



Milton Township

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Minutes for Milton Township Regular Board Meeting Milton Township Hall - 32097 Bertrand St., Niles, MI Tuesday August 17th, 2021 7:00 P.M.

Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance:

Meeting called to order at 7:00PM and the pledge was recited.

Members Present: Supervisor Eric Renken, Clerk Tony Floyd, Treasurer Susan Flowers, Trustee Rich Mullin, Trustee Phil Egert

Community Reports:

1. Planning Commission Ex Officio Member

2. Other committee chairs

- a. Edwardsburg Fire - Some residents asked Milton Township to research the creation of a full-time fire department. A committee was created to write a formal response (letter) to a resident in response to their house fire.
- b. SMCAS - Nothing to report

3. Visiting officials

Anyone Wishing to Speak to the Board: (3 min/person)

1. Lauren Fox, 29818 Redfield, Niles, MI
 - a. Litter ordinance (2021-50) from February of this year, requesting consideration of a time limit being contained in the ordinance.
2. Lewis Mudd, 33667 Washington St, Niles, MI
 - a. Tree on corner of Redfield and Ironwood and pothole

Board Member Comments:

1. Renken - in communication with Cass County Road Commission in regards to the pothole

Approval of Agenda:

Motion: Renken made a motion to amend the agenda by adding Discussion of Litter Ordinance #3 under new business.

Second: Mullin

Motion Carried

Approval of Previous Minutes:

Motion: Egert made a motion to approve the Board of Trustee minutes from 20 July 2021.

Second: Renken

Motion Carried

Business (w/attendees):

Old Business:

New Business:

1. SMCAS SAD

- a. 2020-21 amount of the annual assessment set to \$20.00.

Motion: Egert made a motion to approve resolution 2021-17R, annual redetermination for emergency/ambulance services.

Second: Floyd

Roll Call Vote. Egert, Y. Mullin, Y. Floyd, Y. Flowers, Y. Renken, Y.

Motion carried.

2. SMCAS Generator

Motion: Renken made a motion to approve the capital improvement for replacing the generator connected to the old township hall, and re-imburse SMCAS \$4,050.00 per our lease agreement.

Second: Flowers

Roll Call Vote. Egert, Y. Mullin, Y. Floyd, Y. Flowers, Y. Renken, Y.

Motion carried.

3. Discussion of Litter Ordinance 2021-50

- a. The board discussed modifications to the ordinance.

Financial Report:

1. Review of Township Budget

Motion: Floyd made a motion to approve budget resolution 2021-18R moving \$20,000 from General Fund to Inspectors.

Second: Renken

Roll Call Vote. Egert, Y. Mullin, Y. Floyd, Y. Flowers, Y. Renken, Y.

Motion carried.

2. Financial Reports

- a. Treasurer Flowers reported the general fund balance is \$825,499.65.

3. Approval of Checks

Motion: Floyd made a motion to approve all checks as presented.

Second: Egert

Roll Call Vote. Egert, Y. Mullin, Y. Floyd, Y. Flowers, Y. Renken, Y.

Motion carried.

Adjournment:

Motion: Flowers made a motion to adjourn.

Second: Floyd

Voice vote.

Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:34pm.