

HAMILTON TOWNSHIP  
BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Date 7/6/17

CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALEGANCE 6:30PM Guest Count 3 Resident Count 14

Present: Conway, Duby, LaBoda, Wright Absent: Iutzi

Conway moved to approve the agenda, supported by LaBoda, all in favor. MC

Treasurer's report read by Duby, motion to approve by LaBoda, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Conway MC

Reading of June minutes by LaBoda, motion to approve by Conway 2<sup>nd</sup> by Duby MC

Invoices read by LaBoda motion to approve and pay bills by Duby, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Conway MC

**Guest: Sandy Bristol, County Commissioner** gave updates on county business including; the board gave tribute to Alyison Lipovsky for her charitable work in the county. Audit results were good with very few minor errors. There is an adult daycare opening in the old Nights of Columbus and will operate on a sliding fee scale. The board approved to have a Child Advocacy Attorney go from part time to full time due to the high amount of cases in the county. The board also approved 911 to purchase an uninterrupted power system and the purchase of a narcotics dog. **Lori Martin, County Clerk/Register of Deeds** was also on hand and gave a report on her office including; the delivery of and training on new election equipment, development of a new lobby for the Circuit Court, 5000 Jury Questioners were sent out and the addition of a 30 hour a week worker from Michigan Works. **Cid Jones** gave a brief report on the work she has been doing on the Hamilton Township Cemetery. Cid has done a great job and we are anxious for her to continue working on Cedar Crest cemeteries.

**Public Comments: Ron Rexer** talked about a fund raiser dinner the Amish community is holding for their schools. **Barbra Lambdin** spoke about the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Autism Golf Outing being held on September 10<sup>th</sup> at Devils Knob Golf Course. Janice Johnston inquired about how taxes are assessed.

**Committee Reports: Denise Goodenow, Planning Commission Chair** stated they met on June 13<sup>th</sup> and the next meeting will be on July 11<sup>th</sup>. The family wanting to raise chickens for family use filed a variance, they will be allowed 12 chickens and will not be allowed to sell eggs. There will be another fund raiser for the park held on September 2<sup>nd</sup>, with 10x10 spaces to rent, BBQ tickets, Silent Action and a donation only table.

**Mark Janeczko, Zoning & Blight Enforcement** issued 7 permits in the last month. He has several new blight complaints and has been working with the family regarding chickens.

**New Business:** Duby spoke about the need to retain tax money in reserve, LaBoda moved to retain \$500, supported by Conway MC Brining is scheduled for August 22<sup>nd</sup>

**Old Business:** Siren sounded on schedule.

Board of Review July 18<sup>th</sup> 9:00 – 11:00am

Fall leaf pick up dates: Oct 24<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> November 7<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>

Conway moved to adjourn at 8:26, supported by LaBoda, all in favor. **MC**