

Benton Township Board Meeting Minutes

Date: July 12th, 2023

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Location: 7616 E State Rd 45, Unionville, IN 47468

Attendance:

Michelle Bright-Trustee

Jake Dodds-Board Member

Joe Husk-Chair

Sean McInerney-Board Member

Call to Order at 6:35 p.m.

Jake Dodds made a motion to approve the June 14th minutes and Sean McInerney seconded the motion. The motion was passed unanimously.

Reports

Financial Report

We are at our halfway point in the fiscal year. See Attachment. Sean McInerney made a motion to approve the report and Jake Dodds seconded the motion. The motion was passed unanimously.

Trustee Report

Michelle is presenting the Senior Center contract tonight. Michelle talked to Mike Tartar, the president of the Senior Center.

A wooden sign will be placed in Stepp Cemetery, hopefully this year. A Tree was removed in Stepp Cemetery after a recent storm. Michelle is researching Cemetery information at the Monroe County Historical Society and Monroe County Public Library.

The Fire District approved assessment easement at 6 p.m.. This allows the township and the Senior Center to use the entrance and the second easement allows us to share the septic field.

The next Township Board meeting is August 9th.

Sean motioned to approve the Trustee Report. Jake Dodds seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

Township Assistance Report

Michelle presented the Township Assistance Report for May and June See Attachment. Sean motioned to approve Township Assistance Report and Jake seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

Old Board Business

We share a septic easement with the Young family This was brought up at a previous meeting.

New Board Business

Unionville Senior Contract

Sean motioned to approve the Senior Center Contract and Jake seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

Resolution on Cemeteries

Cemeteries will be closed for new burials. No new burial plots will be sold. Sean motioned to pass the Resolution and Jake seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

There was no public comment.

Sean motioned to end the meeting and Jake seconded the motion and the motion passed unanimously.

The meeting ended at 711 p.m.

The next meeting is August 9th,2023