RAISINVILLE TOWNSHIP SEPTEMBER 6TH, 2016

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

EXCUSED: CLERK FETTERLY

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

MINUTES: MOTION by Trustee Woelmer Supported by Trustee Henderson to approve the minutes from the August 3rd, 2016 board meetings. Motion Carried

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

BUILDING DEPARTMENT REPORT: There were 35 permits issued for the month of August There were 15 building permits, 5 electrical, 12 mechanical and 3 plumbing for a total fee of \$4,648.00

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

OLD BUSINESS: Supervisor Blanchette stated that Gabby's Ladder had a few concerns and questions about the purchase of the township property.

NEW BUSINESS:

BLIGHT REPORT: There were two blight complaints, one for high grass and weeds on N Raisinville Rd and for blight on Stewart Rd. The owners have been sent a letter.

Jim Ross representing the MCCC asked to be put on the agenda to discuss the College millage on the upcoming November election. Mr. Ross gave a great explanation on the need to update and improve many buildings at the college.

We will be putting a link on our Township website for more information. You can go to www.monroeccc.edu/millage for detailed information on the improvements the MCCC is intending to do.

Treasure Meyer stated that she has been working with our bonding agency and has permission to pay off the bonds and expenses for the Cherry/Dixon Water District, She needs permission to send a letter to Monroe Bank & Trust stating that the Township will be paying off these bonds. **MOTION** By Supervisor Blanchette, **Supported** by Trustee Henderson to send a letter to MB&T stating our intent, **Motion Carried**.

The Township Board discussed options on notifying residents of a survey for the updating of the Township master plan. **MOTION** By Trustee Woelmer, **Supported** By Trustee Henderson that the Township Board give power to the Planning Commission to approve the survey and to use the voter file to mail out post cards and to have the survey available on our website **Motion Carried.**

MOTION By Trustee Henderson, **Supported** By Treasure Meyer to approve a resolution showing support for Crystal Waters Land Acquisition **Motion Carried** 4-yays 0-nays 1 absent.

PLANNING COMMISSION: There was no meeting this month, next meeting SeptemberOctober 17th, 2016 at 7:00 pm.

ZBA: Trustee Henderson reported on the August 29th meeting. The ZBA approved a request for a 276 square foot variance for Lori Ratz at 2040 Lewis Ave, for accessory building.

LMR: The next meeting will be September 19th, 2016 at 7:00 pm the public is welcome to attend.

CITIZEN COMMENT: Gary Busenbark asked about a blight issue on Stewart Rd Supervisor Blanchette explained how the Building Department handles them.

BOARD COMMENT:

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

Brenda Fetterly RaisinvilleTownship Clerk