

EATON TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING
October 6, 2022

Supervisor Roberts opened the regular October meeting with the pledge to the flag of our Country.

Present at the Township Hall were Supervisor Roberts, Treasurer Dolman, Clerk Patterson, Trustee Droscha, and Trustee Bankhead.

Absent: None

Supervisor Roberts moved to approve the October agenda and the September meeting minutes. Supported by Trustee Droscha to approve the agenda and minutes as printed. Seconded Trustee Bankhead. **Motion Carried.**

Clerk Patterson read the synopsis of regular meeting minutes from the September meeting. Motion made by Trustee Droscha to approve the synopsis as corrected to state operating taxes for 2022 not 2023. Trustee Bankhead supported the motion as corrected. **Motion Carried.**

Treasurer Dolman presented the Treasurer's report in written form. Trustee Bankhead moved to accept the Treasurer's report as written. Motion supported by Trustee Droscha. **Motion Carried.**

Supervisor Roberts moved to pay current expenditures. Supported by Trustee Droscha. Seconded by Trustee Bankhead. **Motion Carried.**

Sheriff Report: A printed report was provided to the board.

CORRESPONDENCE: Eaton County Planning & Zoning is having a master plan meeting at the township on October 25th at 3pm.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

NEW BUSINESS

2021-2022 Fiscal Year Audit Presentation

Larry Tiejema presented the audit to the board and audience. After 15 years of serving the township Larry is retiring.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

REPORTS

County Commissioner: County Commissioner Droscha was present and reported that the preliminary broadband meeting was held.

There is no update on road patrol. There will be someone to respond to calls but no one scheduled on road patrol.

Library: Mrs. Borrelli was present and reported that the Friends of the Library book sale is currently happening. The Directors contract has been renewed.

Rural Fire: Supervisor Roberts reported that the city has 8 applicants for a full-time Chief. There is an open house at the fire department next week. State Representative Witwer agreed that the \$1 million should be split between the city and rural fire. The ambulance service isn't being sold by Sparrow.

CECC: Treasurer Dolman reported that the parking lot looks good other than the spot that they didn't do. The foundation work has been completed.

Recreation Co-op: Trustee Bankhead gave a brief report that the season is coming to an end.

Assessing: Doug received the figures from the county and the board of review will be busy next year.

PUBLIC COMMENT: A resident commented that 1 block of Blair Acres was paved. There was a question about the Park & Recreation millage and why there wasn't a Public Safety millage instead. County Commission Droscha addressed the questions. A question was asked about the amount of the millage that the Commission addressed as well.

MEETING ADJOURNED: 8:42 P.M.

Danielle Patterson, Eaton Twp Clerk