

MANCELONA TOWNSHIP

Minutes of the October 17, 2016

Regular Board Meeting

CALL TO ORDER:

Meeting called to order at 6:00 p.m. at the Mancelona Township Offices by Clerk, Mike Biehl.

Present: Mike Biehl, Sue Robinson, Samuel Simmonds Ron Allen.

Absent: Dan Robinson.

Also assisting: Shawn Fleet

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion by Ron Allen supported by Samuel Simmonds to approve the agenda, with changes.

Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion by Sue Robinson, supported by Samuel Simmonds to accept the minutes of the September 19, 2016 regular meeting. Motion carried

APPROVAL OF BILLS:

The current bills were presented to the board. Motion by Ron Allen, supported by Sue Robinson to approve the expenditures as follows. Motion carried.

Common Account	\$ 8,396.02
Fire Account	\$ 5,175.76
TOTAL:	\$ 13,571.78

REPORTS:

FIRE DEPARTMENT: Ed Sayre, Fire Chief, presented a written and verbal report on fire Department activities The new truck is here, in the parking lot for observation, staff training along with transferring of equipment, should be in service in about a month.

LIBRARY: Written reports for August and September.

CONSTABLE: Lin Bielecki, Constable presented a written and verbal report on his activities and the properties he is attempting to get cleaned up. Lin will be taking legal action after October 20, 2016 on habitual offenders.

MAWSA: Shawn Fleet presented a written and verbal report on MAWSA activities, stating that the Waste Water Plant is operating more efficiently with new contractors, Wade-Trim.

AUDIENCE COMMENTS:

Dan Bean, Antrim County Sheriff, gave a recap of statistics for September 2016. Compared with September 2015, total calls to service were down considerably, and overall Sheriff Department activities going well.

OLD BUSINESS.

Buck Lane road sign -- Antrim County Road Commission said if there was a sign there, it will be replaced up to one per year. If not, there will not be one placed there.

Remote backup, 2 bids were received, a motion by Sue Robinson supported by Ron Allen to go ahead with the project and contract with Computer Guy for the service. Motion carried. The request from Abdeen Jabara meets guidelines and specifications, a motion by Samuel Simmonds supported by Sue Robinson to grant the request. Motion carried.

Antrim County Emergency plan resolution will be addressed next month with new Board.

NEW BUSINESS:

Motion by Mike Biehl supported by Ron Allen to appoint Anne Anger, Ron Chapman, Kathy Churchill, Sue Duerksen, Nicole Fleet, Lisa Schepperley, Jerry Cook as election inspectors for the November 8, 2016 General Election. Motion Carried.

A motion by Ron Allen supported by Samuel Simmonds by Ed's recommendation, to accept low bid from Time Emergency Equipment for 10, 2216 PSI/30 min cylinders for air pacs. Motion carried.

Discussion on 131 corridor joint venture with Village, tabled until next month for new Board consideration.

AUDIENCE COMMENTS

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business before the Board, a motion by Mike Biehl supported by Ron Allen to adjourn the meeting at 6:53 PM.

Motion carried
Shawn Fleet
Township Deputy Clerk