RAISINVILLE TOWNSHIP

February 2nd, 2016

PRESENT: SUPERVISOR BLANCHETTE, CLERK FETTERLY, TREASURER MEYER, TRUSTEE HENDERSON, TRUSTEE WOELMER

The Raisinville Township Board meeting was opened with the Pledge to the American Flag.

MINUTES: MOTION by Trustee Henderson, Supported by Trustee Woelmer to approve the minutes as amended of the January 5th, 2016 board meetings. Motion Carried

TREASURER REPORT: MOTION by Trustee Henderson, Supported by Clerk Fetterly to approve the treasurer report. Motion Carried.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT REPORT: There were 22 permits issued for the month of January There were 8 building permits, 5 electrical, 7 mechanical and 2 plumbing for a total fee of \$2891.00

BILLS: **MOTION** Treasurer Meyer, **Supported** by Trustee Henderson to approve the bills for this month. **Motion Carried**.

OLD BUSINESS: Supervisor Blanchette stated that the Township Attorney has the purchase agreement ready for the township land being sold to Gabby's Ladder, the Township will be signing the papers soon.

Supervisor Blanchette presented to the board some quotes on a new sign for the township hall, and discussed the possibility of fixing up the old sign, we will discuss it again when we receive more information.

Supervisor Blanchette stated that he is getting estimates from MCRC on road work for next budget year, and will be bringing the estimates to the board soon for approval.

NEW BUSINESS: MOTION by Trustee Woelmer, **Supported** by Treasurer Meyer to approve the LMR Fire Department budget for 2016. **Motion Carried.** The budget is \$16,700.00 more than last year.

MOTION by Supervisor Blanchett, **Supported** by Treasurer Meyer, to approve the list of election workers for the March 8th, 2016 election. **Motion Carried**

Clean Up Day has been set for Saturday May 7th 2016 from 8:00 am-4:00 pm.

MOTION by Trustee Woelmer **Supported** by Trustee Henderson to approve a Fee Schedule as presented for 4658 S Custer. **Motion Carried**.

MOTION by Trustee Woelmer, **Supported** by Trustee Henderson, to amend the PC/ZBA Fee Schedule in regards to parcels that contain multiple phased site plan application, the applicant must first submit site plan, and receive approval for the entire parcel. Thereafter, review fees are based on the acreage pertaining to the proposed review within said site plan. **Motion Carried.**

Supervisor Blanchett told the board the Charlie Haddix, owner of the River Raisin Canoe Livery agreed to be the Township representative on the River Raisin Watershed Council. The Board all agreed that would be a good match.

Trustee Woelmer stated that he attended the MTA quarterly meeting on 01/28/2016, and that it was a good meeting, they had good informational speakers. Trustee Woelmer presented to the board the Monroe County Emergency response Statistics.

BLIGHT: Nothing this month.

PLANNING COMMISSION: The January meeting was canceled due to lack of agenda. The next meeting is scheduled for Feb 22nd, 2016, it was moved due to the legal holiday.

LMR- Trustee Henderson attended the January 18th meeting and stated that they went over the budget plan for 2016. He also stated that LMR had a few repairs, while putting new tires on a truck, it was discovered that there was a broken axel, and that there was a new box put on a rescue truck that replaced a rusty one. Trustee Henderson also stated that Raisinville Townships share of a new needed fire engine\$ 90,500.00. LMR presently has 17 people on its roster and 1 explorer. Trustee Henderson also presented to the board, LMR's statistics on runs and rescues for the last 12 years. The next meeting is scheduled for March 21st, 2016 at 7:00 pm. Public is welcome to attend.

Representative Jason Shepard attended our meeting and gave an update of how things were going, he discussed the injection wells and the company withdrawing it permit application in Summerfield Township. Rep. Shepard took a few questions from the residents in attendance.

CITIZEN COMMENT TIME: John Delmotte of 1095 Nieman Rd asked about the protocol for contracting the brine for the roads, is it scheduled to do it once or twice a season. He said that Ida Townships dust control seems to be better than in Raisinville, what's the Difference? Supervisor Blanchette said that he would check into it and find out what they used.

BOARD COMMENT TIME: Supervisor Blanchette stated that the Township Board would be appointing an alternate to the Board of Review at next month's meeting.

ADJOURNMENT: MOTION by Trustee Henderson, Supported by Treasure Meyer to adjourn. Motion Carried.

Brenda Fetterly RaisinvilleTownship Clerk