

Maple Grove Township Board Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: 2020/01/20 - Presented by: Tish Yaros - Clerk

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. All board members present. The minutes from the December 16th meeting were read and motion made by Yaros, seconded by Bishop, to approve. Motion passed.

Chief Andres shared information on Engine 6 repairs and details about activities from the 2019 calendar year. All of these activities will be shared on the township website for review.

Treasurer Bishop mentioned about the Rehmann Health Center meeting she will be attending.

Clerk Yaros encouraged everyone to get on the absentee voter list to avoid lengthy lines. The next election is March 10th. She also set the Election Commission meeting at 6:45 on February 17th and will hold the public accuracy test that same night after the Township Board Meeting.

A reminder was given about the board of review meetings to be held on March 9th from 9:00-12:00 p.m. and 1:00-4:00 p.m. and on March 10th between 3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Trustee Wendling noted that there will be a planning commission meeting on February 3rd at 7:00pm in the township hall.

Supervisor Krupp made a motion for resolutions 1-2020-1, 1-2020-2, 1-2020-3 and 1-2020-4 to allow an examination of the township official Salaries at the time the budget is reviewed, seconded by Yaros. Motion Passed.

Krupp motioned for Resolution 1-2020-5 to adopt the Federal Poverty Guidelines Used in the Determination of Poverty Exemptions. Seconded by Wendling. Motion passed.

Krupp also motioned for Resolution 1-2020-6 to adopt the Procedures and application for real property exemptions under MCL 211.7. Seconded by Yaros. Motion passed.

Krupp noted consumers was contracting to Davey resource group to clean up areas around power lines and that they may need to access property to access the poles and meters. For more information, see the website.

Krupp shared he has received pricing for road projects for the 2020 year for budgeting purposes.

The board set the dates and times of the budget meetings which are:

- 1st Budget Meeting - February 24th at 6:00 p.m.
- 2nd budget meeting on March 16th at 6:45 p.m.
- The Annual meeting is being cancelled due to low attendance. All business that was normally done at this meeting will be conducted at the March 16th meeting.

Treasurer Bishop read and motioned to pay bills #19177 thru #19224 for a total of \$50,438.22. Supported by Wendling. Motion Passed.

Trustee Anderson motioned to adjourn the meeting, supported by Yaros, meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.