

Workman Township Monthly Meeting

December 19, 2018

Our December 2018 monthly meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Chairman James Berg. We opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to our flag. Board members in attendance included Supervisors James Berg and Marvin Holsten along with Treasurer Betty Berg and Clerk Marlys Knutson. Our clerk elect and one visitor were also in attendance. The agenda for the meeting was approved with a motion by James Berg, seconded by Marvin Holsten.

Minutes of the November meeting were approved with a motion by Marvin Holsten, seconded by James Berg.

Treasurer's report showed a balance of \$27, 783.22 distributed as follows: General \$14,668.81, Road & Bridge \$6,333.89, Fire \$5,208.04 and Cemetery \$1,572.48. The clerk's balances are in agreement with the treasurer. A motion to accept was made by Marvin Holsten, seconded by James Berg.

Supervisor's Reports:

Fire & First Responders: A possible location for a proposed drop zone has been located on Highway 65 with Sathers possibly willing to donate an acre of land. James Berg has been in discussion with Ron Smith from Shamrock Township.

Cemetery: A letter was enclosed with last month's check to Erik's Lawn Service explaining a deduction on his check and advising him it was for trees which appeared to have been mowed down by his service.

Buildings: Closed for the winter.

Roads: With the lack of volume of snow our roads have become snow packed which should result in less gravel being thrown into the ditch when they are plowed. Up North Riders are still seeking to have an abandoned road reopened for a trail.

Grader: No report.

Claims to be paid were read by the clerk. There being no discussion a motion to pay was made by James Berg, seconded by Marvin Holsten.

Betty Berg reported on cost of 2017 elections. Her estimate was \$1,994 for the two elections. We have not received billing from the auditor's office for comparison with mail in balloting but participation was much improved.

Correspondence received was the Mille Lacs Outlet.

Old Business: James Berg reported briefly on the FEMA meeting held on December 12, 2018. An e-mail was received from Palisade Fire Department along with application for a scholarship they will be providing.

New Business: MATIT Worker's Comp Audit has been received. An unemployment claim has been received. DNR will be holding a floodplain and shoreland training workshop on January 10, 2019. Our supervisors will plan to attend.

Other Business: Our clerk elect was sworn in and will begin her duties shortly. Supervisor Fred Kamrowski was not in attendance and will be sworn in at a later date. New lists for our bulletin board have been compiled and will be posted.

Our next meeting was set for January 16, 2019 @ 4:00 pm/Palisade Community Center. We adjourned at 4:40 pm.

Marlys Knutson, Clerk