## ECKFORD TOWNSHIP MONTHLY MEETING MAY 20, 2024

A monthly meeting of Eckford Township Board was held on Monday May 20, 2024 at the Eckford Township Hall. A quorum being present 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 Cornell and Zoning Administrator Malloch. Absent Trustee Maksimchuk.

APPROVAL OF THE APRIL 15, 2024 REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES: A copy of The April 15, 2024 meeting minutes was email before tonight's meeting to each board member for their review. Trustee Cornell moved to accept the April 15, 2024, regular meeting minutes as written. Support was given. Vote was taken, all-in-favor. MINUTES APPROVED

Approve April 22 Budget Meeting Minutes: Treasurer Baylis offered a motion to approve the April 22 Budget Meeting Minutes. Support given. Vote was taken, all-in-favor. BUDGET MEETING MINUTES APPROVED

CITIZENS COMMENTS: Public Comment time 7:04 to 7:10 p.m. Commissioner Miller gave a roads update.

LIBRARY BOARD REPORT: By C. Bagi- New Summer programs for all ages, all summer long.

## TREASURERS FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

Cash on Hand April 586,992.89 April Monthly Income 24,959.52 Fire Department total 33,385.07 April 2024 Disbursements 46,686.26 May 2024 Expenses to be paid 52,097.36 Southern Mi JH balance 75,122.75 Parks Millage Fund 6,885.69 Trustee Cornell moved we accept the Treasurers report as read. Support given.

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

BUDGET AMENDMENTS: A motion was offered by Trustee Cornell to move \$2,664.00 from Capital and deposit 164.00 into Cemetery, 1,500 to Inspectors and 1,000.00 to Zoning Administrator Expense. Support was given. Vote was taken, all-in-favor. **BUDGET AMENDMENTS APPROVED** 

HOMER FIRE BOARD REPORT: By Supervisor Rapp: Account balances \$226,564.69 in a CD, Checking balance 62,410.19 and Savings 60,808.29

MARENGO FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT: No report

MARSHALL FIREFIGHTERS' AMBULANCE REPORT: By Trustee Cornell: April meeting it was decided to move employee health insurance to a pool with Marshall City. And made changes to the Bylaws. May meeting held a budget hearing

ZONING ADMINISTRATOR REPORT: D. Malloch: 1- Electric permit issued.

CODE ENFORCEMENT REPORT: D. Malloch- Enforcement on corner of Division Drive and 22-mile road for cleanup, the dead line is June 1st. PLANNING COMMISSION Report: By M. Frohm: No meeting held.

COMMUNICATIONS: None

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None** 

NEW BUSINESS: Cemetery policy: Trustee Cornell offered a motion to change Eckford Townships Cemetery Policy to a 48 hour notice on all burials. Support was given. Vote was taken, all-in-favor. CEMETERY POLICY CHANGE APPROVED. Election Class: The Clerk would like to attend and MTA election class at a cost of \$100.00. Supervisor Rapp offered a motion to approve the \$100.00 MTA election class expense. Support was given. Vote was taken. All-in-favor, MTA ELECTIONS CLASS APPROVED

Sheriff Hinkley stopped by to give everyone and update from his office and jail.

Having no further business, Treasurer Baylis motioned that we adjourn @ 7:53 pm.

Eckford Township Clerk

Bruce Rapp Supervisor