

GANGES TOWNSHIP BOARD
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
MINUTES OF MAY 5, 2021

Supervisor Hebert called the meeting to order at 7:00pm at the Ganges Township Hall located at the corner of 119th Ave and 64th St. Board members present by roll call attendance: Hutchins, Reimink, Hebert, Gooding. Phelps was absent.

Enforcement at Pier Cove was discussed with the Allegan County Sheriff's Department. Pier Cove residents, Diane Broekhuis and Dexter Gauntlett expressed concern about parking after 10pm, who can write tickets, speed on Lakeshore Drive, trespassing of private property, drugs and drinking at the park. Would like to see a street light added and a lock on gate.

Reimink moved, Hutchins seconded to approve the agenda dated 5/5/2021 as presented with the addition of 12 A. Gravel Bids. Motion carried.

Reimink moved, Hutchins seconded to approve the regular meeting minutes of 4/13/2021. Motion carried.

Reimink reported the balances as of 4/20/2021 as follows:

General Fund	\$351,464.50
Ambulance Fund	38,712.92
Fire Fund	176,077.44
First Responders	-137.51
Road Fund	707,869.41
CD	194,234.20

Hebert moved, Gooding seconded to approve the Treasurer's report as presented. Motion carried.

Hebert moved, Reimink seconded to approve the payment of bills dated 5/5/2021 as presented from the following funds: General Fund-\$14,542.35; Fire Fund-

\$3,770.12; First Responder Fund-\$1,765.78; Ambulance Fund- \$9,000.00. Motion carried.

Committee Reports- Dan Diaz, Fire Chief, reported 20 calls for the month and 100 YTD. Response time have been less than 6 minutes.

AJ Broe, Sexton, reported 3 cremations for the month.

Barry Gooding, Planning Commission Rep, reported the April meeting was cancelled.

New Business

Hebert moved, Hutchins seconded to approve the gravel bid from R. Smith & Sons for \$32,160.00. Motion carried.

Public Comments & Announcements

On May 29th, Waypost Brewing Co. will be releasing its Pier Cove Pale Ale. They've partnered with Friends of Pier Cove Park to fundraise for park restoration by donating \$1.00 for every beer sold.

Gooding moved, Reimink seconded to adjourn the meeting at 8:15pm. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Robin Phelps, Ganges Township Clerk

Belinda Ricketts, Ganges Township Deputy Clerk