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Meeting called to order by Supervisor Titus at 7:00 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Trustee Mark Baranowski, present; Trustee Duane Hagle, present; Clerk Deborah Rhein, present; Treasurer Dawn Sawicki-Franz, present; Supervisor Al Titus, present.

Roll Call

Citizens Wishing to Address the Board: Doug Pratt discussed the complaints about HSP Diesel that were discussed at the October board meeting. Florence Sawicki inquired about the Hough Road bridge project.

Citizens

Guest Speakers: N/A

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Accept Agenda: Hagle motioned to accept the agenda with the following addition: New Business, add G. Building Inspector Pay, and also under New Business, add H. December Payroll, seconded by Baranowski. All in favor, motion carried.

Accept Agenda

Approve Minutes from October 1st, 2019: Rhein motioned to approve the minutes from October 1st, 2019 with the following corrections: On page 1, under Guest Speakers, clarify that it was a representative for Susan Hankins, rather than Susan Hankins herself, under monthly bills, correct the stub #'s, tax #'s and check #'s seconded by Hagle. All in favor, motion carried.

Approve Minutes

Consent Agenda: Rhein motioned to accept the consent agenda with the treasurer's summary, Bond Refunds, and monthly bills which include general check #'s 23954-23992, direct deposit #'s DD59-DD77, EFT #36, stub #'s 228-235, and tax check #'s 2648-2651 as presented, seconded by Hagle. Roll Call: Rhein-yes, Hagle-yes, Baranowski-yes, Sawicki-Franz-yes, Titus-yes. All in favor, motion carried.

Consent Agenda

ANNUAL HEARING ON SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL

Annual Hearing

Hagle motioned to open the hearing at 7:09 p.m., seconded by Baranowski. Roll Call: Baranowski-yes, Hagle-yes, Rhein-yes, Sawicki-Franz-yes, Titus-yes.

- A. Review Special Assessment Amount: Sawicki-Franz stated that the township was in the second year of the contract with Jeff's Rubbish. Rhein stated that the assessment for the 2020 year was \$168.72 per household, which is unchanged from the previous year. She also stated that there are 1,234 households, and 28 duplexes, which brings the total assessment to \$212,924.64.
- B. Review Special Assessment Objections: N/A

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C. Review Special Assessment Roll and Confirm: Rhein stated that there are 1,234 households, and 28 duplexes in the township.

Rhein motioned to close the public hearing at 7:11 p.m., seconded by Sawicki-Franz. All in favor, motion carried.

Unfinished Business:

- A. 609 Burnell Road Property: Titus motioned that the Township board move to occupy the 609 Burnell Road property, seconded by Sawicki-Franz. Roll Call: Titus-yes, Rhein-yes, Sawicki-Franz-yes, Hagle-yes, Baranowski-no. Motion carried.
- B. Hall Ramp and Shed for Township Hall: The township has received three bids for the project. Rhein motioned to postpone the hall ramp, seconded by Sawicki-Franz. All in favor, motion carried. Rhein motioned to approve up to \$4,500 for a hall shed, seconded by Titus. All in favor, motion carried.

New Business:

- A. Snow Removal Contract: Baranowski motioned to approve the 2019/2020 snow removal contract with Cross Brothers Excavating as presented, seconded by Titus. All in favor, motion carried.
- B. Drains: Sawicki-Franz discussed the bill for the at large drains for next year, which includes the Talmage Drain, the Cox Drain, the Spencer Drain, and the Green Drain.
- C. PA 116: Titus motioned to approve the two PA116 applications for Farmland Agreement for Ronald Parks as presented, seconded by Hagle. Roll Call: Titus-yes, Rhein-yes, Sawicki-Franz-yes, Hagle-yes, Baranowski-yes. All in favor, motion carried.
- D. Trash Assessment: Rhein motioned to place the 2020 Trash Assessment on the winter tax bill as presented, seconded by Sawicki-Franz. Roll Call: Rhein-yes, Sawicki-Franz-yes, Hagle-yes, Baranowski-yes, Titus-yes. All in favor, motion carried.
- E. Collections: Titus motioned to send invoice #'s 3476 and 3459 to collections as presented, seconded by Sawicki-Franz. All in favor, motion carried.

Unfinished Business

New Business

- F. Outstanding First Responder Invoices: Sawicki-Franz motioned to absolve invoice #'s 2182, 2543, 2541, 3133, 3169, 3210, 3211, 3288, 3282, 3360, 3389, and 3390, seconded by Rhein. Roll Call: Sawicki-Franz-yes, Rhein-yes, Titus-yes, Baranowski-yes, Hagle-yes. All in favor, motion carried.
- G. Building Inspector Pay: Titus motioned to pay building inspector the final inspection fees after the permit has expired and the bond has been forfeited, seconded by Baranowski. All in favor, motion carried.
- H. December Payroll: Rhein motioned to have timecards due on December 18th, with a pay date of December 23rd, seconded by Sawicki-Franz. All in favor, motion carried.

Committee Reports:

- A. Planning Commission: There is a public hearing scheduled for November 18th regarding Section 1209.
- B. Parks and Recreation: At the last meeting, the committee discussed the possibility of purchasing a swing mat to go underneath the swing set. They also discussed the possibility of purchasing a handicap accessible swing for the township park. Rhein motioned to approve the purchase of two rubber mats for the cost of \$100 each for Park and Rec, seconded by Hagle. All in favor, motion carried.
- C. Zoning Board of Appeals: There is a meeting scheduled for Thursday, November 14th. Titus motioned to appoint Mark Turo to sit on the Zoning Board of Appeals until 2022, seconded by Baranowski. All in favor, motion carried.
- D. Ordinance Enforcement: Titus discussed the new ordinance enforcement officer.

Correspondence: The township received notice that the local road assistance application for the Hough Road bridge project has been approved.

Announcements: Rhein stated that she will be attending MTA training in Frankenmuth on November 19th and 20th.

Closing Comments from the Board: N/A

Committee Reports

Correspondence

Announcements

Closing Comments

RILEY TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING MINUTES MEETING DATE: November 5th, 2019 MEETING PLACE: 13016 BELLE RIVER ROAD, RILEY, MICHIGAN 48041

Next Regular Meeting: December 3rd, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.	Next Meeting
Motion to adjourn made by Sawicki-Franz, seconded by Hagle. All in favor, motion carried.	Adjournment
Meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.	
Respectfully submitted by,	
Rachel Reid, Recording Secretary	
Approved 12/05/2019	
Deborah Rhein, Riley Township Clerk	