

Greenbush Township Minutes

February 25th, 2019

All Board Members were present

Supervisor Thelen opened the meeting with the pledge of allegiance.

Agenda - the agenda was approved with no additions motion was made by Kindel seconded by Graham motion carried.

Clinton County Sherriff - No report was given

CAAS Report- The new building is up it is 56x56. They hired two additional EMT's. Director Weber will be going to Florida for a conference giving a speech on various programs. The Township Board gave Director Weber and the staff of CAAS a congratulatory statement on their work and service to the Township and the County.

Reading and approval of Minutes - Roof made a motion to dispense with the reading of January's meeting held February 5th due to weather and the approval of the minutes, Kindel seconded motion carried. Roof made a motion to approve the Special Meeting Minutes for the 2019-2020 Budget held February 2, 2019 Graham seconded motion passed.

Treasurers Report - Smith made a motion to accept the treasurer report as presented and to pay checks 13489 to 13504 seconded by Graham motion carried.

Correspondence – A Certificate of Achievement for AMA Report by Assessor Beth Botke, Congratulations, State P.A. 57, and Scholarship from Tri - County that is open to High School Seniors see website for more information.

Public Comment – None on any non-agenda items

Commissioner Report - Commissioner Washburn was absent

Assessor Report – Beth Botke gave the Board of Review dates as March 13th 9:00 am to 3:00 pm and March 14th from 3:00pm to 9:00 pm. All dates have been posted in various papers. The Board of Review members attended training on February 12th, 2019. Assessments have been mailed if you have not received one please contact Ms. Botke.

OLD BUSINESS

Road Report – No funding for Colony Road Cul-du-sac this year from the state. The County plans to apply for the Colony RD grant again next year. Kinley Rd. will not become a class A road due to the fact it does not have a direct destination as of now. Talks are going on with various entities on the improvement of Kinley Rd.

High Grade Company will be making an onsite road with an outlet on Colony, they will not be using Gilson RD, and this is for their mining site on the corner of Colony and Gilson.

MDOT and Supervisor Thelen are discussing left turn lanes on 27 from the ramp to Gratiot County Line Rd.

Maple Rapids Rd. will be resurfaced from Welling Rd to Maple Rapids; this is a road commission expense.

Road Commission and our Township Representatives; Trustee Graham, Trustee Kindel, and Supervisor Thelen will meet March 20th, 2019 for this year road work to be done in the township. Such as where does the township want to put gravel, chip seal, etc.

Budget 2019-2020 - Discussed some accounts from current budget that needed additions to balance before the new budget can be approved. The Board gave Treasurer Roof permission to adjust and bring to next month's meeting the updated balanced 2018-2019 budget and also the 2019-2020 Budget. Motion by Roof seconded by Kindel motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

CAASA Budget 2019-2020 - Approval Roof made motion to accept the CAASA budget Kindel seconded motion carried.

Welling Road Truck Route – There were discussion by the Board over residents concerns on the truck hauling routes and speeds and going through the stop sign at Hyde and Welling Rd. Road limits begin March 11, 2019 there is a 35MPH limit also this is a class A haul route. There is a possibility that there will be intermittent sheriff patrol in that area to observe residents voiced concerns.

Additional Comments – None

Meeting Adjourned at 8:20 with a motion by Kindel seconded by Graham.

Next Meeting March 25, 2019 at 7.00pm

Lee Thelen, Supervisor

Ramona Smith, Clerk