THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING OF THE FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP BOARD

Held October 16, 2014

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Supervisor Erskine, Clerk Blackburn, Treasurer Scherrer and Trustee Ecklin.

VISITOR'S PRESENT: Richard Ecklin, Mark Janeczko, Therese Haley, Ken and Pat VanRiper and Marv Anthony.

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: at 6:30 pm. A Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was said by all.

CLERK'S MINUTES: Minutes looked over as well as revised copy of last months minutes and Ecklin made motion to accept with Scherrer to second as corrected. Motion carried.

TREASURERS REPORT: General fund balance of \$196856.52. No activity in rubbish, State Revenue Sharing of \$10596.00. Paid \$19635 for first invoice on gravel. RF balance is \$495936.01. Second invoice for Michigan Chloride paid. Taxes are trickling in. Ecklin made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report and supported by Blackburn. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS: Mark J. sent letter to Mr. Casper, trailer on M18 is gone, working on Brown trailer on Long Lake, talked to Mr. Rulin about junk piled in yard. Says he will work on cleaning it up. No dog barking complaints. Therese Haley still interested in trustee position. Roll call vote to appoint Therese as Trustee, Jackie, aye, Ed, aye, Sandy, aye and Diane, aye. All in favor. Diane spoke with assessor and approval from board to let assessor charge \$5 per parcel for 20% yearly per contract. Discussion on Elbow Lake Streetlights. More to follow. Election commission to meet for the Public Accuracy Test on Oct 27 at 8:30pm. Jackie asked how the weeds were in Elbow Lake. Very good. Marv asked about ad in paper for transit.

BILLS AS FOLLOWS:
CK# 5787 AT&T Town hall phone\$57.85
CK# 5788 Brian Cebulski Lawn moving per invoice\$180.00
CK# 5789 Clare County Clever ad for trustee\$13.60
CK# 5790 Consumers Energy Streetlights, townhall electric, tower 1 & 2\$165.55
CK# 5791 DTE Energy Townhall gas\$51.86
CK# 5792Michigan Election Resources election supplies\$40.58
CK# 5793 MVW and Associates Assesor wage\$1000.00
CK# 5794 Norman Duncan Recycle attendant\$20.00
CK# 5795 Republic Services Garbage collection\$29715.19
CK# 5796 Diane Blackburn Clerk wage, reimburse for phone, meetings\$1187.90
CK# 5797 Jackie Ecklin Trustee wage\$119.46
CK# 5798 Ed Erskine Supervisor wage and meeting\$890.60
CK# 5799 Mark Janeczko Blight officer wage\$40.24
CK# 5800 Sandy Scherrer Treasurer wage and mileage\$1047.20
CK# 5801 StaplesVOID
CK# 5802 Staples Office supplies for Treasurer\$261.80
Paper statement fee for Treasurer\$3.00
Total bills:\$ 34794.83
As there was no other business, a motion to adjourn by Ecklin was supported by
Scherrer. Meeting adjourned at 7:05 pm.

Clerk

Supervisor

Respectfully submitted: