

HOPKINS TOWNSHIP BOARD MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING
September 12, 2011

Board members present: Arndt, Battjes, Evans, Wamhoff, Modreske

Meeting called to order by Evans at 7:31 p.m.

Pledge of allegiance was recited.

Motion by Wamhoff, supported by Modreske to approve the agenda as presented. All Ayes.

Minutes of last month's meeting were presented and approved. Motion by Modreske, supported by Wamhoff. All Ayes.

The financial report was presented and approved. Motion by Wamhoff, supported by Modreske. All Ayes.

Motion by Battjes, supported by Wamhoff, to approve the payment of bills with the addition of \$75.00 to Michigan Assessors Association and the correction of PCI invoices from \$1,780.20 to \$2,270.70. September township bills total \$12,688.55 All Ayes.

Max Thiel updated the Board on county matters.

Evans and Battjes updated the Board on correspondences.

Board received two complaint letters regarding the mowing of the cemeteries.

Evans read the Planning Commission update submitted by Mark Forbes.

Public Comment from Lee (aka Pete) Arnsman regarding his disappointment with mowing of cemeteries.

Evans makes a motion, supported by Arndt for Headstone foundation placement agreement with Lee's RFD. All Ayes.

Motion by Arndt, supported by Battjes to terminate contract with C&C landscaping immediately based on poor performance as well as lack of performance and to withhold payment. All ayes.

Motion by Evans, supported by Arndt to hold C&C Landscaping check #9782 in the amount of \$600. and to suspend October payment until further notice of township board. All ayes.

Motion by Evans, supported by Arndt to pay DK Landscaping \$1,000. to clean up all three cemeteries and to have D&K Landscaping mow the cemeteries for the remainder of this year at \$1200. All ayes.

Motion by Arndt, supported by Modreske to give supervisor Evans permission to sign the Allegan County All Hazard Mitigation Plan participation letter noting that this letter of intent does not in any way obligate Hopkins Township to participate in the FEMA flood plain Insurance program. All ayes.

Motion by Evans, supported by Arndt to add to authorization of payment of bills Simpson and Sons for \$800. September total bills \$13,488.55. All ayes

9:14 Motion to adjourn by Evans, supported by Arndt. All Ayes.

Lisa Battjes, Clerk
Hopkins Township
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