

Maple Grove Township Board Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: 2024/10/14 Presented by: Tish Yaros - Clerk

Meeting was held in person and called to order at 7:00 p.m. Supervisor Krupp, Treasurer Yaros, Clerk Yaros, Trustee Peterman and Trustee Wendling were present.

A motion was made by Trustee Wendling to approve the September 16th, 2024 meeting minutes, seconded by Treasurer Yaros. Motion passed.

Supervisor Krupp stated that Commissioner Harris noted that the STARS ballot initiative for 2025 was on hold due to personnel changes.

Chief Andres noted that there will be a Fire Safety presentation at New Lothrop Elementary on Friday, October 18th. The Fire department will be handing out candy on Halloween, the new tires are on the fire trucks and are now up to DOT Standards, also the new office furniture has been installed and many of the electrical receptacles have been replaced. Chief Andres was also thankful for the New Lothrop Powder Puff donation they received and noted that with their \$750 donation and another donation they will purchase a new stabilization tool that they need.

Treasurer Yaros reported on the following things:

- The ARPA funds have now been encumbered. The Ceiling in the hall is included in this amount, but won't be able to be done until after the November election. At that time, the small side of the hall, bathrooms and bar area will have their ceiling done. The large part of the hall will need to be coordinated after that.
- It was noted that the bathroom tile was tested and does not contain asbestos. The hall bathrooms will need to be done after the new board takes over and funds for this will need to come out of the fund balance.
- Someone will need to be appointed to represent Maple Grove on the Michigan BEAD group that works to increase the High-speed internet in our area.
- Treasurer Yaros motioned to appoint our enforcement officer as the Commissioner of Noxious Weeds for a term of 2 years for the purpose of enforcing our weed ordinances, seconded by Trustee Peterman. After some discussion, motion passed.
- Discussed the constitutional revenue sharing document in the board packet.

Clerk Yaros motioned to adopt Resolution 2020-10-01 for Political and Campaign signs on Municipal and Non-Municipal Owned Property as presented in the board packet, seconded by Trustee Peterman. After a brief reasoning of the resolution, motion passed. T. Yaros will also be applying for an election security grant to replace the hollow core door in the office with a steel door and keypad for the back door in the office. A reminder that the Public Accuracy Test would be taking place in the Township Office immediately following the meeting was noted.

Trustee Wendling recapped the Planning Commission meeting and noted the question of two cremations in one plot would be deferred to the board. After some discussion, the board felt the planning commission should work on the ordinance to include this language if that's what they decide, not leave it to the board to make exceptions on a one by one basis. This issue will go back to the planning committee. It was requested that this issue be added to Old Business on the Planning Committee agenda in case it's not addressed until after the Master Plan is completed. The next meeting will be December 4th. Trustee Wendling also asked that our Ordinance Enforcer look into the Dollar General ditch that needs to be cleaned up in front of the store.

Trustee Peterman discussed the IT needs for the Fire Department. Tom Wendling discussed the proposal that was presented last month. Trustee Peterman motioned to allocate \$1,000 from the fund balance to our IT Hardware budget for the required network equipment that is broken and end of life in the fire hall, seconded by Supervisor Krupp. Motion passed. Peterman attended the MMWA meeting and toured their facilities. The recent complaints about Jim Gray were brought to him and he stated many of the permits have not been filled out correctly delaying response time. Peterman also signed up for the Renewable Energy Webinar taking place on Thursday.

Clerk Yaros motioned to pay bills 21266 thru 21317 for a total of \$75,814.62, seconded by Treasurer Yaros. Check number 21316 was omitted from the list. It was deleted as it was destroyed in the office. Motion passed.

Public Comment: A resident brought up the process in which the Ordinance Enforcement Officer was hired. According to the minutes of July 15th, no motion was made to officially hire Alex Garcia. After some discussion, Supervisor Krupp motioned to retroactively hire Alex Garcia as our Ordinance Enforcement Officer, seconded by Treasurer Yaros. It was noted that this was discussed and this is just to correct the oversight of not making an official motion during a board meeting and noted that Mr. Garcia has been hired since July 15, 2024 at the same rate that was stated in the Budget meeting. Motion passed. Issues arose around inaccurate/misleading statements made by a board member regarding Resourceful Recycling both online and in meetings. It was noted that Resourceful Recycling will be relocating to Chesaning in early 2025. It was noted there are other people that would like to bid on ballpark diamond dust when that project happens. A question was asked if additional tech was needed by the fire department to combat Solar Farm fires.

Supervisor Krupp motioned to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Treasurer Yaros. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 8:08 p.m.

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10/14/2024	GEN	21268	AP	149	GIESKENS CABINETRY & FLOOR	0.00 V
10/14/2024	GEN	21269	AP	230	LEGACY ASSESSING SERVICES	0.00 V
10/14/2024	GEN	21270	AP	277	MID MICHIGAN WASTE AUTHORITY	0.00 V
10/14/2024	GEN	21271	AP	353	SAGINAW AREA GIS AUTHORITY	0.00 V
10/14/2024	GEN	21272	AP	362	SAGINAW COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION	0.00 V
10/14/2024	GEN	21273	AP	441	VIEW NEWSPAPER GROUP	0.00 V
10/14/2024	GEN	21274	AP	465	MACQUEEN EMERGENCY	0.00 V
10/14/2024	GEN	21275	AP	507	NBS	0.00 V
10/14/2024	GEN	21276	AP	512	PRO COMM INC	0.00 V
10/14/2024	GEN	21277	AP	534	BOLAND'S BEST ONE-TIRE	0.00 V
10/14/2024	GEN	21278	AP	535	JENNIFER PEMBERTON	0.00 V
10/14/2024	GEN	21279	AP	600	AIRTHA DAVIS	0.00 V
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10/14/2024	GEN	21297	PR	013	KOEPLINGER, DAWN	293.67
10/14/2024	GEN	21298	PR	014	KRUPP, KEVIN	707.24
10/14/2024	GEN	21299	PR	017	NEUHAUS III, WILLIAM	105.72
10/14/2024	GEN	21300	PR	019	PETERMAN, WESLEY	423.60
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10/14/2024	GEN	21306	PR	024	WENDLING, BRIAN	132.15
10/14/2024	GEN	21307	PR	025	WENDLING, GREGORY	411.46
10/14/2024	GEN	21308	PR	027	WENDLING, SCOTT	132.15
10/14/2024	GEN	21309	PR	028	YAROS, KIRK	904.83
10/14/2024	GEN	21310	PR	029	YAROS, TISH	1,626.36
10/14/2024	GEN	21311	PR	031	YOUNK, GREG	211.44
10/14/2024	GEN	21312	PR	028	YAROS, KIRK	290.22
10/14/2024	GEN	21313	AP	497	NICOLE EDWARDS	200.00
10/14/2024	GEN	21314	AP	498	KEN WENDLING	200.00
10/14/2024	GEN	21315	AP	555	JK SERVICES LLC	1,850.00
10/14/2024	GEN	21316	AP	312	PATRICK ANDRES	0.00 V
10/14/2024	GEN	21317	AP	312	PATRICK ANDRES	200.00
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(14 Checks Voided)

Total of 46 Disbursements:

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Total of 4 Disbursements:

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(15 Checks Voided)

Report Total of 50 Disbursements:

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