April 1, 2013

Greenbush Township Board Meeting

The regular meeting of the Greenbush Township Board was held the 1st of April 2013 at 7:00PM. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Jim Jorae and the Pledge of Allegiance followed. All board members were present except Trustee Dan Jorae.

Julie Havens made a motion to accept the agenda, Bill Dershem supported and the motion carried.

Minutes from the March 20-13 board meeting were read. Bill Dershem made a motion to accept the minutes as read, Julie Havens supported and the motion carried.

The Treasurers report was read. The balances on March 31, 2013 were:

Citizens Bank Checking:	\$ 253.85
Citizens Bank Savings:	\$ 104,483.34
Firstbank MMIA:	\$ 8,413.82
Tax MMIA:	\$ 2,940.51
Total Funds Available:	\$ 116,091.52
Bill Dershem made a motion to accept the report as read, supported by	
Bernadette Hayes and it carried. Bill Dershem made a motion to transfer	
\$31,259.30 to pay orders 728 through 745 plus an estimated \$400 to pay the	

Consumers Energy invoices for the Township Hall and Eureka Street Lights when they come, Bernadette Hayes supported and the motion carried.

Public comment came from Rex Ferguson from the Paine-Gillam-Scott Museum.

Eric Thompson from the Clinton County Sheriff Department reports Mike Vetter is retiring and will result in some personnel changes. Ticket distribution continues to be low as motorists are just not speeding through our stretch of the county.

Assessor Gail Watkins reports 6 properties are in foreclosure in the Township. The Board of Review had two citizens consult with them this year. Historically they have 6 -10 visitors.

County Commissioner Kam Washburn reports the sale of the ambulance barn is moving forward, the County Historical Board has 2 openings, and the Road Commission will celebrate its 100th anniversary this year with an open house. He will make sure the County knows we need additional emergency funds as a result of the development of Motz Park.

Bill Dershem made a motion to adjourn at 7:35PM, Julie Havens supported and the motion carried.

Jim Jorae, Supervisor

Bernadette Hayes, Clerk