

Comins Township
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Date Approved: _____

Supervisor: _____

Clerk: _____

***Due to Ice Storm February 22nd was postponed to February 28th.
Change was posted at T. Hall & Offices***

February 28, 2022, Regular Meeting: Was called to order at 6:03 pm, Pledge lead by Supervisor Rob Murphy

Present: Supervisor Rob Murphy, Clerk Kelly Wangbichler, Treasurer Deb Dew, Trustees Dave Yoder & Arisa Handrich.

Others Present: Amy Hessel, John Smith, Amy Knepp

Guests: Amy Knepp, with Oscoda County Library let board know there is a hold up and possible deal breaker due to her retirement plan. MERS has stated that the new partners forming the district would be responsible to pay her retirement if a default. Rob stated either way we have been able to build a great relationship that will continue to benefit our community.

Public Comment: Supervisor reminded everyone that they are welcome to comment throughout our meetings.

Supervisor Rob Murphy

Discussion:

- 1. No go on Kubota 26 HP tractor w/front loader at February 5th auction.*
- 2. ARPA Update: Next deposit will be in April, 95% of counties in Michigan opted in.*
- 3. Revised Policy 104 Transfer Site hours to state less hours in Winter.*
- 4. Amended Fire Ordinance will publish.*
- 5. Dust contract presented and approved*
- 6. Quote for new computer for clerk, Rob said and “throw in a new chair” 😊*
- 7. Broad band discussion, few call ins from community to use ARPA funds for broad band.*
- 8. Twp signs are in dire need of replacement, Dave will check to see if township can R&R or does it have to be done by the Road Commission.*
- 9. No word from Mike Stephenson to date, we will reach out to our lawyer to proceed due to lack of response.*
- 10. Firefighter wall quote presented.*
- 11. Movies in the park will be coordinated with the library, Arisa will put selection and locations on our Facebook page.*
- 12. Budget is being worked on, some increases on hourly wages, salary wages, added a maintenance manager salary and phase two on sidewalk project.*

Resolution 2022-03: *Revised Transfer site policy #104*
Resolution 2022-04: *Amend Fire Ordinance*

Agenda Items Approved:

<i>Yoder / Dew</i>	<i>Regular meeting minutes 1/25/2022</i>
<i>Wangbichler / Handrich</i>	<i>Approve dust control contract</i>
<i>Murphy / Yoder</i>	<i>New Computer and Fire Wall quote \$1915.00</i>
<i>Murphy / Wangbichler</i>	<i>Firefighter wall quote \$100</i>
<i>Yoder / Wangbichler</i>	<i>Phase II of sidewalk project \$106,880.00</i>
<i>Murphy / Handrich</i>	<i>January payroll & bills ck#20994-21011</i>
<i>Murphy / Handrich</i>	<i>Amendments to Budget</i>
<i>Yoder / Wangbichler</i>	<i>Contact lawyer due to lack of response from Wellspring</i>
<i>Murphy / Yoder</i>	<i>Richele Barkatt & Sharon Kaufman to \$13 p/hr</i>

Reports:

Treasurer's Report: January
PC Minutes: February 10, 2022
Social Media Report
Zoning Report

Adjournment: *At 8:30 pm Yoder / Handrich*

Next Meeting: *March 22, 2022*