

Custer Township Board
Regular Meeting Minutes
May 11, 2021

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

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

Others Present: S. Paul, N. Elliott, K. Grover, E. Lanning, N. Lanning, D. Kulongowski, C. McCamish, J. Ottgen, D&N Terenshiniski, S. Grill, L. Harp, J. Makowski

Pledge of Allegiance

1. Approval of Agenda: Motion by Grote supported by Allen to approve the May Agenda. MC.
2. Citizens Comments: Citizens voiced concerns for and against Del Mason Road Work project
3. Approval of Consent Agenda Items: Motion by Elder supported by Grote to approve April Consent Agenda Items. MC.
4. Correspondence:
 - News update “From the Desk of Sheriff Dan Bean”
 - Sheriff’s Stat report
 - Networks Northwest 2020 Annual Report
 - Three Lake Association April 2021 Quarterly Newsletter
 - ACRC notice to “Hold” Del Mason contract till reaffirmed by Board
 - MSU Extension “Cultivation Local Farm Economics”
 - Michigan Railroad Association Spring 2021 Update
5. Committee Reports:
 - A. Water and Sewer—EGLE permit for new well approved. Archeological Study needed for USDA loan application. WWTP—running within normal limits.
 - B. Ambulance Authority – After researching private billing services, TAA has decided to contract with Kalkaska EMS for billing services. TAA millage vote passed by 80%.
 - C. Board of Review – July 20 Corrections Meeting
 - D. Technology/Web site – updated
 - E. Roads—Trustee Allen-
6. Supervisors Report:--working with Assessor for AMAR reports required for 2021 Audit. Calls about Hall rentals, indoor gatherings allowable at 50% capacity now. Discussion on Subtitle M Coronavirus Fiscal Recovery Fund. Asked Farrier Surveying for bid for surveying the new part of Chapman cemetery and purchasing lot markers. Spring Clean-up was slow 89 loads, 75 tires. Will ask Helsel Tree Service to take down dead beech and other select trees along west side of Hall.
7. Citizen’s Comments: None
8. Action Items:
 1. Motion by Allen supported by Grote to hire Helsel tree service for tree removal at hall. MC
 2. Motion by Grote supported by Allen to approve road name “Snow Country Trail”.MC
 3. Motion by Grote supported by Elder to sign 2021 Tax Rate Request. MC
 4. Motion by Elder supported by Grote to pay annual payroll update due June 5. MC

5. Motion by Simon supported by Grote to pay KCI bill for \$819.50 for summer tax bills. MC
 6. Motion by Elder supported by Grote to pay safe deposit bill \$15. MC
 7. Motion by Grote supported by Allen to reopen Hall for rentals at 50% capacity and add \$75 cleaning fee to rental agreement; and to request renters leave tables and chairs used out for sanitizing. MC 3 yes 2 no
 8. Motion by Grote supported by Allen to go ahead with Del Mason road work. MC
9. Items for future consideration: 1)New Building/offices in future 2) Survey of Chapman addition 3) Junkyard Ordinance revision 4) Ordinance Officer
10. Adjournment of regular meeting: Motion by Allen supported by Grote to adjourn at 8:54 p.m. MC

Respectfully submitted by Stacy Simon, Custer Township Clerk