

July 12, 2021

The Rich Township Board met at the Township Hall. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Scheuer at 7 pm. We recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Members Present: Curell, Chittick-Harvey, Mohr, Running, Scheuer. Members Absent: None.

Visitors: Destain Gingell, Rich & Shawn Mohr, Brant Mohr, Keith & Mariann Fleckenstein, Mark Jaruzel, Bernie Milot, Ron Randall.

County Road Commission Engineer Destain Gingell provided much information on bridges in the township that are closed or have the load limits reduced greatly. The Castle Road bridge has been discussed in the past, as well as the Binden Road bridge. Also, the Squaw Creek Road bridge was just recently closed when an inspection found serious problems with the structure, and there was discussion about Cable Drain culverts on Millington Road that need attention.

Resolution by Curell, seconded by Scheuer that Rich Township, together with the Board of Lapeer County Commissioners, requests Local Bridge Program Funds for the replacement of the Castle Road Bridge over the North Branch Flint River for the year 2024. Upon roll call vote, all members voted "Yes". There were no "No" votes. Resolution follows.

Resolution by Curell, seconded by Scheuer that Rich Township, together with the Board of Lapeer County Commissioners, requests Local Bridge Program Funds for the replacement of the Squaw Creek Road Bridge over the Squaw Creek Drain for the year 2024. Upon roll call vote, all members voted "Yes". There were no "No" votes. Resolution follows.

Motion by Scheuer, supported by Curell to approve the agenda. MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Scheuer, supported by Chittick-Harvey to accept into record the minutes of the June meeting with an amendment to add 5 zoning permits: 1. Kardell, Shirley 7641 Rich Rd Single Family Residential with Attached Garage 40 x 80 2. Perry Walker 265 E Millington Solar Installation 3. Patrick & Becky Henne 7385 McTaggart New Build Single Family Home w/Attached Garage 4. James Robinet 2350 Sarles Rd 40 x 32 Pole Barn 5. Perry Gwinn 7389 N Lapeer Rd 40 x 30 Pole Barn. MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Running, supported by Chittick-Harvey to accept into record the Treasurers' Report as presented. MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Chittick-Harvey, supported by Scheuer to pay the monthly bills as follows: from the General Fund, \$8980.33 with checks numbered 13524 through 13541, from the Cemetery Fund \$815.82 with checks numbered 1158 & 1159, and from the Mosquito Fund \$15,500 with check number 1080. MOTION CARRIED.

Unfinished Business:

Roadside mowing has not been done yet; Scheuer will find out when this will be done.

Scheuer gave an update on security cameras that were discussed at the June meeting.

Scheuer gave an update on internet at the township hall. There was a recall on the Hot Spot unit we have, Verizon will replace that unit at no cost. There may be a minor increase in the monthly rate.

Motion by Curell, supported by Mohr to have DeLongs install a portable toilet for use at the pavilion at the \$160/28 days rate for a handicapped accessible unit. MOTION CARRIED.

New Business:

The July Board of Review will meet on Tuesday, July 20 at 4 pm at the township hall.

Motion by Scheuer, supported by Curell to require a copy of a drivers' license or comparable form of identity for zoning permit applications. MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Curell, supported by Mohr to approve the PA 116 Application by Terry and Jean Guza for a 40-acre parcel on Sarles Road, ID # 44-018-003-025-00. MOTION CARRIED.

Clerk Running has appointed Melanie Childs as deputy clerk, Treasurer Curell has appointed Darlene Lott as deputy treasurer.

Motion by Curell, supported by Chittick-Harvey to pay the deputy treasurer and deputy clerk \$11 per hour and have no limit on the number of hours they can work. MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Curell, supported by Chittick-Harvey to replace the refrigerator in the kitchen at the township hall. MOTION CARRIED. Scheuer will look for one.

There were no zoning permits issued since the last meeting.

Motion by Mohr, supported by Curell to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 9:09 pm.

Pamela Running, Clerk

David Scheuer, Supervisor