.

New Business: Brine is .335 cents a gal. Motion was made by LaJoie seconded by Rogers to purchase brine for Township roads at .335 cents a gal. All were in favor, motion carried.

Firemen's Report: The Fire Department had 4 runs in the last 4 weeks. Discussion was held on the need for a new fire tanker-pumper. Motion was made by Pins, seconded by LaJoie to pursue buying a new fire truck. All were in favor, motion carried.

Land Division was presented for Ranieri and Miller on W 11 Mile Rd. Motion was made by LaJoie, seconded by Marsh to accept the Land Division. All were in favor, motion carried.

Public 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 7:50 p.m.

Wanda Sawyers, Clerk

Carl Marsh, Supervisor