

Newfield Township Board Meeting

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Hesperia, Michigan 49421

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June 21<sup>st</sup>, 2016 Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor, Gale Eitniear. The pledge was stated. A roll call showed Joan David, Tami Ballantyne, Rick Roberson, Gale Eitniear and Nancy Conley were present.

Public Comments-

The following candidates running for offices in the August Primary spoke: Aleksy Urich for County Treas., Alan Bluhm and Phill Carter for County Road Commission and Lori Green for Drain Comm.

Tami Ballantyne made a motion to approve the agenda adding under New Business #2, Fee Schedule. Joan David seconded it. Motion carried.

Tami Ballantyne made a motion to approve the May minutes. Rick Roberson seconded it. Motion carried.

Tami Ballantyne made a motion to pay the bills checks # 12456 -12484, with an EFT of \$1,370.68, for a total of \$22,135.99. Rick Roberson seconded it. Motion carried.

Tami Ballantyne gave the treasurers report. She reported that we have two CDs at Shelby State Bank that are due. They will be left there to roll over. If an increase in interest paid is made they will notify us and make changes on those CD s. Total deposits for the month of May were \$24,388.32 with total bills of \$15,197.76 giving us a total of cash available for \$327,312.01.

Tami also reported that we will accept tax payments over the internet on credit cards. A fee will be collected from the taxpayer by the third party collection agency for all of those card collections.

Correspondence-

Gale had a letter from Consumers Power to a meeting.

Old Business – None

New Business

We received information on the Newaygo County Recycling Program for our area. Tami made a motion to contract with this Company for \$600.00 to come from Resident Services to continue the service we have. Joan David seconded it. Motion carried.

Steve Micklin explained the new proposed fee schedule for Zoning violations.

1. A set fee schedule for Zoning violations.
2. A graduated fee based on the amount of violations.
3. There is a dangerous building ordinance in Michigan now.

Steve also handed out a fee schedule that he will present to the Planning Comm. On June 23<sup>rd</sup>.

Zoning report-Steve Micklin reported Dump Day was a success.

July Board of Review will meet on July 19<sup>th</sup>.

OxBow Park- Gale will look into repairing the electrical box that was damaged there.

Roads – Gale will present the final estimate to the Road Commission on Wed. for the work to be done this year on the roads.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Nancy Conley

Newfield Township Clerk