

Echo Township
Regular Meeting Minutes
April 5, 2023

Derenzy called the meeting to order at 7:00pm. Board members present: Hott, Graham, Derenzy, Petrie & Kucharek. Three guests in the audience.

March minutes presented by Kucharek. Motion by Hott to approve minutes; supported by Graham. Motion carried.

Treasurer's report reviewed by the board. Motion by Petrie to approve Treasurer's report; supported by Graham. Motion carried. Treasurer to contact bank about adding interest to those fund accounts not currently receiving monthly interest.

Motion by Hott to approve payment of bills, as presented, totaling \$10,865.81; supported by Petrie. Motion carried.

Guest Speakers:

Mike Gank, with Antrim County dispatch addressed the Board with the counties 911 policy when dispatching emergency vehicles within Echo Township. Township resident spoke about the poor condition of several roads; Kidder Road, and County Road 624 (Old State Road), wanted to know what can be done. Board explained both roads are "Primary" roads and maintenance/upkeep fall under the responsibility of the county not the township.

New Business:

Spring Clean-Up has been set for June 24th, 2023 from 8:00am – 12:00pm.

Resolution #6 of 2023 - Motion by Hott, supported by Kucharek, to transfer \$150,000 from the General Fund to 4Front Credit Union to purchase a 13-month CD. Resolution #6-2023 carried with all members voting "aye".

Discussion:

Discussed Special Assessment District meeting to be held May 4th, 2023 at 7:00pm. Spreadsheet detailing 2022 expenses/income was provided to the Board.

Supervisor Report:

Supervisor has a copy of the new Natural Hazards Plan. Ron Tschudy is our representative. Working with local resident to get pricing on the pilings/dock installation at the Township Park.

Motion made by Petrie; supported by Graham to adjourn at 9:00pm. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Diane Kucharek, Clerk