

THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING OF THE FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP BOARD  
Held March 21, 2019

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

VISITOR'S PRESENT: Mark J., Gary and Kristi Tesch, Ken VanRiper, Gary High and Mark Fitzpatrick.

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. Haley made motion to accept with Ecklin to second. Motion carried.

TREASURERS REPORT: General fund, \$319,477.91, Roads \$516,537.48, Corrected last month's totals, Revenue Sharing \$11,734.00 Settled with County Treasurer. Tax check still out for out of country residents. Sandy is working on it. Ed Jones can't handle investments anymore. The funds need to be transferred. Hold GF until May election is done and get CD for high interest for road. Ecklin made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report and supported by Haley. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS: Mark Fitzpatrick ,county commissh is looking to cut revenues. County drain in City of Clare getting repaired, It's a property/house/flooding/FEMA/drain issue. Spoke about rider in insurance for inmate medical, sobriety court and cost if incarceration, Proposed gravel pit on Mostettler, wants to dig deeper in \$ for road commission, 911 getting new equipment, Tina from equalization is retiring, Arthur Twp and fire protection, special assessment discussion, census coming up and important to fill out accurately. Mark J. sent letters out to Little Lk George houses that need to be torn down, Evergreen cabin coming down, Rode around with Chad Bower, dumpsters are available, blight on Meredith Grade, passed out info for additional nuisance ordinance and fines for enforcement officer. Clerk discussed Consumers contract for streetlights. 2 year resolution with all in favor 5 to 0. Discussion on brine for tentative dates. June 10-12 or Aug 12-14.bEd will get quote to tighten cables for towers and quote from Henrys to do trees. Discussion on road restrictions, Kristi wanted to know who to report logging trucks to. Non reportable.

BILLS AS FOLLOWS:

CK# 6997 AT&T Treasurer phone-----	\$90.86
CK# 6998Clare County Treasurer assessment change notices-----	\$515.28
CK# 6999 DTE Energy town hall gas-----	\$85.69
CK# 7000 MVW and Associates remainder 20% parcels inspected-----	\$1060.00
CK# 7001 Clare County Cleaver BOR ad-----	\$56.00
CK# 7002 Consumers Energy town hall electric, streetlights, tower 1 and 2-----	\$204.76
CK# 7003 Ed Erskine plowing town hall-----	\$300.00
CK# 7004 MVW and Associates assessor wage-----	\$1000.00
CK# 7005 Sandy Scherrer treasurer mileage and wifi reimbursement-----	\$105.24
CK# 7006 Diane Blackburn Clerk wage, recycle attend, phone reimburse, mileage and meetings---	
-----	\$1457.83
CK# 7007 Jackie Ecklin Trustee wage and meeting-----	\$178.47
CK# 7008 Ed Erskine Supervisor wage-----	\$960.65
CK# 7009 John Haley BOR-----	\$221.64
CK# 7010 Therese Haley Trustee wage and meeting-----	\$178.47
CK# 7011 Mark Janeczko Blight officer and BOR-----	\$253.04
CK# 7012 Tom Krzemecki BOR-----	\$201.44
CK# 7013 Sandy Scherrer Treasurer wage and meeting-----	\$1197.04
CK# 7014 John Tagliamonte BOR-----	\$211.44
CK# 7015 Sandy Scherrer office supply reimbursement-----	\$59.65
CK# 7016 Jackie Ecklin cleaned town hall-----	\$60.00

Total Bills: \$8397.50

As there was no other business, a motion to adjourn by Ecklin was supported by Haley. Meeting adjourned at 8:15pm.

Respectfully

submitted: \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor

Election commission called to order to okay election inspectors for May 7 election. Signed paperwork on file with the Clerk.