

Greenbush Township Minutes

November 26, 2018

All members were present

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Thelen at 7:00 p.m. with the pledge of allegiance.

The agenda was approved with no additions or corrections with a motion by Roof seconded by Kindel, motion carried.

Sheriff Report – absent

CAAS – Rick reported all calls were up from last year and there are some zoning issues with the new garage but are working through them.

Reading and Approval of Minutes – amend the minutes to read that 69 was going to be worked on west of Lansing not west of St. Johns, also need to have minutes of the election meeting added. Motion to accept the minutes as amended by Roof seconded by Kindel motion carried.

Treasurers' Report – Motion by Smith seconded by Graham to accept the treasurer's report and to pay check 13446-13465, motion carried.

Public Comment – None

Correspondence – Willard and Calhoun drain repair

Commissioner – Kam Washburn - New budget approved same as it has been but really hard 72% of budget is brought in by property taxes and the rate is staying consistent but cost of maintaining the county is going up.

MSPC state infra structure for state voted in hopefully this will help with emergency communication.

Indigent fund how – how court appt. attorneys will be handled there will be a person hired to oversee this

The county is getting back 1444 sq feet from the city in the courthouse .The City is moving some of their offices out to the old 65th district court building.

There is talk that the state wants to start having septic tank inspections in an effort to clean up the Maple River if it passes this would be an expense to the people every ten years.

Assessor - Beth Botke The board of review will have two items on their agenda at the December 11th meeting which will be held at the town hall at 8:00 am

There is a 30% pass rate of those trying to become an assessor.

Road report – Not much to report other than we had a successful year.

MTA – Denise went to the treasurer meeting/training sponsored by the MTA and learned a lot to help her do her job. She stated that she learned a lot of useful information.

Lawn Mower – Dave Motz approached Supervisor Thelen to buy a Zero Turn Lawn Mower in the amount of \$2200 board stated that they would pay \$2050.00 motion by Kindel seconded by Graham Roll Call vote Thelen, Kindel, Roof, Graham, Smith yea nays none.

Marijuana Licensing - for commercial establishment centers in our township, Ordinance with county pending that would stop the establishments. Board decided to table the discussion until next month after obtaining more information. Motion was made by Roof seconded by Kindel to table.

Election Report - there was 1074 voters. All things went well with the new machines; the only thing that will be done differently is that there will be a table set up with dividers so that more can vote at one time.

No Additional Comment.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:30 p m

Lee Thelen, Supervisor

Ramona Smith, Clerk