

**SAGOLA TOWNSHIP BOARD
REGULAR MEETING
Sagola Community Bldg.
July 5, 2023**

MINUTES [Approved]

Mike Cline, Supervisor, called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Members Present: Supervisor Mike Cline, Treasurer Robin Begarowicz, Clerk Julie Roell, Trustees Mike Kroll and Luke Fleming

Add Business (c) Violations Bureau Appointment. **Moved by Roell, supported by Begarowicz, to approve the amended agenda.**

MOTION CARRIED

An electronic sign board could be placed near the pavilion so the community would have information on events.

The Groveland Mine Project application has been submitted and Elise will leave copies for the board.

Moved by Begarowicz, supported by Fleming, to approve the 6/5/23 Regular Meeting Minutes as written.

MOTION CARRIED

Moved by Cline, supported by Roell, to approve special bills: Accident Fund (\$3123) worker's compensation / MI Twps. Assoc (\$1139) annual dues / GFL Environmental (\$1753) final dumpster cost / Luft's Ad (\$1429) 2024 winter tax bills / Coleman Engineering (\$10631) engineering services / Oshkosh Fire & Police (\$9688) maint. and pump / DCRC (\$1811) dust control and all regular bills.

MOTION CARRIED

Robin submitted a Treasurer's Report which is included in these Minutes. The house that burnt on 4th Street will not be rebuilt and they want the sewer capped. Any fees to disconnect will be passed onto the owner.

Roads have been paved in Sagola. Mike attended a pre-construction meeting for the sewer project. Once construction begins, meetings will be held every two weeks.

The township pays for crack sealing of roads and maintenance and a list of roads can be given to the DCRC. Grading was done at the EMS Building. Paul Rotter was appointed to the Zoning Board of Appeals in April, which Pam was unaware of since she was in Texas, so he was not contacted for the meeting that was held. Dale Johnson and Don Minerick were called in as alternates, as Sue Ivey recused herself from voting.

CALL TO ORDER: 6:00 pm

ROLL CALL

All Present

AGENDA

Amended Agenda *Approved*

PUBLIC COMMENT

Comments Opened: 6:01 pm

Comments Closed: 6:03 pm

MINUTE APPROVAL

6/5/23 Regular Minutes *Approved*

OFFICIALS REPORTS

Clerk/Julie Roell

Regular & Special Bills *Approved*

Treasurer/Robin Begarowicz

Supervisor/Mike Cline

Trustee/Luke Fleming

Mike K. brought up an email shared to all the board from individuals who used Newberg Park shower facilities. They were unhappy with the \$5 fee and levied a variety of complaints about the showers. Mike went out to the Park and answered their complaints. The \$5 fee will remain in effect. The culvert that was placed on the back corner street in Sagola will need backfill. Mike will bring it to the attention of the DCRC.

Amy was not present.

Dan reported two page-outs this month: two vehicle accident and vehicle fire south of Randville. A \$10,000 MI Fire Grant was applied for there is great possibility that it will be awarded.

Pam handed out a zoning report. The individuals on the Rec Committee have volunteered to update the 5-year Rec Plan which expires this Sept. **Moved by Roell, supported by Cline, to pay \$40/meeting to the Rec Plan Committee for each meeting attended.** *MOTION CARRIED*

Champion, Inc. has offered to donate 10 free parking blocks for the east side of the pavilion. Once delivered, Champion should get a thank you letter.

Don handed in his maintenance report which is included in the Book of Minutes.

Nancy was not present.

Newberg Park hosts were not in attendance.

Construction should begin in August with Channing lift stations and lagoons no later than December 2023.

The Rec Committee presented a playground design that would need an \$11,000 addition to the \$15,000 approved last month. **Moved by Fleming, supported by Cline, to approve an additional \$11,000 for Sagola playground equipment.** *MOTION CARRIED*
Signs should be posted at all playgrounds: Play at Your Own Risk

Moved by Roell, supported by Cline, to appoint Jon Dubuis to the Violations Bureau. *MOTION CARRIED*

July 4th bingo had proceeds of \$827. The parade didn't have a theme this year and were any floats awarded prizes? There was not a theme.

Trustee/ Mike Kroll

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Assessor/Amy Bucek

Fire Dept./Dan Simonsen, Chief

Zoning Adm./Pam Minerick
Rec Committee per diem \$40/mtg
Approved

Maintenance /Don Begarowicz

Enforcement Officer/Nancy Reese

Newberg Park

BUSINESS

Sewer Update

Playground Committee
Additional \$11,000 for Sagola
Approved

Violations Bureau Appointment
Jon Dubuis *Approved*

PUBLIC COMMENT

Comments Opened: 6:55 pm
Comments Closed: 6:58 pm

Moved by Cline, supported by Kroll, to appoint Luke Fleming to the Zoning Board of Appeals as a member of the Planning Commission which is a requirement. *MOTION CARRIED*

Moved by Cline, supported by Roell, to adjourn the July 5, 2023, Regular Meeting at 7:01 p.m. *MOTION CARRIED*

Minutes By:

Julie Roell, Clerk

Date

BOARD PRIVILEGE

ZBA Appointment: L. Fleming
Approved

ADJOURNMENT

7:01 PM