

# HOPE TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING

## January 13, 2020

Meeting called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Supervisor Feldpausch in the Hope Township Hall, 5463 S. M-43 Highway, Hastings, Michigan.

**Members Present:** Mark Feldpausch, Deborah Jackson, Arlene Tonkin, Matt Peake.

**Members Absent:** Dave Messelink

**Others Present:** Dave Jackson, Perry Shepard, Lisa Shockley-Curtis.

**Public Comment:** None

**Approval of Agenda:** Motion to approve the agenda by Jackson, second by Peake. All in favor. Motion carried.

**Delton Fire Report:** Perry Shepard read report. Report on file.

**County Commissioner Report:** Dave Jackson gave report.

**Consent Agenda:** *All matters listed under item 6, Consent Agenda, are considered routine by the board and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items. If discussion of an item is required it will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered separately.*

- a. Approval of December 9, 2019 meeting minutes
- b. Reports received: Zoning Compliance permits; Building permits; Revenue/Expenditure report; Treasurer report; Library minutes;
- c. Approval of Bills and Signatures of Board Members: Deborah Jackson

Motion to approve consent agenda by Tonkin, second by Feldpausch. Roll call vote. Motion carried unanimously.

### **Reports/Board Comments:**

**Supervisor:** Feldpausch reported the storage room is near completion and the project is under budget.

**Treasurer:** Tonkin read report. Report on file. Tonkin distributed Hope Township's Quarterly Investment Report to the board members.

**Clerk:** Jackson reported she applied for a grant from the State of Michigan to purchase another election tabulator. The tabulator will be used by the Absent Voter Counting Board.

**Trustee(s):** Peake reported on Road Commission business.

**Unfinished Business**

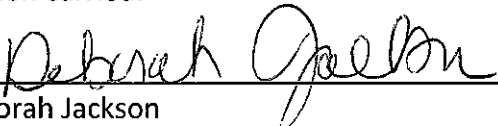
None

**New Business**

- a. Schedule Budget Workshop for Monday, February 24, 2020 at 6:30 p.m.
- b. John Deere lawn tractor trade in & purchase. Motion to approve the trade in and purchase of two new lawn tractors from GreenMark Equipment, Inc. for \$6703.00 by Feldpausch, second by Peake. Roll call vote. Motion passed unanimously.
- c. Pierce CC PILT. Motion to apply the \$1500 donation to the Fire Fund by Tonkin, second by Jackson. Roll call vote. Motion carried unanimously.
- d. Williams & Works fee schedule. Motion by Tonkin, second by Peake to approve the new fee of \$2500 per month for a 4 week month and \$3100 per month for a 5 week month for Zoning Administration Services and approve Supervisor Feldpausch to sign the Professional Services Agreement. Roll call vote. Motion carried unanimously.

**Additional Public Comment (limited to 3 minutes):** Comment was made.

Meeting adjourned at 6:57 p.m. Motion to close by Peake, second by Jackson. All in favor. Motion carried.

  
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Deborah Jackson  
Hope Township Clerk

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Mark S. Feldpausch  
Hope Township Supervisor

Date Feb 10, 2020  
Status (circle one)                      Tentative Minutes

Approved Minutes