

The regular meeting of the Sherman Township Board was held on May 7th , 2018 at 7:00pm at the township hall. Meeting called to order by Supervisor. After the pledge of allegiance, roll call taken: members present: D Berens, K Berens, Miller , K Smalligan, Stocking. Absent: none. There was a motion by Stocking, 2nd by D Berens to approve the agenda with district library proposed changes moved to public comment. All yes, agenda approved.

There was a motion by K Smalligan, 2nd by D Berens, to approve the minutes of the April 2nd 2018 regular meeting with a correction to vote on the wording of the complaint form. All yes, minutes approved.

Under public comment Stocking presented a resolution (copy attached) to allow Vivian Williams to connect to the City of Fremont water system. There was a motion by K Berens, 2nd by D Berens to approve the resolution (#2018-01) Vote taken, all yes, resolution approved.

Michelle Marciniak talked about the "CIRCLES" program in Newaygo County. It works to get people in the county out of poverty. Volunteers are welcome to work with the families.

Mike Paige introduced himself and said he is running for probate court judge in November.

K Berens gave the treasurer's report including bills to be paid. She said that the dumpster at Crystal Lake will cost \$90.00 per month. She said that the road commission did an update at the township officers assoc meeting last month. There were 2 bills for the road commission for work in the township, \$73,920.00 and \$43,880.00 There was motion by K Smalligan, 2nd by D Berens to accept the report and approve the bills. Roll call vote; YES: D Berens, K Berens, Miller , K Smalligan, Stocking. NO, none. Absent: none. Motion passed.

Clerk presented a letter from the road commission on the hazardous waste collection on June 2nd and a letter listing the delinquent tax sale from county treasurer. Also a letter listing the allocation board meeting times for township millage.

Miller said that he had received a letter from Joan Obits resigning from the Zoning Board of Appeals. She is moving out of the township. Clerk to run an ad to fill the position and library board position.

Ken Smalligan asked about the pay for mower use for mowing grass and if it was for both the hall and the park. Clerk to check records to see if it was specified. Will be put on agenda next month.

Doug Berens said the township web site is not user friendly. The links on the side do not work. Miller to talk to Maie.

K Berens said she had billed \$861.09 for fire runs and collected \$218.00 last month.

D Berens said that the PZC is working on a special use permit for Hershberger. A public hearing on this is scheduled for May 10th.

The building inspector gave his report including issuing 7 permits and done 6 inspections. He said he is working on a questionnaire about the procedures. The township will be rated on effectiveness based on the report. There will be a meeting on June 6th about the questionnaire. (after the meeting, it was determined the report is from a private company and not the State. Smalligan is not required to complete the report)

Chad Kukal gave the zoning administrator report.

Chenard said that the sewer authority was having the engineering firm check on the construction plans and financing options.

Assessor Stroven said that he is doing the “roll-over” for the 2019 assessment. He also presented a bid for a service contract for the copier and a bid for connecting the copier to all of the office computers. No action taken at this time, clerk to check on the cost of the copier and service call cost. Stroven also said that the clerk had signed for a key to be used by the chair of the election workers. Clerk said that he would keep the key and give it to the election workers chair on election day (for access to the state voter registration site using the computer in the clerk’s office) and get it back at the end of the election. There was a motion by K Berens, 2nd by K Smalligan to have the clerk return the key to Stroven after the election and get it from him for the next election. Vote taken; YES, D Berens, K Berens, Miller, K Smalligan. NO; Stocking. Motion passed
 Stroven also said that according to MTA, the state is working on new standards for assessors and may do away with the Class III rating.

K DeVisser said the he can use the park dumpster for trash and also have the clerk use his personal service.

The light for the WC fire dept is still waiting for the State of Mich. It could be in by the end of summer according to G Smalligan.

There was no public comment.

There was not board member comment.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30pm

Submitted by: Murry D Stocking clerk

Visitors to meeting: Gary Smalligan Stan Stroven Chad Kukal Marv Deur
 Dick Chenard Lee Hoppa Karl DeVisser Jon Bumstead Al Smalligan
 Bobby Berens Karen Korpolces Mike Paige Jason O’Connor
 Michelle Marciniak

	<i>Gen fund</i>	<i>*(Fire protect)</i>	<i>*(Fire station)</i>	<i>*(Cryst lake)</i>	<i>*(Mayo dr)</i>	<i>*(Rob lk)</i>
Starting bal	72,511.75	6,987.44	650.04	49,075.36	14,408.86	28,117.73
Receipts	5,657.25			0	0.00	
Expenditures	-11,563.05			-1,125.00	-150.00	
	0	0	0	0	0	0
New balance	66,605.95	6,987.44	650.04	47,950.36	14,258.86	28,117.73

*Fire protection, Fire station, Crystal Lake, Mayo Drive, Robinson Lake monies are kept in general fund account but not shown in General Fund total.

	<i>Cem fund</i>	<i>Fire run</i>	<i>Cap aq fund</i>	<i>Road fund</i>	<i>Win tax fund</i>	<i>Sum tax fund</i>
Starting bal	5,265.88	444.76	14,279.98	158,499.54	374.32	811.96
Receipts	1,870.00	0		0.00		
Expenditures	-1,150.82	0.00		-117,800.00		
	0	0	0	0	0	0
New balance	5,985.06	444.76		40,699.54	374.32	811.96

CEMETERY FUND TRANSACTIONS

Rec 14911	1,110.00	Kroeze
14912	120.00	LaBelle
14913	640.00	Crandell
	1,870.00	
		xxx
Ck 1740	24.62	CPCo
1741	1,126.20	Sexton wages
	1,150.82	

ROAD FUND TRANSACTIONS

Ck 1115	43,880.00	Road comm
1116	73,920.00	Road comm
	117,800.00	

CAP ACQ FUND TRANSACTIONS.

FIRE RUN COLLECTION TRANSACTIONS

Rec 14903	100.00	Foster
14904	125.78	Dill
14905	92.75	brower
	318.53	

SUMMER TAX FUND TRANSACTIONS

WINTER TAX FUND TRANSACTIONS

Ck 1854	254.88	State of mich
		Forest program

SHERMAN TOWNSHIP RESOLUTION #2018-01

WHEREAS: The City of Fremont does provide water facilities for a portion of 48th Street east of Luce Avenue in Sherman Township, THEREFORE, The Township of Sherman does resolve that parcel #62-14-31-300-015 (4563 W 48th st) in Sherman Township adjacent to the City of Fremont water facilities is eligible to connect to that facility. (property is owned by Vivian Williams)

YEAS: K Berens, D Berens, Miller, K Smalligan, Stocking

NAYS: none

Resolution approved.

Signed: Murry D Stocking, clerk

May 7th, 2018