

Sharon Township Board Meeting Minutes

APPROVED

October 5, 2017

CALL MEETING TO ORDER: The Sharon Township Board held its regular October meeting on October 5, 2017 at the Sharon Town Hall. Supervisor Psarouthakis called the meeting to order at 7:02pm. There were 15 public attendees. The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Roll Call: Mikel, Psarouthakis, Simons, Cooper: PRESENT Guysky: ABSENT

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA: Motion by Cooper to approve the October 5, 2017 agenda, supported by Mikel. Motion approved.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES: Motion by Mikel to approve the September 7, 2017 minutes, supported by Simons. Motion approved.

PUBLIC COMMENT: Question about minutes was asked. Would like to see 2 public comment sections, 1 at beginning and 1 at end of meeting. Barb Fuller gave an update on upcoming work at Sharon Mills Park. Concern about not being able to ask public officials questions during the meeting. Question if we are sending a Sharon Twp representative to Lyndon Twp meetings to follow up on internet.

SUPERVISOR RESPONSE TO PUBLIC COMMENT: We are fine having 2 public comment times. In regards to questions during the meeting, public comment is just that, a time for comment; questions may be asked any time during the week, before, or after the meetings. All Board members are accessible all week long by phone, etc.

FINANCIAL REPORT: Taxes were due by September 14th without penalty, Winter taxes go out December 1st.

Motion by Psarouthakis to approve the financial report, supported by Cooper. Motion approved.

ZONING REPORT: Zoning Administrator Wilson reported 1 new porch, 1 new address. Rooster complaint is back, Dangerous Buildings hearing took place.

PLANNING COMISSION REPORT: Kathy Spiegel working on a questionnaire for Master Plan to go out in early December.

CACA: Soil erosion employee- DNR attorney making every township have soil erosion as a township employee. Donna Lasinskis office is talking to the attorney general. Waldo Rd. House update: meeting on October 12 at 3pm at CACA for an update.

ZBA REPORT: No report.

OLD BUSINESS:

- a. **Ballot Language:** meeting will Miller Canfield to discuss upcoming ballot language. REMINDER: project will be on the May 2018 Ballot.
- b. **Bethel Church Update:** Nothing happening, \$ is not in the general fund, the road commission has been updated.
- c. **MMA:** State allowing stacking of licenses, signatures are close on the State petition and looking like a possible go for the "recreational use" to be on a 2018 ballot.

NEW BUSINESS:

- a. **Dangerous Buildings:** public hearing took place, notices have been sent ,have until November 30th
- b. **Elections:** new equipment is up and running, will be holding an open house, date and time to be announced.

APPROVAL OF THE BILLS: Mikel presented the September warrant report and October payroll.

Motion by Simons to approve the September 2017 warrant report and October payroll, supported by Cooper. Motion approved.

Brian Simons THANKED Trudi Cooper and Dave Wilson for their work on the township Picnic and declared it quite a success!

Next meeting November 2, 2017 at 7pm.

MEETING ADJOURNED at 7:25 p.m.

Chelsea Mikel

Sharon Township Clerk