

TOWNSHIP OF FLOWERFIELD

ST. JOSEPH COUNTY

April 11, 2017 REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

- **BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT** - Myron Fuller, Carroll Parmeter, Ron Shaver, Evelyn Flowers, Alan Pearson
- **CALL TO ORDER** - Carroll called the meeting to order at 7 PM
- **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** - Recited
- **BOARD MEMBER ADDITIONS** - Carroll added road chloride to NEW BUSINESS
- **APPROVAL OF April 11, 2017 Agenda** - Myron motion to approve with addition, Alan second, motion carried
- **BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS** - Evelyn: If we say we are going to be here between 6 and 7 for dump passes, then we should be here
- **APPROVAL OF March 14, 2017 Minutes** - Myron motion, Evelyn second, motion carried
- **GUEST/PUBLIC COMMENTS** - Sabrina Perry: Homes and yards in Village of Flowerfield not being taken care of. She was referred to Mike Haydon, Code Enforcement Officer. Kathy Rabbers: Trash problem on Floating Bridge Road. She was also referred to Mike Haydon, Code Enforcement Officer. Carl Holcomb of Three Rivers Fire and Ambulance: Reported incidents, aid responses and left a new services agreement for consideration. Joe Woodin: Asked if individuals were also billed for services and Holcomb responded yes with explanation. Sabrina Perry: Ambulance took 30 minutes to arrive and responder was cocky. Holcomb responded that he would look into it.
- **CORRESPONDENCE** - None

REPORTS

- **SUPERVISOR, CARROLL PARMETER** - None
- **CLERK, MYRON FULLER** - None
- **TREASURER, ALAN PEARSON** - Handed out Quarterly Financial Report and MAESA Reports
- **TRUSTEE, RON SHAVER** - Discussed preparing a millage proposal for emergency services of 1 mill
- **TRUSTEE, EVELYN FLOWERS** - Suggested more mail slots to include trustees and planning commission
- **ASSESSOR, SHALICE NORTHROP** - Absent. Carroll reported the BOR went well
- **PLANNING COMMISSION, GREG HAMELINK** - Absent. Ron reported hopes to have information for a public hearing next month
- **BLIGHT OFFICER, MIKE HAYDON** - Handed out Code Enforcement Report
- **BUILDING INSPECTOR, RANDY SCHMELING** - Absent
- **ZONING ADMINISTRATOR, DOUG KUHLMAN** - Absent
- **SEXTON, BILL KRUGER** - Absent

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

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NEW BUSINESS

- **Approve cleaning person** - Carroll motion to approve Patty Bainbridge, Alan second, motion carried
- **Road chloride** - Carroll motion to approve St. Joseph County Road Commission at \$35,100, Evelyn second. Roll call vote: Myron-yes; Alan-no; Evelyn-yes; Ron-yes; Carroll-yes. Motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENTS - Donald Workman: Road chloride money should be used for emergency services and road repair. Once chloride is down, road commission will not repair roads.

APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURES (6220 – 6248) - Evelyn motion, Ron second, motion carried

ADJOURNMENT - Myron motion, Carroll second, motion carried at 8:08 PM