

Custer Township Board  
Regular Meeting Minutes  
August 11, 2020

Members Present: Flake, Elder, Allen, Grote, Simon

Others Present: B. Richardson, J. Ottgen, M. Lee

Meeting Called to Order by Supervisor Flake at 7:00p.m.

1. Approval of Agenda: Motion by Grote supported by Elder to approve the August Agenda. MC
2. Citizens Comments: Discussion on local roads
3. Approval of Consent Agenda Items: Motion by Elder supported by Grote to approve July Consent Agenda Items. MC
4. Correspondence:
  - News update "From the Desk of Sheriff Dan Bean"
  - Sheriff's Stat report
  - Antrim County Treasurer-tax foreclosed properties
  - Antrim County Treasurer-Certification of 2020 Valuation
  - Three Lakes Association Quarterly newsletter
  - Charter Communications
5. Committee Reports:
  - A. Water and Sewer—still looking into funding/new location for well #2. WWTP working well. Quarterly Financial report in handout.
  - B. Ambulance Authority – hired a new assistant director L. Criddle- on a 90-day probation- doing well so far.
  - C. Board of Review – met on July 21- approved 4 PREs
  - D. Technology/Web site – updated
  - E. Roads—Trustee Allen-Leonard Rd repair progress; getting estimates on future road projects
6. Supervisors Report: Restrictions on Rentals with 25% capacity in Hall- 25 max allowed- with new Executive Order. Sent out 4 ordinance violations. Attended meeting in Elk Rapids with Sheriff Bean and other townships about Fireworks-consensus to follow State law. Chapman Cemetery Fence is done.
7. Citizen's Comments: M. Lee gave report to board on South Torch Lake Fire Dept.
8. Action Items:
  1. Motion by Grote supported by Allen to decline tax foreclosed properties. MC
  2. Motion by Simon supported by Allen to sign off on 2020 tax rate request. MC
  3. Motion by Allen supported by Grote to pay Ginop Sales \$124.26 for mower blades. MC
  4. Motion by Grote supported by Allen to approve Fall clean-up ad and run for 3 weeks in The Review. MC
9. Items for future consideration: 1) Policy prohibiting campaign signs/material on Township property 2) Municipal Underwriters recommending a "No carry policy" as they do not provide liability insurance
10. Adjournment: Motion by Simon supported by Grote to adjourn at 7:59 p.m. MC

Respectfully submitted by Stacy Simon, Custer Township Clerk