

**Raber Township
Regular Board Meeting
Proposed Minutes
04/14/2020**

The Raber Township Regularly Scheduled Meeting was completed virtually due to the government's social distancing orders. All participants attended the meeting via Zoom. The meeting was called to order at 07:00 p.m. by Supervisor Paul Warner.

ROLL CALL

Supervisor Paul Warner, Treasurer Leslie Opolka, Clerk Hillary Galarowic, Trustee's Linda Johnson and Dan Galarowic were present. One (1) Township Resident was also in attendance.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion to approve agenda as presented made by: Linda

Supported by: Leslie

All in favor, motion carries

CLERK'S MINUTES

Correct typos under correspondence.

Motion made to approve the March minutes as corrected: Paul

Supported by: Dan

All in favor, motion carries

TREASURER'S REPORT

GENERAL FUND:	\$	120,319.49
FIRE DEPARTMENT:	\$	33,551.23
CHILDREN'S FUND:	\$	2,394.41
RECREATION FUND:	\$	1,646.86
CEMETERY FUND:	\$	2,767.52
ROAD FUND:	\$	234,321.34
AMBULANCE	\$	759.70
RTVFD Fundraising	\$	23,220.90
TOWNSHIP PROTECT	\$	16,747.20

Approval of the Treasurer's Report as presented

Motion made by: Hillary

Supported by: Paul

All in favor; Treasurer's Report approved

Dan Galarowic Credit Card

Motion to reinstate Trustee Galarowic's credit card made by: Paul

Supported by: Linda

All in favor, motion carries

Penalty for tax payments after Feb 14 – Leslie shared that it is the townships responsibility to cover any tax payments that don't clear. By instituting a penalty for payments made late we might be able to lessen that risk. The board discussed changing the due date of the taxes. Leslie stated that it is the townships the due date is the townships discretion and tax law states that payments are due to the state February 14. The additional time is a grace period to allow the townships and county to balance their books. The board tabled this topic until we are able to meet in person and get more public input.

Budget Review – none

PUBLIC COMMENT

Public comment opened at 7:07. The resident in attendance did not have a functioning microphone but typed a chat message that stated they supported changing the due date of the tax payment to February 14.

CORRESPONDENCE

Paul shared that the water sample came back with no issues.

OLD BUSINESS

Community Clean Up – This offering will postponed until social distancing orders are lifted and recycling returns to normal operation.

NEW BUSINESS

None

RECREATION COMMITTEE

None

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

The fire dept has received multiple donations of masks and gloves. They would like to thank all those who donated. They received a memorial donation from Joan Wahl. They were able to sell T-shirts from the snowmobile race and re-coup approximately \$2000. Biz-E-Bee did not charge for the 6 portable toilets reserved for the race. The fire dept would like to thank them for their support.

PRESENTATION & PAYMENT OF BILLS

A motion was made to pay the bills in the amount of \$3,893.55

Motion made by: Paul

Supported by: Leslie

All in favor; motion carried

ADJOURNMENT

Motion made by: Paul

Supported by: Hillary

All in favor; meeting adjourned.

Hillary Galarowic

Raber Township Clerk