

HAY TOWNSHIP
Unapproved Minutes of October 19, 2023

The Hay Township Board met on Thursday, October 19, 2023, in regular session. Supervisor Mudge called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll Call: Monaghan present, Priemer present, Mudge present, Kludt present, Becker present.

Commissioner's Report: Commissioner O'Donnell reported the county budget is balanced for 3 months. They are working toward passing the law enforcement millage on the Nov. ballot. County still doesn't have any solar ordinances due to the lack of a master plan. The state is requiring the county to have a Material Management Plan. It needs to be approved by January and Gladwin County may partner with Isabella County to save money.

Guests: 10

1st Public Comments: Chuck Frisbie, Superintendent of Gladwin Public Schools explained how the school overcharged the taxpayers due to the Headlee Millage. There is \$263,000 owed to the taxpayers. They are planning on renovating Junior High if they can pass a bond issue.

Approval of Minutes:

Minutes of September regular meeting were reviewed. Motion by Treasurer Kludt, support by Supervisor Mudge to approve minutes as written. M/C.

Treasurer's Report:

Treasurer's Report was presented for September. Motion by Supervisor Mudge, support by Clerk Priemer to accept Treasurer's report. M/C.

Warrants/Payments: Monthly Warrants were reviewed. Motion by Trustee Monaghan, support by Trustee Becker to pay monthly warrants. M/C.

- **Communications—None**
- **Fireboard Report—Peter Doyle—There were 2 fire runs in September for Hay Twp. The fire truck may not be available until the end of December. The parking lot paving was quoted at \$12,000 but the cost came in much lower.**
- **Ordinance Report—Old Complaints—1651 S. M-30—junk—Contacted owner who stated he hasn't made much progress due to not understanding the asbestos removal permit process. Informed him that end of October is new date to have significant progress made. 300 Hickory—Junk—Spoke with owner. She is doing the best to get things cleaned up and has made a lot of progress. Given additional time. Contacted Gladwin County zoning/ordinances regarding neighbor raising a goat within 250' feet of nearest neighbor in above neighborhood. Pends contact with Justin Schneider of Gladwin Zoning.**
- **New Complaints—None**

- **Constable Report—B & B, Riverhouse, and Dollar General were inspected and found to be in compliance with LCC rules.**
- **Greenways Inspection Report—Greenways was inspected twice and found to be in compliance with LARA rules.**
- **Old Business—None**
- **New Business—Yard Waste is November 1st.**
- **Waste Contract—Motion by Supervisor Mudge, support by Trustee Monaghan to approve the Waste Management Contract. M/C.**
- **Public Comments: Jayne Allen had questions on waterfront properties. Supervisor Mudge discussed the ariel photo of the lake and that cutting will be done during the winter. Jayne also had questions concerning the FLTF Assessment. Supervisor Mudge explained that the high-end assessment would be \$1500 or more. The mid-range assessment rated at .75 would be \$1100 to \$1500 and the low-end assessment which would include the back lots at .25 would cost \$385 to \$1100. Michael Griffin asked about the park but Supervisor Mudge said they didn't receive the Sparks Grant so the park was not going to happen unless they received the \$1,000,000 grant money. Discussion followed. Michael Griffin also questioned Supervisor Mudge as to where all the State money was spent. Supervisor Mudge stated they were trying to get additional money from the Federal Government and has applied to Army Corp of Engineers for help. Discussion.**
- **Supervisor Comments—None**
- **Adjourn—Motion by Treasurer Kludt, support by Trustee Becker to adjourn meeting @ 7:58 p.m. M/C. Next board meeting will be November 16, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m. Sandra Priemer, Hay Township Clerk**