

Hope Township Board Meeting
Hope Township Hall
November 10, 2020- 7:00PM

Board Members:

Andy Kobisa, Supervisor
JoAnn Wilkie-Koval, Clerk
Starleen Eddy, Treasurer
Mary Jo Letts, Trustee
Bob Davis, Trustee

Visitors:

List with Clerk's copy

CALL TO ORDER:

The Supervisor led those present to the pledge to the flag to call the meeting to order. We are continuing to be six feet apart for safety.

BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR:

Celebration for Andy and JoAnn after the meeting- Oath of new Officer's administered by JoAnn. The new officer's officially will start office November 20, 2020, 4-year term.

CLERK'S MINUTES:

The minutes from the October 2020 meeting had been distributed earlier. It was moved by Starleen and supported by Mary Jo to approve the minutes. The motion carried.

TREASURER'S FINANCIAL REPORT:

The financial report was given up to October 31, 2020. The report was presented, and it will be filed. The State Revenue Check has been received. Our tax bills and newsletter will be printed by QRP this year- this will save the Township \$613.02 annually.

OUTSTANDING BILLS:

The bills from the General and Fire Dept. Funds were distributed earlier. It was moved by Starleen and supported by Bob to pay the bills. A roll call vote was called-

JoAnn Yes -Starleen Yes - Bob Yes - Mary Jo Yes- Andy Yes

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

FIRE DEPARTMENT- No report this month- will report next month-

PARK-

David Yahr was present to give the Park report. The park is closed until spring.

PLANNING-

Meeting was held October 7th. Next meeting scheduled for December 2, 2020.

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CHAPEL/CEMETERY-

Floyd Andrick was present to give report. Spicer's are currently working on the surveying at the New Cemetery. The Old Cemetery has been cleaned for the year. The New Cemetery is a work in progress to remove décor before the snow flies.

TOWNSHIP CODE AUTHORITY-

Meeting was held October 22, 2020.

1 Plumbing,

1 Mechanical

3 Electrical

2 Building

Next meeting November 19th, 2020

Many issues have been happening at the Code Authority office with the current Building Inspector. A letter has been drafted to recommend the termination of the Building Inspector if changes are not made. It was motioned by Bob and supported by JoAnn to sign the letter and submit to the Code Authority office. A roll call vote was called.

JoAnn Yes -Starleen Yes - Bob Yes - Mary Jo Yes- Andy Yes

WIXOM LAKE AUTHORITY-

Nothing to report

ROAD ADVISORY COMMISSION-

The County will be sending allocations for next year and invoices for this years' work. Curtis Road Bridge is set to open Thursday November 12, 2020 at 9AM.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS- None

NEW BUSINESS-

Appointment of Water District 1 two representatives to serve on the Water District 1 board for the term- January 1, 2021- December 31, 2022. The two individuals selected are Rita Goul and David Rothman.

It was moved by Andy and supported by JoAnn. Motion carried

Resolution No. 2021-1 Certification of Abandoned Property for Accelerated Forfeiture Act was accepted. This must be done annually to help save time in the forfeiture process. This was motioned by Andy and supported by Starleen. A roll call vote we called.

JoAnn Yes -Starleen Yes- Bob Yes- Mary Jo Yes -Andy Yes

Motion to adjourn by Andy, and Starleen supported. Motion carried. Adjourned at 7:30PM