Sigel Township

Regular Monthly Meeting June 17th, 2024

Sigel Township Hall, 5784 Sand Beach Rd, Harbor Beach, MI 48441

Meeting called to order by Supervisor Maurer at 8:01 pm. Board members present: Maurer, Bischer, Essenmacher, Sweeney and Grekowicz. Also in attendance were Fire Fighters Joel Kiehl and Jason Lermont, and Jeff Haines from DTE.

Minutes were approved from the May 20th, 2024, Meeting. Motion Essenmacher, second Grekowicz to approve minutes. Motion Carried 5-0.

Treasurer Report: General Fund starting balance \$866,379.19. Income of \$70,803.57 and Expenses of \$6,193.04 for an ending balance of \$931,974.64. Fire Fund starting balance \$436,429.58. Income of \$197.14 and Expenses of \$8,581.06 for an ending balance of \$428,045.66. Road Fund starting balance \$403,716.16. Income of \$297.64 and Expenses of \$350,803.00 for an ending balance of \$53,210.80. Total of all three ending balances of \$1,413,231.10. Motion Sweeney, second Essenmacher to approve all 3 treasurer reports. Motion Carried 5-0.

Supervisor Maurer reported that the application of road brine is in progress and should be completed soon. Some of the brine needed to be redone due to inadequate width.

Motion Bischer, seconded by Grekowicz to hire Brining and Brining to complete the Township audit. Motion Carried 5-0.

During the Ambulance report Joel Kiehl reported that Central Huron Ambulance will receive their new ambulance in the fourth quarter of 2024. He also reported that they are continuing with the exploration of a special assessment to fund them.

Firefighters reported on activities in the township and that they ordered t-shirts for the firefighters. The board also authorized the fire department to purchase sweatshirts for the firefighters.

The board authorized paying the new firefighters that complete and pass Fire Fighter 1 and 2 \$50 per meeting.

During Public Comment, Jeff Haines updated the Township on DTE's plan to repower the Sigel Windpark and that they are currently reaching out to and meeting with landowners.

Motion Grekowicz, second Sweeney to adjourn meeting. Motion Carried 5-0. Meeting Adjourned at 8:46pm.

Dennis Bischer, Sigel Township Clerk