

HAYES TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING
April 10TH, 2023, 7:00 PM
HAYES TOWNSHIP HALL
09195 MAJOR DOUGLAS SLOAN RD
CHARLEVOIX, MICHIGAN 49720
ZOOM 880 0164 0434

The April 10th, 2023, meeting of the Hayes Township Board was called to order by Supervisor Ron VanZee at 7:00 pm.

Board members present were Matt Cunningham (Trustee), Julie Collard (Treasurer), Doug Kuebler (Trustee), Kristin Baranski (Clerk), April Hilton (Deputy Clerk/Recording Secretary), and Ron VanZee (Supervisor).

Audience Members signed in: Jim McMahon, Melvin Czechowski, Shelly VanWart, LuAnne Kozma, Ellis Boal, Kim Fary, Connie Foster, David Zipp, Bob Jess, Omar Feliciano, Tim Boyko, Janet Simon, Betty Henne, Doug McCombs, Bill Henne, and Jeff Harmon.

CALL TO ORDER

Supervisor Ron VanZee called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

REVIEWED & APPROVED AGENDA

Mr. Kuebler made a motion, supported by Mr. Cunningham, to approve the agenda as presented.

Yays: Matt Cunningham, Julie Collard, Doug Kuebler, Ron VanZee, and Kristin Baranski.

Nays: None Motion Carried

PUBLIC COMMENTS UNRELATED TO AGENDA ITEMS

Public comment opened and closed at 7:02.

Comments included:

- Resident says the Food Pantry is a wonderful thing and sees it being utilized by many residents.
- Resident would like to see a discussion between the Board Members regarding the special meeting with Rieth Riley. Also asked for an update regarding the township audit.
- Resident would like the Township to reach out to Rieth Riley regarding the water source they are using during the extraction. Mr. VanZee will reach out to them tomorrow.
- Resident asked the cost of the Township Voice each month and who decides the articles in the Voice. Requested an article be dedicated to the Bay shore community regarding the Rieth Riley mineral extraction.

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- Resident stated they had trouble locating the Zoning Administrator report and asked if they could be posted separate from the packets.
- Resident asked for an update on the Township Audit.
- Resident supported the request for Zoning Administrator reports to be posted separate on the website.

Closed at 7:20

APPROVAL OF March 13TH, 2023 BOT MINUTES

Ms. Baranski made a motion, supported by Mr. Kuebler to approve the March 13th, 2023, Board of Trustees minutes as corrected.

Yeas: Matt Cunningham, Julie Collard, Ron VanZee, Doug Kuebler, and Kristin Baranski.

Nays: None **Motion Carried**

APPROVAL OF MARCH 17TH, 2023 SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES:

Mr. Kuebler made a motion, supported by Mr. Cunningham to approve the March 17th Special Board of Trustees meeting minutes as presented.

Yeas: Matt Cunningham, Julie Collard, Ron VanZee, Doug Kuebler, and Kristin Baranski.

Nays: None **Motion Carried**

TREASURERS REPORT

Ms. Collard presented a written report reporting all Hayes Township account balances.

CLERKS REPORT: APPROVAL OF WARRANTS

Clerk, Ms. Baranski, presented the warrants in the amount of \$31,623.40.

Ms. Baranski made a motion, supported by Ms. Collard, to approve Township warrants in the amount of \$31,623.40. A roll call was taken.

Yeas: Matt Cunningham, Julie Collard, Doug Kuebler, Ron VanZee, and Kristin Baranski.

Nays: None **Motion Carried**

Ms. Baranski made a motion, supported by Mr. Kuebler to approve the EMS construction payment in the amount of \$10,248.13. A roll call was taken.

Yeas: Matt Cunningham, Julie Collard, Doug Kuebler, Ron VanZee, and Kristin Baranski.

Nays: None **Motion Carried**

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Ms. Collard made a motion, supported by Ms. Baranski to close the bank account for the EMS construction fund. A roll call was taken.

Yeas: Matt Cunningham, Julie Collard, Doug Kuebler, Ron VanZee, and Kristin Baranski.

Nays: None **Motion Carried**

The Board of Trustees came to a consensus to put a donation box at the Hayes Township Hall to collect items for the Humane Society, in memory of Cliff Biddick.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER REPORT

Mr. Jess presented an oral County Commissioner report.

PARKS AND REC. REPORT

Ms. Collard presented the Parks and Rec. Report, full report is available at the Township Hall. Next meeting scheduled for May 1st, 2022 at 6pm.

TRUSTEE:

Mr. Cunningham recommended the Board of Trustees purchase smaller swim buoys for the Hayes Township Park. Also, the Circulators have been pulled from Hayes Township Park.

PLANNING COMMISSION

Mr. Cunningham presented Planning Commission report. The next Planning Commission meeting is April 18th, 2023, at 7:00 pm.

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Did not meet. Possible meeting May 24th, 2023, working on having a quorum.

ZONING ADMINISTRATOR REPORT

Ron VanZee presented a written Zoning Administrator Report.

SUPERVISOR REPORT:

Mr. VanZee presented an oral Supervisor Report.

HAYES TOWNSHIP PARK/CAMP SEAGULL DOCK REPAIR:

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Ms. Baranski made a motion, supported by Mr. Kuebler to approve the estimate from Tipp of The Mitt Welding & Fabrication in the amount of \$480.00, to install steel Eyelets on the Camp Seagull Dock. A roll call was taken.

Yeas: Matt Cunningham, Julie Collard, Doug Kuebler, Ron VanZee, and Kristin Baranski.

Nays: None

Motion Carried

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Public comments opened at 7:50 pm.

- Resident asked why the Eyelets on the Dock at Camp Seagull are necessary?
- Resident strongly suggested the Zoning Administrator reports be posted separate on the website for resident convenience.
- Resident asked the Township to revisit the Consent Agreement with Rieth Riley.
- Resident requested the Zoning Administrator Report be posted conveniently on the website for the resident transparency.
- Resident would like the Township to enforce the three-minute limit during public comment and to request phones to be turned off during the meeting.
- Resident would like the Zoning Administrator report to be displayed on the website, perhaps in the packet and by itself under its own category.
- Resident mentioned the link on the PDF meeting Agenda is difficult to login to Zoom with. Also does not agree with the fact that it takes time to post documents to the website.
- Resident asked for an update on the Pickle Ball Court construction and grant status at Hayes Township Park.
- Resident would like to see the township challenge Rieth Riley time limit in the Consent Agreement.
- Resident feels the website should be top priority.
- Resident would like to see the Board of Trustees would like the township to address the false statements made regarding the Silica dust concerns.

Public comments closed at 8:17 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT: Mr. Kuebler made a motion, supported by Mr. Cunningham, to adjourn at 8:17 p.m.

Yeas: Matt Cunningham, Julie Collard, Doug Kuebler, Ron VanZee, and Kristin Baranski.

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Nays: None

Motion Carried

Respectfully Submitted,

April Hilton

Hayes Township Deputy Clerk/Recording Secretary