Maple Grove Township Board Meeting Minutes

Meeting date: 2018/02/19 - Presented by: Tish Yaros - Clerk

Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM. All board members present. The minutes from the January 15th meeting were read and motion made by Clerk Yaros seconded by Bishop to approve. Motion passed.

Public Comment: There was a brief discussion regarding creating a windmill ordinance. Supervisor Krupp noted that he's spoken to a lawyer and there are several options: use of a special use permit, stay silent or create an ordinance. He is waiting for a letter from the lawyer summarizing this discussion. He also noted that board members that stand to benefit from windmills can vote as long as they declare prior to voting.

Saginaw county commissioner Cheryl Hadsall passed out the County of Saginaw 2018 Budget Highlights flier. The main focus will be the jail and they will break ground in April. The project is estimated to take 18 months to complete. She also updated everyone on the millages that are coming out this year. The flier also has quick facts on how tax dollars are being spent.

Pat Andres reported that the cascade system failed and needed to be repaired. Pat also requested funds to get the brush truck equipped so it can be put in use. The funds are in his maintenance budget and he was told to proceed with the repairs he needs to get the truck in safe working order.

Motion made by Bishop to pass Resolution 2-2018-1 to remove 1.64 acres in section 28 (parcel #: 73-34613-123132) and Resolution 2-2018-2 to remove 1.473 acres in section 29 (parcel #: 73-728565-123131) from PA116 for Dennis and Gail Sigmund, seconded by Krupp. Motion passed.

Trustee Wendling reported that the Planning Commission is going to develop a nuisance ordinance. He also reported that the Park Commission is working on mapping the tile in the park and gathering estimates for repair. They are also looking to get a cost for running water lines to each diamond. They talked about the 5 year park plan but need more active membership on the board. All board members are going to be contacted to see if they still want to be on this commission, if not, they will seek new participation.

Supervisor Krupp said there has been no movement on the Misteguay litigation. He also noted that the Road Commission has done snow plowing and winter maintenance.

Treasurer Bishop made a motion to pay bills 18393 thru 18423 totalling \$30,277.86 seconded by Wendling. Motion passed.

Supervisor Krupp motioned to adjourn the meeting, supported by Yaros. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 7:32 PM.