

MINUTES OF THE JUNE 14, 2018 REGULAR BOARD MEETING

The regular meeting of the Onondaga Township Board was called to order on June 14, 2018 at 7:30 PM. The location for this meeting was 4756 Baldwin St., Onondaga, MI. We said the pledge and had a moment of silence.

Present were Trustee Jim Tow, Clerk Diane Johnson, Supervisor Steven Dwight, Treasurer Rhiannon Schindewolf-DeShais, trustee Mary Jane Hector. Present also were 2 citizens.

SET AND/OR AMEND THE AGENDA:

Jim made a motion to accept the agenda as presented. Mary Jane seconded. All Ayes.

INTRODUCTION OF VISITORS:

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Public comment started at 7:33 and ended at 7:33.

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT:

Report submitted.

TREASURER:

The balance on May 31 was \$83,704.85. Rhiannon has officially settled with the county and we will be getting a check back from them.

PLANNING COMMISSION:

Jim reported they are on summer break.

CLERK:

None

ZONING ENFORCMENT:

Report submitted.

PARKS:

Rhiannon stated they had a meeting and the dock is on hold at the moment. She also mentioned 6 teams are using the ballfield. They are also discussing fencing for the dug-out area, and along the field.

SUPERVISOR:

Steve mentioned he will be changing his day to Wednesday. He also mentioned a meeting at Watertown Township coming up on solar use.

TRUSTEES:

Mary Jane told the summer meals are going well. She is coming down to unlock the doors.

PETITIONS, ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS: None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Rhiannon moved to approve the minutes from June 12th .Mary Jane seconded. All Ayes.

Jim made a motion to approve the May 15th minutes. Steve seconded. All Ayes.

Rhiannon made a motion to approve the May 10th regular board meeting minutes. Jim seconded. All Ayes.

APPROVAL OF BILLS:

Jim moved to approve the bills. Mary Jane seconded. All Ayes.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None**NEW BUSINESS:****1. ONONDAGA DRAGWAY COMPLAINTS;**

Steve explained the township has been receiving complaints about the dragstrip. It was stated the complaints are from the same group of people that have complained in the past. They feel we should revoke the SUP. Jim and Rhiannon discussed the positive things people in the community have been telling them. Things like the number of people that are able to work at the dragstrip, and how the Wilson Talent Center has partnered with the Dragstrip with an automotive class and has a club with cars at the drag way. Scholarships have been given to students from a high school/collage day at the dragstrip. Northern Ohio University has also worked with the Dragway and given scholarships. Discussion followed on how to deal with this issue.

Steve made a motion to have our zoning officer do at least monthly inspections of the SUP at the Onondaga Dragway per the recommendation of our attorney. Mary Jane seconded. All Ayes.

Diane and Mary Jane will compile a list for the zoning officer.

2. FORECLOSED PROPERTY;

Diane explained what the Ingham County Treasurer had sent to the township on a tax sale property. Diane made a motion that we pass on this property. Jim seconded. All Ayes.

OTHER BUSINESS:

None

ADJOURNMENT:

Steve made a motion to adjourn. Jim seconded. All ayes. Meeting adjourned at 7:51pm.

Minutes written and submitted by,

Diane Johnson,
Onondaga Township Clerk