

GRAND RAPIDS TOWNSHIP REGULAR MEETING

May 13, 2019

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

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

The Fiscal Officer presented bills in the amount of \$5,802.23 for approval. Rita Foos moved to pay all bills as presented. 2nd by Ike Topp. Roll Call YES: David Chamberlain, Ike Topp and Rita Foos. Motion carried.

Fire Chief Eric Flora reported 19 runs by the department. Chief Flora reported that Providence Township brought their tanker truck to the department and that the agreement paperwork would follow.

Rita Foos moved to approve and sign the Agreement for County Issuance of Township Road Special Hauling Permit. 2nd by David Chamberlain. Roll Call YES: Ike Topp, David Chamberlain and Rita Foos. Motion carried.

Rita Foos said that she reached out to Joe Schroeder about the insurance company not covering the damage to the dump truck. Rita stated she did not agree with the determination of the insurance company and that she has not heard back from Joe.

Rita Foos said that she contacted Premier Patching for a bid on crack sealing Poe Road and was informed by them that they did not think it was needed. Rita suggested that the township hold off on crack sealing this year. Ike Topp agreed and said we can hit all the marked roads with the dura-patcher this year.

David Chamberlain resolved that that it is expedient and necessary to levy a rate in excess of said ten mill limitation to wit; at a rate of ¼ mill to provide funds to maintain and operate Beaver Creek Cemetery over (4) years, on the general property duplicate of said Grand Rapids Township; for the years of 2019 through 2022, in accordance with the provisions of R.C. 5705.191. 2nd by Rita Foos. Roll Call YES: David Chamberlain, Ike Topp and Rita Foos. Motion carried.

Rita Foos moved to enter into executive session to discuss employee performance since Tim Van Dusen has worked for over one year for the township. 2nd by David Chamberlain. Roll Call YES: Ike Topp, David Chamberlain and Rita Foos. Motion carried.

Back in session.

Rita Foos moved to increase Tim Van Dusen’s wages to \$19.00 per hour. 2nd by Ike Topp. Roll Call YES: David Chamberlain, Ike Topp and Rita Foos. Motion carried.

Rita Foos mentioned that the Wood County Senior Center is going to have an open house at the Hosanna Lutheran Church where they serve meals 5 days a week.

The meeting was adjourned.

Trustees

Fiscal Officer

