

## Austin Township Board Meeting

February 8th, 2022

The Austin Township board meeting was called to order by Supervisor Kenneth Vredenburg at the Township Hall at 14132 Pierce Rd, Stanwood, MI 49346.

Board members present: Kenneth Vredenburg, Billie Jean Barnes, Carolyn Towsley, John Brockway and Sandra Mayo.

Guests Present: Four guests present: Tom O'neil

7:40 p.m. Call to order - Pledge of allegiance

### I. Public Comment

1. N/A

### III. Approval of minutes

- Carolyn Towsley moves to approve the January 11th board meeting minutes as corrected, supported by Sandra Mayo, motion carried.

### IV. Approval of Treasurer's Township and Cemetery Reports

- Quicklook and bank accounts didn't link correctly, this will be fixed for next month's meeting.
- Cemetery reports off, just the amount of the interest. Will be fixed by the next board meeting.
- subject to audit. Motion Carried.

### V. Payment of Township and Cemetery Bills

- Billie Jean Barnes moves to approve Township payment checks # 10255-10264, supported by Sandra Mayo. Motion carried.

### VI. Unfinished Business

#### A. Assessor's and Supervisors Report

- We may need a resolution for AMAR for the budget meeting next month.
- The Amish were cutting wood at the township hall and were told that they did not have permission to do that, and they cannot cut wood here any more.
- Received a Thank you letter for fixing some of the township's roads.
- The county sent letters to our two active junk complaints.

#### B. Treasurer's Report

- Tax collection is a little down.

#### C. Clerk's Report

- Austin Township will hold a special election in May.
- Walton Erickson sent a letter asking for a donation from the township.

D. Covid Fund

- Ideas for using the funds:
- New parking lot, play structure, AMAR assessing program, tablets for the board members.

E. Roads

- We should know more about the roads in April.

F. Budget

- We need to post a notice in the Pioneer.

Meeting adjourned at 8:41 pm

Billie Jean Barnes