

HOPE TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING June 8, 2020

Meeting called to order by Supervisor Mark Feldpausch in the parking lot at the Hope Township Hall, 5463 S. M-43 Hwy, Hastings, MI 49058.

Members Present: Mark Feldpausch, Arlene Tonkin, Deborah Jackson, David Messelink, Matt Peake.

Members Absent: None

Others Present: Joyce Snow, Susan & Terry Bowyer, Christin Hunnicutt, Greg & Ellen Berens, Lisa Shockley-Curtis.

Public Comment: Comment was made.

Approval of Agenda: Jackson made a request to add Covid-19 Preparedness and Response Plan (g) under New Business. Motion to approve the amended agenda by Peake, second by Jackson. All in favor. Motion carried.

Delton Fire Report: None

County Commission Report: None

Consent Agenda: *All matters listed under item 6, Consent Agenda, are considered routine by the board and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items. If discussion is required, it will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered separately.*

- a. Approval of May 11, 2020 Meeting Minutes
- b. Reports received: Zoning Compliance permits; Building permits; Revenue/Expenditure report; Treasurer report; SWBCSA minutes.
- c. Approval of Bills and signatures of Board Members: Deborah Jackson

Motion to approve consent agenda by Jackson, second by Messelink. Roll call vote. All in favor. Motion carried unanimously.

Reports/Board Comments:

Supervisor: Nothing to report.

Treasurer: Tonkin read report. Report on file.

Clerk: Jackson reported the library will open on June 15th. August election preparations are underway. The Michigan Secretary of State mailed absentee voter applications to every registered voter. The township mailed applications to voters on the permanent absentee voter list.

Trustee(s): Peake reported the Road Commission has completed paving Cloverdale Road. Chip seal will be applied later. Messelink reported the SWBCSA board met and re-elected its executive officers.

Unfinished Business

None

New Business

- a. **Fireworks permit-Guernsey Lake.** Motion to approve the permit from Wolverine Fireworks for July 4, 2020 by Jackson, second by Messelink. Roll call vote. All in favor. Motion carried unanimously.
- b. **Healthy Waters Alliance Weed Treatment.** Motion by Tonkin, second by Peake to proceed with the request. Roll call vote. All in favor. Motion carried unanimously.
- c. **Wall Lake Weed Treatment renewal.** Motion by Tonkin, second by Jackson to proceed with the request. Roll call vote. All in favor. Motion carried unanimously.
- d. **Budget Amendment-Library Grant 101-791-801-000 \$41,330 (increase \$1,330).** Motion to approve the budget amendment by Jackson, second by Tonkin. Roll call vote. All in favor. Motion carried unanimously.
- e. **Hall re opening date.** Motion to open the office to the public on 7/1/2020 by Feldpausch, second by Peake. All in favor. Motion carried.
- f. **Hall cleaning schedule.** The board agreed the cleaning should be done after 3 pm.
- g. **COVID-19 Preparedness and Response Plan.** Plan on file.
The Hope Township COVID-19 Preparedness and Response Plan designates Supervisor Feldpausch as the Township's Workplace Coordinator to oversee and implement the policies of this Plan. Clerk Jackson is designated as back-up Workplace Coordinator in the event that Supervisor Feldpausch is absent, sick or otherwise unavailable to oversee and implement the policies of this Plan. Supervisor Feldpausch may appoint such others as Workplace Coordinator as needed.
Motion to approve the plan by Jackson, second by Feldpausch. Roll call vote. All in favor. Motion carried unanimously.

Additional Public Comment (limited to 3 minutes): Comment was made.

Meeting adjourned at 6:53 p.m. Motion to close by Peake, second by Messelink. All in favor. Motion carried.

Deborah Jackson

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Hope Township Clerk

Mark Feldpausch

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Hope Township Supervisor

Date: *July 13, 2020*

Status (circle one)

Tentative Minutes

Approved Minutes

