Comins Township
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Date Approved:		
Supervisor:		
Clerk:		

January 25, 2022 **Regular Meeting:** Was called to order at 6:01pm, Pledge lead by Supervisor Rob Murphy

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

Guests:

Dewey Danhoff: Salvage and Sons going well. Recycling services provided. Hours will be updated this summer to include Sunday.

Cody Rossen: Steiner improvements with new sign coming. Extending hours in the spring. Closed for the winter.

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

Supervisor Rob Murphy: ARPA made a final decision that 100% of the money can be used however we see fit. We will put the money in General Ledger with the first 96K being used in the first 2 yrs. and the balance to be used within 4 years. District Library has made their final decision on the name "Oscoda County District Library". Amend the fire ordinance to add a line for power lines and not use "other" as the category. Remove "Member of the Public" and add Clerk to appeals committee and all decisions will be reported to the board at next meeting.

Discussion:

Kubota 26 HP tractor w/front loader is coming up for action on February 5^{th} . Board approved a cap of 18K to be used for the purchase.

Current wages regarding the Fire Department were discussed and agreed that a raise of \$2500.00 should be given to each the Fire Chief and Asst. Fire Chief in the new fiscal year. Board also agreed to appoint Eddie Troyer as Captain with the yearly salary of \$1500.00

Thunderbay Electric gave an estimate of work needed for the township of \$7703.00. Rob Murphy will contact them to start on Friday.

Resolution 2022-01: Guidelines for 2022 poverty exemption

Resolution 2022-02: Taxpayer's privilege to protest

Agenda Items Approved:

Yoder/Handrich Regular meeting minutes 12/14/2021
Murphy/Wangbichler PC member Dan S. term renewal
Murphy/Dew PC member Merianne T. term renewal

Murphy/Handrich Kubota Cap of 18K

Murphy/Handrich Salary increase for fire chief/asst/captain

Murphy/Wangbichler Electrical Estimates

Murphy/Yoder Pay roll & Bills ck#20965-20993 Murphy/Dew Amend budget as presented

Reports:

Treasurer's Report: December PC Minutes: January 13,2022 Year End Zoning Report

Adjournment: At 8:10 pm Murphy/Wangbichler

Next Meeting: February 22, 2022 Budget will be main discussion!