# HOPE TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING October 10, 2022

Meeting called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Supervisor Doug Peck at the Hope Township Hall, 5463 S. M-43 Hwy, Hastings, MI 49058.

Members Present: Arlene Tonkin, Deborah Jackson, Doug Peck, Junior Homister

Members Absent: Chris Lapins

Others Present: Perry Shepard, Brandon Shepard, Ronna Lewis, Lisa Shockley-Curtis.

Public Comment: None

**Approval of Agenda:** Jackson made a request to add Insurance Renewal under New Business (A.) Motion to approve the amended agenda by Homister, seconded by Jackson. All in favor. Motion carried

**Delton Fire Report:** Perry Shepard gave report.

**County Commission Report:** No 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 is needed, it will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered separately.

- a. Approval of September 12, 2022, regular meeting minutes
- b. Reports received: Revenue/Expenditure report; Treasurer report; Library minutes; Sewer minutes; Zoning compliance permits.
- c. Approval of Bills and signatures of Board Members: Deborah Jackson Motion to approve consent agenda by Tonkin, second by Homister. Roll call vote: Yes: Jackson, Peck, Tonkin, Homister; No: None; Absent: Lapins All in favor. Motion carried.

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

Supervisor: No report.

Treasurer: Tonkin read report. Report on file.

**Clerk:** Election preparations are underway for the November 2022 General Election. Absentee voter ballots have been mailed.

**Trustee(s):** Homister reported the Planning Commission has a meeting scheduled for this month. The Planning Commission board denied R. Smith & Sons Inc request for a special use permit for gravel mining. R. Smith & Sons Inc have filed a lawsuit against Hope Township.

## **Unfinished Business**

A. Veterans Memorial. No update.

## **New Business**

## A. Insurance Renewal.

Motion to approve the insurance renewal with an additional Casualty & Property Limited Terrorism Coverage option in the amount of \$69.00, total policy cost of \$9820.50 by Jackson, second by Tonkin.

Roll call vote: Yes: Homister, Peck, Tonkin, Jackson; No: None; Absent: Lapins All in favor. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:41 p.m. Motion to close by Tonkin All in favor. Motion carried.	, second by Jackson.
Deborah Jackson //	Doug Peck
Hope Township Clerk	Hope Township Supervisor
Date: 14, 2022	
Status (circle one) Tentative Minutes (Approved Minutes)	