

GOLDEN TOWNSHIP
AUGUST 10, 2021
MINUTES

The regular meeting of the Golden Township Board was called to order by Chairman, Carl Fuehring, at 7:30 p.m. in the Golden Township Hall. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Board Members Present: Carl Fuehring, Connie Cargill, Rachel Iteen, Bill Kolenda, Gary Beggs

Also, present: Mr. Draper, Zoning Administrator; Ed McNeely, Township Attorney; and 9 guests.

Minutes: Motion by Mrs. Cargill, supported by Mr. Beggs to approve the minutes of last month's regular board meeting. All yes, the motion carried.

Agenda: Motion by Mr. Beggs, supported Mr. Kolenda to approve the agenda as written. All yes, the motion carried.

Public Comment:

- Mark Borst questioned the writing of another ordinance. He wondered what is enforced now and talked about the short-term rentals with 182 permits when he can find 500 on line.

Correspondence:

1. Kara Dunford

The Treasurer read the Financial Report. The ending balance in the fund as of August 7, 2021 was as follows: General Fund \$44,722.21; Road fund \$1,591.80; Capitol Savings Fund \$19,563.25. The Michigan Class investment funds for the above funds are as follows: GF \$134,612; RF \$162,678; CSF \$92,630.

Bills: Motion by Mr. Beggs, supported by Mr. Kolenda to pay check numbers 18857 - 18900, and EFTs 142 and 143 in the general fund for the amount of \$32,047.28. Roll call vote all yes, the motion carried.

Reports:

Zoning: There were 66 permits.

McKissick Borderline Adjustment: Ted McKissick, parent parcel #06- 016-200-04, approximately 7 acres added to neighboring plot to give road access on 40th. See attached papers.

Parks: Motion by Mrs. Cargill, supported by Mrs. Iteen to give a raise from \$16 to \$20 an hour to the part time maintenance guy. Roll call vote all yes, the motion carried.

Fire: The Hart Area Fire Department is working on paperwork to own the fire barn building instead of leasing.

Planning Commission: Wolverine Power's request to enlarge was approved. Ted Ferwerda wants to do helicopter rides during Applefest. The current owner of what was Robert Fong's house wants to use it as a wedding venue. There was discussion on a cell tower, Silver Lake Campground, and the temporary mobile vender committee has met.

Road: All major parts of the road projects have been completed.

Assessor: None

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Meeting adjourned around 7:46 pm.

Respectfully submitted by,

Rachel Iteen
Golden Township Clerk