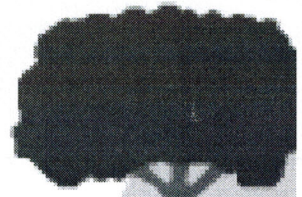


Montague Township
Board Meeting
MEETING NOTES
Tuesday, February 13th, 2023



The February 13th, 2023 Montague Township Board Meeting held at Montague Township Hall was called to order at 7:01p.m. by Supervisor King.

Members present: Clerk Roesler - DR
Treasurer Korthase - TK
Supervisor King – JK
Trustee Goodrich - JG

Absent: Trustee Seaver – JS

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Moved by Treasurer Korthase, seconded by Trustee Goodrich to approve the February 13th, 2023 agenda with the addition of mole treatment at soccer fields. **Passed**

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Moved by Treasurer Korthase, seconded by Clerk Roesler to approve the January 9th, 2023 meeting minutes. **Passed**

Visitors:

- Mary Jo Ernst: PA 233 of 2023: Asking for our support to amend.
- over rides all existing zoning ordinances regarding solar energy
- Goal of 20,000 registered voter signatures.
- Not about merits of solar or renewable energy but focusing on giving local control regarding zoning on renewable energy
- meeting at Masonic lodge 2.15.24 at 6:30pm
- signatures due by May 22nd to be able to be mailed in
- Only pertains to > 100 megawatt systems and larger

OLD BUSINESS

- Trees- Presented information gathered from recommended consulting foresters
-Will take month to look over info and reach out to forester with questions.
- Cameras- two cameras have been installed on ballot drop box near the SE corner of the building
- Out lot on Aitken- it is possible the township does not own this parcel. Potential buyers are willing to pay for a title search.

NEW BUSINESS

- Mole control- Treatment requested to be done by AAA at the township soccer field starting to move into soccer field now and not just the edges, recommend treatment.
 - \$1692.00 for both soccer + softball
 - \$675.00 for Softball field
 - Motion made by Trustee Goodrich and seconded by Treasurer Korthase- Roll Call- Passed.
- Sports -N-shorts: Will discuss further with other surrounding communities before making a decision.
- Adoption of Resolution-2024-2-13-1: Regarding Poverty Guidelines.
 - Motioned by Treasurer Korthase, Seconded by Clerk Roesler- Roll Call- Passed
- Parking lot(s) – have many holes and are in need of repair.
 - Clerk Roesler to get quotes
 - Basketball courts
 - Township hall lot
 - Parking lots at township parks
- Community Easter Egg Hunt will be at Montague Township Park March 23rd.
- Mr. Weesies who currently sits on the Montague Fire Board has inquired regarding compensation for his time. Will discuss and consider.

BOARD REPORTS

Fire board- Trustee Goodrich gave update on Montague Fire Operations.

Solid waste- none.

Ambulance- Supervisor King gave update on White Lake Ambulance Authority.

Planning commission- none.

INVOICES:

PAYABLES- \$22,217.01 (will include garbage once received in the mail) Check Numbers 2714-2737

Moved by Treasurer Korthase, seconded by Trustee Goodrich, to approve paying Invoices including the late additions. **Passed**

TREASURER'S REPORTS

Moved by Clerk Roesler, seconded by Trustee Goodrich, to approve the Treasurer's report. **Passed**

COMMENTS:

None

Moved by Clerk Roesler, seconded by Trustee Goodrich to adjourn.