

**MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 11 2018  
REGULAR BOARD MEETING**

The regular meeting of the Onondaga Township Board was called to order on October 11, 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 Treasurer Rhiannon Schindewolf-DeShais, Trustee Mary Jane Hector, Supervisor Steven Dwight, Trustee Jim Tow and Clerk Diane Johnson. There were 6 citizens present.

**SET AND/OR AMEND THE AGENDA:**

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

**INTRODUCTION OF VISITORS:**

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** Public comment started at 7:31 and ended at 7:33.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT:**

The chief spoke of meeting with the lady from Risk Management department of our insurance company. He also mentioned Oct is fire prevention month and the Halloween party is coming up.

**TREASURER:**

The balance on September 30 was \$60,537.65. Rhiannon mentioned she finished with taxes, and everyone coming in now will be paying interest and penalties. She also had hand-outs from the league of womens voters.

**PLANNING COMMISSION;**

Jim stated they had a meeting and have two ordinances they want to change. Ray Moore, planning commission Vice Chairperson explained more about this.

**CLERK:**

Diane discussed the report she submitted

**ZONING ENFORCMENT:**

Report submitted.

**PARKS:**

Rhiannon mentioned there was no meeting this month, November 3<sup>rd</sup> is the scheduled date for the park clean-up, and her mother will no longer be caring for the Veterans Park.

**SUPERVISOR**

Steve let us know the yellow building is available for rent again. He is having signs made for the cemetery water pumps which Risk management suggested. Steve questioned where we get furnace filters. He will check with George. We also discussed the electricity for the yellow building. He also mentioned the water softener was repaired.

**TRUSTEES:** None

**PETITIONS, ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS:** None

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

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

**APPROVAL OF BILLS:**

Mary Jane made a motion to pay them. Jim seconded. All Ayes.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** None

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1. PLANNING COMMISSION ORDINANCE CHANGES; Ray Moore Vice Chairperson of the planning commission explained the changes wanted and requested the board allow them to move forward on this. Steve made a motion that we make the recommended amendments to the ordinance to delete these two. Diane seconded. All Ayes.
2. SERVICE PROVIDER WAIVER OF LIABILITY; Diane explained this was sent over by Risk Management. Our mowing contract is fine but the snowplowing contract needs this. Rhiannon moved to approve this Waiver of Liability. Steve gave support. All ayes. Discussion followed on what is needed for publishing. The Planning Commission Chairperson will get with the attorney to get the wording for publishing.
3. MOVING BARN; Diane explained the situation of why this needs permission to go against our zoning ordinance. Mary Jane moved to allow them to get a building permit to move the barn, Steve seconded. All ayes.
4. SNOWPLOWING BIDS; Steve opened and read the bids. Discussion followed. Mary Jane made a motion to have Jim do it again. Rhiannon seconded 4 ayes. 1 abstains.

**OTHER BUSINESS:** Chief Tow asked about storing the tables and chairs in the yellow building to free up his storage area. This was agreed on. Randy Maiville asked if the board was going to act on the request made during public comment. Steve explained public comment time is just that.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Diane moved to adjourn. Jim seconded. All Ayes. Meeting adjourned at 8:25pm.

Minutes Written and submitted by

Diane Johnson  
Onondaga Township Clerk