

REGULAR MAY MEETING OF THE
WEARE TOWNSHIP BOARD HELD
MONDAY, MAY 14, 2018 AT THE TOWNSHIP HALL

Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Dale Stevenson, Supervisor.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Dale Stevenson, Supervisor; Linda Dykema, Treasurer;
Angela Aerts, Clerk; & Gary Hilbert Trustee.

ABSENT: Tom Sayles

Others Present: Karen Alvesteffer, Gene Oomen, Elaine Oomen, Dwight Swanson, Lynn Swanson, Mark Seeback, Bonnie Villadsen, Tom McGuire, Steve Freed, Ted Cuchra, Kevin Stevenson, Jill VanDerZanden, Tim Tarske, Cole Bringold, Mark Fischer, Terry Dykema, Charles & Rebecca King, Jim Rudel, Ron Weaver, Kelly Straight, Mel Curtis, Robert Green, Marilyn Werner, Lori Green, William Arnold, Rose Arnold, Bob Schultz, Pete Coulier, Larry Doran, Jack Kokx, Carmalitta

ROLL CALL

Everyone was present except for Mr. Tom Sayles

PUBLIC COMMENT

Comments were made regarding taxes, special land use permit, medical Marijuana, brining & roads.

The agenda was approved.

Minutes from the regular April meeting held Monday, April 9, 2018 were approved as read.

Treasurer reported \$96,545.26 in checking.

OLD BUSINESS

1. WATER TURNED ON IN CEMETERIES

Mr. Stevenson stated that the water is on in both cemeteries. There have been a couple of breaks in the water lines. Mr. Kokx is taking care of them.

2. CLEAN UP DAY

Mr. Stevenson reported that we had 3 dumpsters full of garbage and 1 of metal. It was very beneficial to have Mr. Ken Adams to compact the garbage. The next clean up day will be the first Saturday in October.

3. MILLAGE RENEWAL

Mr. Stevenson read the proposed millage renewal proposition 2.0 mill for road improvement purpose.

Moved by Ms. Dykema and supported by Mr. Hilbert to approve the ballot language for the proposed millage renewal proposition 2.0 mill for road improvement purpose.

Roll Call Vote: Dykema, Yes; Hilbert, Yes; Stevenson, Yes; Aerts, Yes; Sayles, Absent.

Motion Carried.

NEW BUSINESS

1. NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The notice of public hearing on the proposed amendment to the Weare Township Zoning Ordinance will be Monday, June 11, 2018 at 7pm. Discussion ensued regarding the location of the meeting.

Moved by Ms. Dykema and supported by Mr. Hilbert to check into St. Joseph's Church Hall for the public hearing and the regular June meeting. Voice vote. Motion Carried.

2. BRINING/ROADWORK PROJECTS DATES

Mr. Stevenson stated that the brining has been finished up. They are currently ditching on 104th Ave. We have not received any update on Jackson Road.

3. MEDICAL MARIJUANA

Mr. Stevenson stated that township board has already voted out of Medical Marihuana Facilities in Weare Township. Mr. Monton gave an overview of what steps the township would have to do to opt in. Mr. Monton's suggestion if the board did want to opt in would be to wait after the November election to see if the marijuana ballot initiative passes. Mr. Hilbert commented that he would like to look into it some more.

Ms. Dykema stated that summer taxes will be sent out soon.

Moved by Gary Hilbert, supported by Angela Aerts to approve checks #11157-11180 in the amount of \$231,323.18.
(PR - \$4,362.29)
(AP- \$226,960.89)

Motion Carried.

Moved by Gary Hilbert, supported by Dale Stevenson to adjourn.

Motion Carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:32p.m.

Angela L Aerts, Clerk