Chase Township Regular Monthly Meeting

November 15, 2022

Board Members

Ken Pollaski- Supervisor Amy Patterson- Clerk Phil Lodholtz- Trustee

Janel Eichenberg- Treasurer Joyce Beach- Trustee

Meeting Called To Order

Clerk Amy Patterson brought the Chase Township Board meeting to order at 7:30pm. Roll call shows Amy Patterson, Joyce Beach, and Janel Eichenberg present. Phil Lodholtz absent at roll call, came in at 7:37pm.

Approval of Minutes

Joyce Beach moved to approve the October 18, 2022 meeting minutes. Seconded by Janel Eichenberg. Motion passed unanimously.

Treasurers Report

General Account Beginning balance October 2022 was \$391,982.93. Income received \$1,451.63. Expenses \$13,535.41. Leaving a balance of \$379,899.15.

Library Account

Beginning balance for October 2022 was \$91,039.47 Income received \$140.85. Expenses \$1,730.58. Leaving a balance of \$89,449.74.

Tax Account

Beginning balance for October 2022 was \$9,569.95. Income received \$3,863.73. Expenses \$12,421.13. Leaving a balance of \$1,012.55.

Clerks Report

Bills presented for approval: Township Bills in the amount of \$8,967.68 Library bills \$1,442.45 were approved by the library board. Joyce Beach made a motion to pay bills. Phil Lodholtz seconded. Phil Yes, Amy Yes, Joyce Yes, Janel yes, Motion passed.

Brief Public Comment

Curt Libey is concerned about the status of our roads and their overall poor condition.

Speakers/Guests:

Library update- Joyce Beach library board president gave an update on what is happening at the library. The sesquentenial celebration/ trunk or treat went very well. Had a chili cook off and a good crowd showed up to participate in the fun. Due to the power surge the library board and librarian is looking into a new catalog system. Also looking into outfitting the library basement to be useable and fixing some shelving issues. Homeschool lunch bunch program is going well. The clasp on the front gates need to be fixed.

Amy Patterson gave update that the insurance company contacted her and they are sending a check for the items submitted to date.

Joyce Beach made a motion to buy a no dog's sign for the library playground area. Seconded by Amy Patterson. Motion passed unanimously.

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New Business:

Winter tax bills- Janel Eichenberg had issues with what she received from equalization the millages were not printing at all. Had to get ahold of BS&A to get it sorted out.

Proposals- Joyce Beach brought up the recently passed state proposals and was concerned with how they are going to impact the township financially. Amy Patterson mentioned that right now things are unclear on mandatory implementations but recommends going forward with a security camera system at the township hall and approved absentee ballot container as has been discussed in the past.

Old Business

Large item drop off- Waiting on a bill from Independent Rural Waste for the last large item drop off. There were about 55 loads from residents and filled one packer and part of a 2nd packer, and 2 roll off dumpsters. Would probably have a better turnout with more notice and a set date.

Citizens Time

Adjournment:

Motion to adjourn meeting by Amy Patterson, seconded by Phil Lodholtz. Motion passed unanimously. Meeting was adjourned at 8:24 pm.

Respectfully Submitted, Amy Patterson Chase Township Clerk