

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

Reimink moved, Yonkers seconded, to accept the agenda dated 10/9/12 as presented with the addition of Item 9.G.. Ambulance Committee report. Motion carried.

Correspondence -

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| Gail Kaplan, 2030 Lakeshore Dr | 10/1/12 | Request for Township to appeal 121 st decision |
| Laurie Benninghoff, Fennville, MI | 10/5/12 | Request for Township to appeal 121 st decision |

Public Comments - None

Hutchins moved, Gooding seconded, to approve the regular meeting minutes of 9/11/12 as presented. Motion carried.

Reimink reported the balances as of 9/30/12 as follows:

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| General Fund | \$246,000.05 |
| Road Fund | 276,397.46 |
| Ambulance Fund | 24,040.39 |
| Fire Fund | 108,860.22 |
| First Responders Checking | 34,019.62 |
| Building Admin. | 19,390.40 |
| TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS | \$ 708,708.14 |

Hebert moved, Yonkers seconded, to accept the Treasurer=s report as presented. Motion carried.

Reimink moved, Hutchins seconded, to approve payment of the bills dated 10/09/12 as presented from the following funds: General Fund - \$15,959.18; Fire Fund - \$33,281.66; First Responder Fund - \$8,051.45; Ambulance Fund - \$1,135.89; Building Admin. Fund - \$7,155.00; Road Fund - \$112,991.94. Motion carried.

Yonkers moved, Hutchins seconded to approve payment of \$900.00 to Matthew Zawila for light bars for 2 new brush trucks. Motion carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Hutchins moved, Gooding seconded to approve \$5,000.00 for improvements to the 2 new brush trucks with payment authorized upon receipt of invoice. Motion carried.

Ken Zecklin, Safety Officer, provided a written report of 20 runs for the month. Truck 21 blew a tire on the way to a fire assist . Zecklin suggested a spare wheel and tire be purchased and kept at Station 2. Zecklin will get a quote. Continuing Education classes have started for the fall/winter season.

Gary Holton, Cemetery Sexton, reported 2 burials for the month. He has temporarily mounted the Pier Cove Beach large sign on the fence for the winter season and installed the Court ordered sign at 121st. Holton also reported an individual that was working on a headstone at Loomis Cemetery and reminded the person that the Board or Cemetery Sexton should be contacted for approval.

Hutchins moved, Hebert seconded, to approve the quote from Firehose Storage of \$2,277.00 for fire hose racks at Station 1. Motion carried.

Shirley Newman, Library Representative, submitted a written report of the Fennville District Library’s activities and August circulation figures.

Gooding reported the Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on the Proposed Master Plan update on 10/23/12.

Dick Hutchins, Ambulance Committee, reported the quarterly meeting was held in September, the new truck is in service for the Fennville area and all is going well.

10/9/12

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Assessor Ziesemer provided a written status of the Assessing sketching/photos project as approved. A quote will be submitted to complete the remainder of the parcels.

NEW BUSINESS

Reimink moved, Yonkers seconded, to approve the application of Elijah Bradford, 2005 64th St, for the Ganges Township Fire Dept. and First Responder Unit effective 10/9/12. Motion carried.

ANNOUNCEMENTS - None

Public Comments

Pat Foster, 6079 Mallard, voiced several concerns regarding a perceived drainage problem on Mallard Dr. which is a private road.

Jane Vandenberg, 1910 Lakeshore Dr, inquired about the 121st road end.

Gooding moved, Reimink seconded, to adjourn the meeting at 7:40 P.M. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Cindy Yonkers, Clerk