

PARMA TOWNSHIP
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PARMA TOWNSHIP BOARD REGULAR MEETING
APRIL 8, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by Chamberlain in the Township Hall, 16407 Comdon Road Albion, MI. The Pledge to the flag followed. Present: Chamberlain, Spangler, Dermyer, Mohney, Engelter, Boehlke and several observers.

The following minutes were entered into the records as presented: March 11 Budget Hearing, March 11 Board Regular and March 14 Board Special.

Dermyer gave the treasurers report. Fund balances as of March 31, 2019 are as follows: General \$182,864.43, Water \$76,342.34. The CP Federal Credit Union Savings account has been closed and the money placed in the General Fund.

Engelter gave the fire report. Expense total for the month is \$13,915.98. There were 57 runs. The department has ordered an automatic CPR machine at a cost of \$16,638.50. The department is looking to replace the truck that was damaged due to one of the ice storms this past winter with a grass fire truck. A new pumper truck may be ordered in July with delivery in early 2020. The Chief has hired 3 new fire fighters bringing the total to 21. He would like to have 30.

Chamberlain reported the water service has been replaced at 811 Jupiter. She has also been talking with the water engineer about repairing or replacing some fire hydrants.

Engelter said he will be reporting on the Ad Hoc committee after receiving information from the water engineer.

Mohney reported on the Planning Commission regular meeting from April 3rd.

Spangler said there were 2 zoning, 5 building, 1 plumbing and 1 electrical inspections performed.

Announcements included the Spring Cleanup will be held May 18th from 9 to 1 and a Concord School Election on May 7, with our Concord Voters voting in Concord.

OLD BUSINESS:

Chamberlain moved Dermyer seconded carried to set an annual Large Gatherings permit fee of \$1,500 to cover from April 1, to March 31. Chamberlain, yes, Dermyer yes, Spangler yes, Engelter yes, Mohney yes.

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NEW BUSINESS:

Chamberlain moved Engelter seconded carried to support legislation that would allow townships boards the options to have its elected offices appear as nonpartisan on the ballot. Chamberlain no, Engelter yes, Mohny yes, Dermyer yes, Spangler yes.

Chamberlain moved Mohny seconded carried to reduce the \$5000 permit renewal application fee to \$1,500 for Organically Michigan Genetix, LLC. Chamberlain yes, Mohny yes, Spangler yes, Engelter yes, Dermyer yes.

Chamberlain moved Dermyer seconded carried to hold the October Board Regular Meeting on October 7, 2019 at 7:00 pm here at the township hall. Chamberlain yes, Dermyer yes, Mohny yes, Engelter yes, Spangler yes

Spangler was called away at 7:46 pm.

Chamberlain moved Engelter seconded carried to hold the November Board Regular Meeting on November 4 2019. Chamberlain yes, Engelter yes, Dermyer yes, Mohny yes.

Spangler returned at 7:49 pm.

Engelter moved Dermyer seconded carried to pay the bills as presented and all routine ones that arrive by the end of the month. Engelter yes, Dermyer yes, Spangler yes, Mohny yes, Chamberlain yes.

Public comments were made by Sidney Moore.

Meeting adjourned at 7:51 pm.

Submitted,

Donald Spangler, Clerk
By Louise Boehlke, Deputy Clerk