

MIDDLE BRANCH TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

Middle Branch Township Hall

Monday, September 12, 2016 7:00 P.M.

Meeting called to order by Patrick at 7:00 P.M.

Pledge of Allegiance

Attendance: Patrick, Sarah, Patty, Bev, & Martha

Guests acknowledged: Ron Austin, Charles Kampmueller

Bev made a motion that the agenda be approved. Sarah 2nd the motion. All were in favor, and it passed.

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Treasurer's report was read. Checking--\$62,524.49, Road Millage--\$46,356.15 , First Merit Bank CD--\$35,000.00; Members First Credit Union CD--\$20,000.00; Members First Credit Union Saving-\$10.00; Total--\$163,890.64.

Bills to be Paid--Patrick made a motion to pay the bills. Bev 2nd the motion.

Payroll-#6042-6056 & Accounts Payable-#5732-5767. All were in favor, and it passed. Question was raised regarding difference between cost of tire recycling and amount received for it. Wondered if it was because of accepting rims.

OLD BUSINESS:

Bridges--discussion regarding bridges. Barricades are still up, and no guardrails yet. No bill has been received yet.

On the Road Training--Oct. 25 at Big Rapids. Group should leave by 7:30 A.M. It was agreed to have Ron Austin go since he will be coming on as a trustee.

NEW BUSINESS:

Hiring cleaning lady and renting hall--tabled until November

Board of Review member--tabled until November

Additional Business:

Patricia--Trees in cemetery. Patty made a motion to get rid of all black walnut seedlings in new area of cemetery II. Bev 2nd the motion. All were in favor, and it passed.

Bev made a motion not to mow new part unless there is a large funeral, and only brushhog 2 times a year. Sarah 2nd it. All were in favor, and it passed.

Next meeting Monday, November 14, 2016 at 7:00 P.M. at the Middle Branch Township Hall.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:54 P.M.

Respectfully submitted, Martha West, Clerk

