

ECKFORD TOWNSHIP MONTHLY MEETING MAY 16, 2022

A monthly meeting of Eckford Township Board was held on Monday May 16, 2022 at the Eckford Township Hall. A quorum being present the meeting continued. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by Supervisor B. Rapp. Other board members in attendance, Treasurer T. Baylis, Clerk L. Blight, Trustee W. Cornell, Trustee B. Maksimchuk. Absent was D. Malloch Zoning Administrator. Community members in attendance J. Schragg, Mr. & Mrs. Haseke, Mr. & Mrs. Wagley, and Calhoun County Commissioner Tommy Miller.

APPROVAL OF THE APRIL 18, 2022 REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES: A copy of the April 18, 2022 meeting minutes was email before tonight's meeting to each board member for their review. Trustee Cornell moved to accept the April 18, 2022 regular meeting minutes as written. Support was given by Trustee Maksimchuk.

Vote was taken, all-in favor. **MINUTES APPROVED.**

CITIZENS COMMENTS: Commissioner Tommy Miller asked all the Board Member to attend the next County Commissioners meeting held at the Calhoun County Building on the third floor. On Thursday May 19, @ 7pm. This is to voice our opinion about turning primary roads to gravel.

TREASURERS FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

Cash on Hand April	449,024.38
April Monthly Income	39,026.12
Fire Department total April	37,086.43
April 2022 Disbursements	28,297.75
May 2022 Expenses to be paid	16,873.67
John Hancock balance	77,733.34
Parks Millage Fund	3,239.26

Trustee Maksimchuk moved we accept the Treasurers report as read. Support was given by Trustee Cornell.

Vote was taken, all-in favor. **TREASURERS REPORT APPROVED.**

BUDGET ADMENDMENT: Motion was made by Trustee Cornell to move \$401.00 from Capital and apply \$200.00 Marengo Fire, and \$201.00 to Software Support fees. Support was offered by Trustee Maksimchuk.

Vote was taken, all-in-favor. **BUDGET ADMENDMENT, APPROVED**

HOMER FIRE BOARD REPORT: No report given.

MARENGO FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT: No report given.

MARSHALL FIREFIGHTERS' AMBULANCE REPORT: No report, meeting Thursday May 19.

ZONING ADMINISTRATOR REPORT: One electrical permit for circuits to accommodate sump pumps Reynolds Residence 18243 D Dr S.

CODE ENFORCEMENT REPORT: Issued civil infraction citation to Ricky Newsome for junk vehicles and blight. And, investigating a complaint from George Swan regarding his neighbor's shed on his property.

PLANNING COMMISSION: Given by Trustee Maksimchuk: May 9, 2022 Planning Commission is in the process of review and updating the ordinance book.

LIBRARY BOARD REPORT: No report.

COMMUNICATIONS: Household Hazardous waste collection, DMCI Broadband update- Dave Cleveland e-mailed the clerk to say they are in contact with American Tower (located in the village) about installing DMCI equipment on the tower. Consumers Energy tree trimming in Eckford Township. MTA Training offerings.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Hazen Marijuana Building-Hazen's decided to pursue property in another area.

Motion was made by Trustee Maksimchuk to board up the Newsome house on 22 ½ mile road after it is condemned and posted. Support offered by Trustee Cornell.

Vote taken, all-in-favor, **MOTION APPROVED**

NEW BUSINESS: Motion was made by Clerk Blight to appoint Morgan Baylis as Deputy Treasurer for Eckford Township. Support was given by Trustee Cornell.

Vote taken, all-in-favor **Deputy Treasurer Morgan Baylis APPROVED**

Having no new business, Treasurer Baylis motioned that we adjourn @ 7:32 pm.

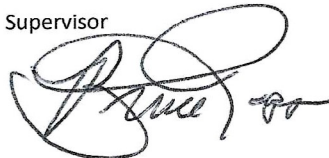
Le Anne Blight

Eckford Township Clerk



Bruce Rapp

Supervisor



Date Approved:





May 23, 2022

RESOLUTION 2022-3

SUBJECT: Purchase of Sleeper Property located at 9155 22 Mile Road, Homer, Mi. 49245. Property ID #13-09-151-027-00 at the Calhoun County Tax Sale.

WHEREAS, the Eckford Township Board Approves the purchase of said property.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Eckford Township Board hereby approves to ask for first right of refusal from Calhoun County Treasurer office at the Calhoun County Tax Sale on August 14, 2022. To purchase the said property (9155 22 Mile Road, Homer, Mi. 49245. Property ID #13-09-151-027-00) at the Calhoun County Tax Sale.

The foregoing resolution offered by Board Member LeAnne Blight
Second offered by Board Member Branden Maksinchuk

Upon roll call vote the following voted

Branden Maksinchuk	<u>yes</u>
Wayne Cornell	<u>yes</u>
Le Anne Blight	<u>yes</u>
Bruce Rapp	<u>yes</u>
Teresa Baylis	<u>yes</u>

Yea 5 Nay 0

The Supervisor declared the Resolution 2022-3 adopted

Date: 5-25-2022

Bruce Rapp
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Eckford Township Supervisor

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