

**GRAND RAPIDS TOWNSHIP REGULAR MEETING**

February 25, 2019

The Grand Rapids Township Trustees met at 7:00 A.M. in the Grand Rapids Township Fire Hall. David Chamberlain, Ike Topp and Rita Foos answered roll call. There were two guests present.

Rita Foos moved to approve and dispense with the reading of the minutes, as copies were available to guests. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ike Topp. Roll Call YES: Ike Topp, David Chamberlain and Rita Foos. Motion carried.

The Fiscal Officer presented bills in the amount of \$12,252.02 for approval. Rita Foos moved to pay all bills as presented. 2<sup>nd</sup> by David Chamberlain . Roll Call YES: David Chamberlain, Ike Topp and Rita Foos. Motion carried.

Zoning Inspector Tom Hall reported to the board that Pioneer is going to be updating the signage on their property.

George Foos updated the board on the activity of the Zoning Commission, they are currently going through our resolution and comparing it to resolutions of nearby townships.

Rita Foos moved to approve the Annual Appropriations for 2019 . 2<sup>nd</sup> by David Chamberlain . Roll Call YES: Ike Topp, David Chamberlain and Rita Foos. Motion carried.

After reviewing the list of charges and the CPI for 2018, Rita Foos moved to increase all charges except zoning fees by 2.2%, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ike Topp. Roll Call YES: David Chamberlain, Ike Topp and Rita Foos. Motion carried.

There was a short discussion on the wind damage to the tarp on the salt shed. David Chamberlain to contact Tri County Tarp for an estimate.

There was discussion about the catch basin on Poe Road that is not draining, Ike Topp to get estimate for the repair.

Rita Foos mentioned that Fire Chief Eric Flora informed her that Providence Township has a tanker truck that is currently parked outside and that they would like to let the township use and store in our building.

There was a discussion on the Villages request for the Township to transfer funds from the Town Hall Fund to the Village. The Village requested these funds for repairs they plan to do to the Town Hall. It was decided not to transfer the funds to the Village but to agree to pay for repairs to the Town Hall that the Trustees approve.

Dave Chamberlain brought up the fact that Perri Dela-Hamaide has not had a raise in three years and has done good job mowing the cemetery. After a short discussion, David chamberlain moved to give Perry a \$ 0.50 raise. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ike Topp. Roll Call YES: Ike Topp, David Chamberlain and Rita Foos. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned.

Trustees

Fiscal Officer

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