

The June 9 2020 meeting of St. Albans Township was called to order by Chairman, Randal Almendinger.

All trustees and fiscal officer were present.

The minutes of the May meeting and checks paid were read and approved as read. The fiscal officer read fund balances to date.

Charlie Montgomery said they are having trouble with the chainsaws. Trustees told him to look into getting a new one.

Charlie said there is a resident on Hardscrabble rd. with a water issue and wants the township to lower their culvert to help fix it. Charlie told trustees they need to go visit the property.

Tom Frederick gave the May zoning report and talked about a nuisance property.

Mike Theisen gave the May Fire and EMS reports.

Mike said he is still not allowing residents in the station for coffee in the mornings.

The station now has voicemail, so people are able to reach him directly to leave a voicemail. He thinks this will help with messages that he was not getting before.

The hood on the explorer is bubbling, but Ford is going to replace it.

Mike said the new medic is in production.

David Lees asked Mike questions about vehicles.

Randal Almendinger said the “no dumping” signs have been put up at the recycling bins.

Trustees and audience members talked about the trouble at the recycling bins with dumping, and ways to help with it.

Bruce Lane gave an update on the new building, saying that AEP is scheduled for the unhook and re-hook on June 17th.

Charlie Montgomery and trustees talked about replacing the batteries in the tornado sirens.

Bruce Lane said he will not be at the July meeting.

Trustees discussed the full time fire chief position and audience members asked questions and gave comments.

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2nd by Bruce Lane. Roll call: Jean Morrison –no, Bruce Lane –no, Randal Almendinger –no. Resolution failed.

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2nd by Bruce Lane. Roll call: Jean Morrison –yes, Bruce Lane –yes, Randal Almendinger –yes. Resolution passed.

Trustees talked about the Federal CARES act funds. Trustees don't feel that we have incurred enough expenses due to COVID to receive the money.

Checks were signed.

Meeting was adjourned 9:53 P.M.