

Sidney Township
Minutes
May 7th, 2018

Supervisor Peterman called the Sidney Township Board meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

ATTENDANCE:

Peterman, Walters, Stover, Leyrer, Welder

AGENDA:

Leyrer motions to approve. Stover seconds. All in favor. Carried.

MINUTES:

Stover motions to accept last month's Board minutes. Leyrer supported. All in favor. Carried.

Leyrer noticed that motions were not noted in the March minutes for acceptance of the budget for the 2018-2019 budget. Leyrer motions to correct the Budget meeting minutes. Welder supports. All in favor. Carried.

CORRESPONDENCE:

Walters presented a resolution for Derby Lake regarding Canada Goose Control. Walters motions to accept the resolution. Welder seconded. All in favor. Carried. Peterman received a complaint from the Sheriff's department regarding a dog complaint from a township resident.

SHERIFF'S REPORT:

Deputy Nicholas McConnell was present to give the Sheriff's report.

GUEST SPEAKERS:

None

REPORTS:

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Stover presented the Treasurer's Report. Welder motions to approve Treasurer's Report. Leyrer supports. All in favor. Carried.

CLERK'S REPORT:

Walters presented the Clerk's Report and bills. Stover motions to accept Clerk's report. Welder seconds. All in favor. Carried.

Walters updated the Board regarding the Quickbooks charges. The Board will be researching other avenues of tax prep to avoid such hefty annual fees in the future. Need to see about getting QB off the auto-renewal.

PLANNING COMMISSION:

Next meeting on June 6th @ 7pm.

They will be going over a draft of the mowing/plowing contract.

We would like to apply for grant money for the park. In order to apply, we will need to add a sub-section for parks & recreation in our Master Plan.

COMMISSIONER'S REPORT:

John Johansen was present to give the Commissioner's report. The County Audit was completed and passed without exception.

ZONING REPORT:

Hillman House up for Tax sale.

W. Sidney resident still not in compliance.

Junk Yard – will have to see about ticketing the owner again.

Blue house on Derby is beginning to be a problem again...

OLD BUSINESS:

A – Fire truck update – June 1st due date! Welder motions to recommend to other entities that they contact a lawyer to have a letter sent to the company with intentions to sue for reduction of costs since it has been 15 months, instead of 120 days as contracted. Leyrer seconded. All in favor. Carried.

B – Park playground fund – Since we have had people calling with questions about donations for the park, we are going to draft a letter that will be included in taxes. Instead of asking for a millage, we will request donations.

C – Mower for Park – It will need to be replaced. Peterman to research/locate an affordable replacement. Leyrer motions to allot up to \$500 for a mower for the ball field. Stover seconded. All in favor. Carried.

D – Cemetery – Tree cleanup.

NEW BUSINESS:

A –

B –

C –

D –

CITIZEN'S COMMENTS:

ADJOURNMENT:

Walters motions to adjourn. Stover supported. All in favor. Carried.

Erika A. Walters
Clerk