

REGULAR MAY MEETING OF THE
WEARE TOWNSHIP BOARD HELD
MONDAY, MAY 13, 2019 AT THE TOWNSHIP HALL

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

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Dale Stevenson, Supervisor; Karen Alvesteffer, Dept. Treasurer;
Angela Aerts, Clerk; Tom Sayles & Gary Hilbert Trustee.

ABSENT: Linda Dykema

Others Present: Julia Lauber, Nicole May, Brian May, Steve Bruch, Mark Seebach, Robert Green,
Marilyn Werner, Lori Green, William Arnold, Larry Doran

ROLL CALL

Everyone was present except for Ms. Linda Dykema and the addition of Deputy Treasurer Karen Alvesteffer.

Moved by Mr. Hilbert and supported by Mr. Sayles to approve the minutes from the regular April meeting held Monday, April 8, 2019. Voice vote. Motion carried.

Moved by Mr. Hilbert and supported by Mr. Sayles to approve the agenda. Voice vote. Motion carried.

Deputy Treasurer reported \$95,826.87 in the General Fund checking.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Comments were made regarding the website, firework donation, trees along a lot line, agenda, budget, & concerns in a correspondence from an attorney received by the township.

OLD BUSINESS

1. ROADS

Dale will be meeting with Mr. Timmer from the Road Commission regarding Jackson Road. Oceana Drive will be closed on May 20th.

2. CLEAN UP DAY

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

NEW BUSINESS

1. MTA TRAINING

Michgian Township training is offering training for the planning commission and zoning board of appeals.

The local Michigan Township is working on having a zoning training coming up.

CORRESPONDENCE

The board received 2 correspondences from Crystal Morgan.

ZONING ADMINISTRATORS REPORT

Dale stated that the township is showing growth by the zoning permits being issued. Mr. McGuire went through the planning commission in regards to old Trading Post property.

REPORTS/COMMENTS FROM BOARD MEMBERS

Ms. Aerts stated that her and Ms. Dykema went to a FOIA trainging held in Mason County on April 17th.

The board discussed the Hart Sparks 2019 donation and decided not to donate.

Mr. Stevenson stated that Longbridge Rd could be closed up to 3 months. Washington Road bridge is still closed. The DNR will not allow a culvert due to the trout stream. A wooden or cement bridge has been discussed.

Mr. Sayles stated that his culvert got plugged and Watson Creek went from 3-4" to 5ft on the banks.

Moved by Gary Hilbert, supported by Tom Sayels to approve checks #11465-11487 in the amount of \$12,733.18.
(PR - \$3,983.70)
(AP- \$8,749.48)

Roll Call Vote. Sayles-Yes; Hilbert-Yes; Stevenson-Yes; Aerts-Yes; Dykema-absent
Motion Carried.

Moved by Angela Aerts, supported by Gary Hilbert to adjourn.

Motion Carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10p.m.

Angela L Aerts, Clerk