

**SAGOLA TOWNSHIP BOARD
REGULAR MEETING
Sagola Community Bldg.
July 6, 2020**

MINUTES

Don Minerick, Supervisor, called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Members Present: Supervisor Don Minerick, Clerk Julie Roell, Treasurer Rita Rotter, Trustee Tom Roell, Trustee Mike Kroll
Members Absent: None

**Add to Business (b) STAR Agreement. Moved by J. Roell, Supported by R. Rotter, to approve the amended agenda.
MOTION CARRIED**

K. Dahlgren: Electrical fuses blew out multiple times over the July 4th weekend at Newberg Park. The system cannot handle the demands of the bigger campers with a/c units. Campers were very accommodating in turning off the a/c units in order to maintain the electrical service. Upgrades are needed and we'll look into obtaining quotes on the off-season.

**Moved by M. Kroll, Supported by T. Roell, to approve the 6/1/20 Regular Meeting Minutes as written.
MOTION CARRIED**

**Moved by J. Roell, Supported by R. Rotter, to pay special bills: Petoskey Plastics / garbage bags (\$3905); Hannula Agency / cyber protection (\$672); Accident Fund / worker's comp (\$3155); Fire Rescue / foam (\$390), and all regular bills.
MOTION CARRIED**

Rita reported that our state revenue sharing decreased by \$1000 over last year at this time. Complaints have continued regarding the Steppig property because of noise during the night and junk vehicles in the yard. The vehicle plates are being checked to see if they are registered. The old Cuculi house that has been turned over to the township is falling down. Scott Morin will be asked to demo it. Taxes went out on June 30th. The sewer survey count is at 47 responses.

-Bill Pool will look at the cemetery vault roof.
-Large items cannot be put out with yellow bag pickup during the summer months due to the increase in the volume of garbage. Signs will be placed advising people to not put out large items until after Labor Day.
MOTION CARRIED

The EMS roof has multiple leaks and quotes from Brooks Electric and MJ Electric have been received. Champion Inc. will be contacted

CALL TO ORDER: 6:00 pm

ROLL CALL
All Present

APPROVE AGENDA

PUBLIC COMMENTS
Comments Opened: 6:00 pm
Comments Closed: 6:04 pm

MINUTE APPROVAL
6/1/2020 Regular Minutes
Approved

OFFICIALS REPORTS
Clerk/Julie Roell
Special & Regular Bills *Approved*

Treasurer/Rita Rotter

Supervisor/Don Minerick

Trustee/T. Roell

as they installed the roof originally. Tom and Patti did speak to Channing residents regarding the sewer survey. They had some trouble with one resident who was exhibiting angry behavior towards them. They will not continue with the door-to-door surveys.

Mike reported that Bob Edberg would also look into replacing the cemetery vault roof, but wouldn't be able to get to it until September. House Bill 431 regarding gravel pits, should not be passed as it takes away all restrictions and the township would have no say in what happens. Mike spoke to Beau LaFave and Ed McBroom.

Amy was absent.

Dan was absent but left a short report which is included in the Minutes.

Pam inspected four sites. On 6/30 the Planning Commission held a Public Hearing regarding a campground permit sought by Krista Fehrle. The permit was denied at this time because the campground is accessed by an easement and permission to widen the road was not granted or asked for as of yet. Ms. Fehrle will need to contact the owners of the easement and gain their permission for use of the road before another land use permit hearing (free of charge) will be held.

Don was not present at the meeting due to possible COVID-19 exposure. He will email a report to Julie.

The Trash and Recyclable Agreement needs to be amended to include no large items to be picked up between Memorial Day and Labor Day. This item will be addressed at the August meeting.

Moved by D. Minerick, Supported by T. Roell, to sign the STAR Agreement for another year, and to obtain a report of the actual expenses as noted in the Agreement. MOTION CARRIED

P. Minerick: A metal sign to be installed on the south side of the hall can be ordered from Randy Peterson. What size should we order and we need an estimate of the cost. After the meeting, we can get a rough measurement to send on to Randy.

No board privilege was noted.

Moved by D. Minerick, Supported by J. Roell, to adjourn the July 6, 2020, Regular Meeting at 6:32 p.m.

MOTION CARRIED

Trustee/T. Roell (Cont.'d)

Trustee/M. Kroll

Assessor/Amy Marinoff

Fire Dept./Dan Simonsen, Chief

Zoning Adm./Pam Minerick

Maintenance/Don Begarowicz

BUSINESS

Trash & Recyclable Ord. Amend
Moved to August Meeting

STAR Agreement

Approved

BOARD PRIVILEGE

ADJOURNMENT

6:32 PM










