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LIMESTONE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES MINUTES
May 9, 2023

Supervisor Roemer called the May 9, 2023, public meeting to order at 6:00 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance and a Roll Call of Officers.

Trustees Present: Getz, Johnson, Neal, and Supervisor Roemer.

Trustees Absent: O'Neill Quorum: Present

Visitors: Michelle Johnson, Randy Neal, Rose Neal, Rhonda Rutledge, Mike Fehl, Nancy Lawless

Trustees Johnson and Getz motioned for the approval of the regular Board of Trustees minutes for April 11, 2023.

Ayes: Trustees Getz, Johnson, Neal, and Supervisor Roemer

Nays: None Motion Carried

Trustees Getz and Johnson motioned for the approval of the Planning Commission Minutes from April 18, 2023.

Ayes: Trustees Getz, Johnson, Neal, and Supervisor Roemer

Nays: None Motion Carried

Supervisor Roemer presented the Statement of Revenue & Expenditures vs. the Annual Budget for the fiscal year-to-date for approval.

Trustees Johnson and Neal motioned to accept the Statement of Revenue & Expenditures vs. the Annual Budget for the fiscal year-to-date.

Ayes: Trustees Getz, Johnson, Neal, and Supervisor Roemer

Nays: None Motion Carried

Supervisor Roemer and Trustee Johnson motioned to accept the Road expenditures for the month.

Ayes: Trustees Getz, Johnson, Neal, and Supervisor Roemer

Nays: None Motion Carried

Trustees Johnson and Getz motioned to accept the Town expenditures for the month.
Ayes: Trustees Getz, Johnson, Neal, and Supervisor Roemer
Nays: None Motion Carried

NEW BUSINESS

There was no New Business at this time.

SUPERVISORS REPORT

Supervisor Roemer informed the Board that the Mayor's Prayer Breakfast was a success. He continued by stating that the Township was well represented with a table of eight (8) guests.

He proceeded to let the Board know that both himself and Randy Neal, Township Highway Commissioner, attended Lobby Day in Springfield. He sent a note to our lobbyist asking for a change in the way that Townships can check for weeds and grass to be more parallel to that of other municipalities.

Supervisor Roemer continued by stating that the Senior Coffee this month was a huge success with over eighty (80) seniors in attendance.

He then proceeded to inform the Board that the LIHEAP has ended at the Township for the season, however, residents can still apply at the PCCEO until May 31, 2023, or until they run out of funds.

He then let the Board know that there is already an increase in ordinance violations this year. He will provide the Board with an updated list in the next couple of days.

Supervisor Roemer concluded his report by informing the Board that Pool Days is going great. All of the activities for this year's festival can be found in the Township hallway on the bulletin board. The Committee is still looking for vendors for the vendor fair, and cars for the cruise in.

HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER

Randy Neal, Township Highway Commissioner, was present and informed the Board that they are getting the roads ready for the seal coating later this summer.

ASSESSOR REPORT

All parcels will have a publication in the newspaper, causing heavier foot traffic than usual.

OLD BUSINESS

There was no Old Business to come before the Board.

NEW BUSINESS

Supervisor Roemer presented the Board with the Budget for fiscal year 2024. Supervisor Roemer complimented Michelle Johnson on completing the budget.

Trustees Johnson and Neal motioned to approve the Amended Investment Policy.

Ayes: Trustees Getz, Johnson, Neal, and Supervisor Roemer

Nays: None Motion Carried

Trustees Johnson and Getz motioned to approve Ordinance #2023-03, an Ordinance that Amends the Townships Investment Policy.

Ayes: Trustees Getz, Johnson, Neal, and Supervisor Roemer

Nays: None Motion Carried

Supervisor Roemer informed the Board that the Pool is on track for the May 27, 2023 opening day. The Pool was finished being cleaned today. Tomorrow, they will begin painting. The Pool will start to be filled on Saturday. Supervisor Roemer thanked the Adult Transitional Center, Village of Bartonville, and the Township Road District for their help in cleaning the pool this season. He concluded by informing the Board that there is one (1) broken pipe that will need to be fixed for the water to be turned on.

NON-AGENDA BUSINESS BY BOARD MEMBERS

Erika Neal stated that she had a resident contact her about a sign that used to be at the front of his neighborhood with the neighborhood name. She went on to say that he had also complimented the Township and the Road Department. Supervisor Roemer stated that historically it is the neighborhood's homeowners' group that raises the funds for the sign and purchases it.

CITIZEN INPUT

There was no Citizen Input at this time.

There being no further business to come before the Board of Trustees, the Board adjourned at 6:11pm.

Heather Robinson, Limestone Township Clerk