

Sidney Township
Minutes
October 2, 2017

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

ATTENDANCE:

Peterman, Stover, Walters, Leyrer, Welder

AGENDA:

Leyrer motions to approve agenda. Welder seconds. All in favor. Carried.

MINUTES:

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

CORRESPONDENCE:

Clerk – None

Supervisor (DNR) – Chronic Wasting Disease in Montcalm County.

Also, there was a Festival on Nevins Rd. The Board was not made formally aware of it. It is unknown whether or not alcohol was served, but there was reportedly a \$40 door-charge. We will check into the circumstances.

SHERIFF'S REPORT:

Sheriff Williams delivered the report.

There is a Food Drive going on between the Sheriff's office, EMS and Central Dispatch for the month of October.

GUEST SPEAKERS:

Linda VanHouten presented updated Bond information for Greenville Public Schools in November.

REPORTS:

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Stover presented her report.

Stanton Fire Truck is still not completed.

Leyrer motions to accept Treasurer's report. Welder seconds. All in favor. Carried.

CLERK'S REPORT:

Leyrer motions to accept bills and budget reports. Welder seconded. All in favor. Carried.

PLANNING COMMISSION:

Wed, Dec. 6th @ 7pm. This will be Pat Kellogg's last meeting. Board will need to appoint a new member by March, 2018. Appointment is a 3-year term.

COMMISSIONER'S REPORT:

John Johansen was present to give the Commissioner's Report.
Sewer Advisory Committee – Mr. Johansen is concerned about some internal conflict on the Committee, and a lack of understanding regarding the potential incoming funds.

ZONING REPORT:

Dale updated ticketing and properties on the Zoning Report.
There has been an offer made on a Car Dealership on 66 just south of Stanton for the purpose of running another Car Dealership. Purchaser is looking into whether or not he is permitted to do so.

OLD BUSINESS:

- A – Culvert replacement update – Replaced with 25-year warranty item.
- B – Cemetery – Tingley has responded regarding survey at \$500. They will survey the 4 corners of the cemetery and replace the stakes.
- C – Hall-chairs/tables dolly – No-go at this point. Peterman to look into different chairs.
- D – Survey for cemetery – See above
- E – Cemetery rules/ordinance – Miller site has been cleared up. John requests a copy of the map with his sites.
The Board requests that Peterman get an estimate for Ordinance.
- F – BBQ Total/Donation to Sheridan FD - \$2,000.

NEW BUSINESS:

- A – Lake weeds – Leyrer motions to accept Derby Lake at \$100/\$50 and Nevins Lake raised to \$60/\$30. Welder seconded. All in favor. Carried.
- B – Grant/Playground equipment -
- C – Online banking for General Fund – Board accepts online banking for General Fund.
- D – Sewer budget approval – Leyrer motions to accept the recommended budget of \$85,000 for 2018. Welder seconds. All in favor. Carried.

CITIZEN'S COMMENTS:

ADJOURNMENT:

Stover motions to adjourn. Leyrer seconded. All in favor. Carried.

Erika A. Walters
Clerk