

Minutes
Deerfield Township Board
Regular Meeting of August 18, 2008

Meeting called to order at 8:05 p.m. by Supervisor Tim Murphy.

Present: Tim Murphy	Supervisor
Lynne Wyatt	Treasurer
Randy Martin	Trustee
Dave Garrett	Trustee
Ryan Martin	Fire Chief
Mark Nerbonne	Assist. Fire Chief

Absent: Walter Nelson Clerk

14 others were also present

Agenda Additions: Great Lakes Apparatus – Discount for contract

Motioned by Lynne Wyatt, seconded by Randall Martin to approve the agenda with additions, motion carried.

Minutes: Addition to the minutes of July 21, 2008

Bills must be turned in to the office no later than the morning of the 10th of each month.

Motion by Lynne Wyatt, 2nd by Randall Martin to approve the addition to the minutes, motion carried.

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Treasurer's report was given by Lynne Wyatt, motion by Randall Martin, 2nd by Dave Garrett to accept the treasurers report, motion carried.

Fire Department report was given by Lynne Wyatt: Pump on main engine failed last test by state, pump either needs rebuilt or a new pump put in. Fire Board will make recommendation to Township Board at the next meeting. Only one bid has been received for the old Tender.

Planning Commission Report was given by Randall Martin: Planning Commission needs two new members by November meeting. Anyone interested needs to contact Alan Johns, Planning Commission Chair or Randall Martin, Trustee.

Motion by Randall Martin, seconded by Lynn Wyatt to pay the General Fund and Fire Department bills, motion carried.

Public comment on addenda items: none

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Unfinished Business

Tim Murphy handed out information sheets with cost on a new sound system and asked that we review at September meeting.

Motion by Randall Martin, Seconded by Dave Garrett to appoint Judy Miles as our new Office Manager/Zoning Administrator and Judith Crawley being first alternate and Jean Walter second alternate. Motion carried. Tim Murphy will contact all 3 choices.

Hall cleaning – no discussion

Curbside Recycling: Randall Martin advised the Board that it can't go on the ballot in November. Asked Board Members to think about how they want this handled and report at September meeting.

Great Lakes Apparatus: Lynne Wyatt moved and seconded by Randall Martin to sign contract for discount on services. Contract can be broken at any time. Motion carried.

New Business

Hall tables: Randall Martin explained we would like to sell old tables and purchase new white tables. Tabled until September meeting.

Re-stripping handicap parking: Motion by Lynne Wyatt, seconded by Randall Martin, to move handicap parking to the first two spaces by building. Motion carried. Walter Nelson will find contractor.

Public Comment

Several Homeowners living on Plainfield Road asked to have an ordinance on length of grass and trash around homes for subdivisions. It was explained that this needs to be handled by the Covenant of the Subdivision.

Motion to adjourn by Lynn Wyatt, seconded by Randall Martin. Motion carried.
Adjourned at 8:46 p.m.

Minutes recorded by Trustee Randall Martin

Walter Nelson
Deerfield Township Clerk
