

LEAVITT TOWNSHIP
REGULAR MEETING
HELD AT TOWNSHIP HALL
APRIL 14, 2014
7:00 P.M.

SUPERVISOR, JOHN HERREMANS, CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER AT 7:00 P.M. THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE WAS RECITED. ROLL CALL TAKEN – ALL BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT. ASSESSOR, DAN KIRWIN, WAS ABSENT. GUEST WAS MORGAN KRUPPE. MOTION WAS MADE BY PURDY AND SUPPORTED BY E. KRUPPE TO ACCEPT THE MARCH MINUTES. CARRIED. THE TREASURER'S REPORT FOR APRIL WAS GIVEN.

OLD BUSINESS: THE CLERK WILL CONTACT THE CLEAN-UP VENDOR ABOUT DOING THE CLEAN-UP ON MAY 17TH AND WILL ADVERTISE IN THE HI-LITES AND FREEWAY PAPERS THE WEEK PRIOR TO THE CLEAN-UP. DAVID AND MORGAN KRUPPE WILL WORK AT THE CLEAN-UP.

THE CLERK REPORTED HE IS STILL WORKING ON THE FEMA SITUATION.

THE ROAD COMMISSION WAS NOTIFIED OF OUR BRINING CHOICE AND DATE THE TOWNSHIP WOULD LIKE THE BRINING TO BE DONE.

RESOLUTION #30, REGARDING ASSESSOR ATTENDANCE AT THE BOARD OF REVIEW, WAS ADOPTED. THE CLERK WILL SEND THE ASSESSOR A COPY.

NEW BUSINESS: THE BOARD RECEIVED APPLICATIONS FOR A PA116 FARMLAND AGREEMENT FOR RYAN AND KRISZTINA MALBURG. THE LAND IS IN SECTION 18 AND INCLUDES 140 ACRES, 9 ACRES AND 8 ACRES. THE LAND IS BORDERED BY TYLER AND DEER ROADS AND 166TH AVENUE. AFTER SHORT DISCUSSION, MOTION WAS MADE BY HERREMANS AND SUPPORTED BY KOLBE TO APPROVE THE APPLICATIONS. CARRIED. THE CLERK WILL FORWARD THE TOWNSHIP'S APPROVAL TO THE COUNTY.

THE TOWNSHIP ELECTION COMMITTEE APPROVED NAOMI FESSENDEN, RICHARD KOLBE AND SANDY DUDLEY AS ELECTION INSPECTORS FOR THE MAY 6, 2014 ELECTION.

E. KRUPPE THOUGHT THE BOARD SHOULD DISCUSS THE WATER AND SEPTIC PLANS BEING RESEARCHED BY THE OCEANA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION. THERE WERE PROS AND CONS TO THE PLANS. THE BOARD DECIDED, HOWEVER, TO OPPOSE ANY POINT OF SALE WATER AND SEPTIC INSPECTION PLANS BEING RESEARCHED BY THE OCEANA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION. THE CLERK WILL NOTIFY THE PLANNING COMMISSION AND THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF OUR OPPOSITION.

THE CARE OF THE CEMETERIES WAS DISCUSSED. THE CLERK STATED WE ADVERTISED FOR BIDS LAST YEAR. THERE WAS CONCENSUS BY THE BOARD THAT SINCE THE BOARD WAS HAPPY

WITH AL PURDY'S WORK AND HE WAS THE ONLY BIDDER LAST YEAR, THAT THE BOARD SHOULD FORGO ADVERTISING AND HIRE AL PURDY TO MOW AGAIN FOR THE 2014 SEASON. MOTION WAS MADE BY D. KRUPPE AND SUPPORTED BY E. KRUPPE TO HAVE AL PURDY MOW THE CEMETERIES AT THE SAME RATE PER MOWING AS HE CHARGED LAST YEAR. CARRIED, WITH AL PURDY ABSTAINING. THE CLEAN-UP COST WILL BE DETERMINED BY HOW MUCH THERE IS TO CLEAN-UP. TRUSTEE PURDY ALSO WANTED TO KNOW IF IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE TO CLEAN OUT THE WEST SIDE OF THE CARPENTER CEMETERY. THE BOARD DECIDED TO HAVE HIM RENT SOME EQUIPMENT TO CLEAN OUT THE BRUSH.

MOTION WAS MADE BY PURDY AND SUPPORTED BY E. KRUPPE TO PAY THE CURRENT BILLS. CARRIED. MOTION WAS MADE BY PURDY AND SUPPORTED BY D. KRUPPE TO ADJOURN. CARRIED.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED BY,

RICHARD KOLBE,
CLERK