

Custer Township Board  
Regular Meeting Minutes  
And  
Budget Hearing Immediately Following  
March 8, 2022

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

Members Present: R. Flake, R. Elder, D. Allen, S. Simon

Members Absent: R. Grote

Others Present: Mancelona Fire Chief C. Orman, B. Richardson, R. Elder, J. Ottgen, A. Shaffer, B. Shaffer

Pledge of Allegiance

1. Approval of Agenda: Motion by Elder supported by Simon to approve the March Agenda. MC.
2. Public Comments: Mancelona Fire Chief C. Orman gave annual report. A. Shaffer ask about Lake of the Woods Road condition near creek.
3. Approval of Consent Agenda Items: Motion by Elder supported by Allen to approve February Consent Agenda Items. MC.
4. Correspondence:
  - Sheriff's Stat Report for January 2022
  - Three Lakes Association Quarterly News letter
  - Bellaire Public Library yearly report and budget
  - Mancelona Fire District January 2022 report
  - Antrim County Planning Dept./Notice of intent to Plan(Revising Master Plan)
  - Dec/Jan minutes from Bellaire Fire District.
  - Jan/Feb minutes South Torch Lake Fire Dept./received \$13,600 grant to purchase Lucas 3 CPR machine
5. Committee Reports:
  - A. Water and Sewer—New water tech working out very well. Summit Village HOA continues to refuse installation of water mains. New well site cleared and awaiting drilling. M 88 water main repair will move forward this spring. WWTP continues to work on plan to bring plant into compliance.
  - B. Ambulance Authority – did not meet this month
  - C. Board of Review – March 8, 14, 15, 16
  - D. Technology/Web site – updated
  - E. Roads—Trustee Allen-possible Johnson Rd.( if Mancelona Township agrees)
6. Supervisors Report: -- Will attend the Joint Bellaire Fire Dept. meeting on March 21. Discussion on ARPA funds for possible MAWSA project and roads. Township attorneys raising legal fees by \$10.00 hr.
7. Public Comments: None
8. Action Items:
  1. Motion by Elder supported by Allen to transfer ARPA balance of \$59,000 to MAWSA to use on M88 water main repair. MC
  2. Motion by Elder supported by Allen to pay the snow plowing bill \$1350.00 to Bert's Excavating. MC
9. Items for future consideration: 1) Assessors Twp. Computer
10. Adjournment of regular meeting: Motion by Allen supported by Elder to adjourn at 8:04 p.m. MC
11. Budget Hearing Called to order by Supervisor Flake at 8:04p.m.
12. Discussion of the proposed 2022-2023 Budget
13. Motion by Allen supported by Elder to accept the 2022-2023 Budget. MC
14. Motion by Allen supported by Elder to Pass Resolution # 3 of 2022 to Accept Budget For 2022-2023 Fiscal Year. MC  
Roll call vote 4 yes, 0 no, 1 absent. MC
15. Adjournment of Budget Hearing: Motion by Allen supported by Simon to adjourn at 8:13p.m. MC

Respectfully submitted by Stacy Simon, Custer Township Clerk