

THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING OF THE FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP BOARD
Held August 21, 2014

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Supervisor Erskine, Clerk Blackburn(absent), Treasurer Scherrer, Trustee Dalton and Trustee Ecklin.

VISITOR'S PRESENT: Dailey Dalton, Ken and Pat Van Riper, Richard Ecklin, Garver, Mark Janeczko, Rick LaBoda, Marv Anthony, Therese Haley, Ces Soyring, JC Cstouris, Randy and Poppy Rees, Tom Kryzmecki, Doug Jacobson and Sgt. Steve Humphrey.

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 and Dalton made motion to accept with Ecklin to second. Motion carried.

TREASURERS REPORT: General fund balance of \$199,084.21. Michigan Chloride paid in the amount of \$11,389.57. Bill for fire barn roof for \$250.00 Road fund total \$516,637.37. Taxes are doing great in by Sept. 14 or will be late. The state gets extra percent on the 15th. Dalton made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report and supported by Ecklin. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS: Rick LaBoda came out to let us know he was retiring. Term ends in mid December. Sgt. Steve Humphrey spoke about feud going on behind pizza place. This will be his last meeting as he will be going on different shift and changing town ships. Mark J. spoke about George Lk. Rd. taken care of. Has until the end of Sept. Talked about the trailer on M18. If someone has a complaint they need to come to the board. 10765 White Birch, sent notice to John Roberson who live in Perry to clean up mess. Probably will just walk away and leave township to clean up the mess. Some veterans do not have to pay property taxes. They will have to fill out paperwork every year. How would we know if one passes away? Doug Jacobson, a lawyer from Gladwin, spoke about Nov. 4 election and is on the board for the collage for 18 years and is running again. Talk about Mt. Pleasant collages. Yvonne Dalton turned in her resignation as trustee. This will be her last meeting. Therese Haley said she would be interested in the position. Ed talked about the frost laws on gravel roads. Did put gravel on Woods Rd. and in the swamp. Randy Rees asked question about gravel on roads. Have done Forest and Hoover.

BILLS AS FOLLOWS:

CK# 5738 Apex Software Assessor upgrades per invoice-----	\$235.00
CK# 5739 AT&T Town hall phone-----	\$61.17
CK# 5740 Brian Cebulski Lawn mowing per invoice-----	\$360.00
CK# 5741 Clare Co. Administrator postage for summer taxes-----	\$581.19
CK# 5742 Clare County Clever Ad for BOR-----	\$17.00
CK# 5743 Clare County Treasurer 2014 BOR per invoice-----	\$599.57
CK# 5744 Consumers Energy Streetlights, tower 1 and 2-----	\$156.01
CK# 5745 Diane Blackburn Election inspector-----	\$160.00
CK# 5746 DTE Energy Town hall gas-----	\$38.30
CK# 5747 Jackie Ecklin Election inspector and cleaned town hall windows-----	\$190.00
CK# 5748 Michigan Election Resources Election supplies-----	\$96.00
CK# 5749 MVW and Associates Assessing wage-----	\$1000.00
CK# 5750 Nicole Blackburn Election inspector-----	\$180.00
CK# 5751 Norman Duncan Recycle attendant-----	\$20.00
CK# 5752 Richard Ecklin Bucket truck for ISP at Treasurers-----	\$50.00
CK# 5753 Sage Telecom Treasurer phone-----	\$66.86
CK# 5754 Therese Haley Election inspector-----	\$150.00
CK# 5755 Diane Blackburn Clerk wage, clerk meeting-----	\$1119.64
CK# 5756 Yvonne Dalton Trustee wage, MTA-----	\$183.97
CK# 5757 Jackie Ecklin Trustee wage, MTA-----	\$176.04
CK# 5758 Richard Ecklin MTA-----	\$52.86
CK# 5759 Ed Erskine Supervisor wage-----	\$843.02
CK# 5760 Mark Janeczko Blight officer wage-----	\$40.24
CK# 5761 Doug Ressigue BOR-----	\$64.64
CK# 5762 Sandy Scherrer Treasurer wage and mileage-----	\$1047.20
CK# 5763 William Sharp BOR VOID VOID VOID-----	\$64.64*
CK# 5764 John Tagliamonte BOR-----	\$61.61
CK# 5765 Ken Van Riper BOR-----	\$64.64
Paper statement fee for Treasurer-----	\$3.00

Total bills:\$7682.60

As there was no other business, a motion to adjourn by Dalton was supported by Ecklin. Meeting adjourned at 7:40 pm.

Respectfully submitted:

Clerk

Supervisor