ROSCOMMON TOWNSHIP BOARD 8555 KNAPP ROAD, HOUGHTON LAKE, MI 48629 SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES April 10, 2018

Special meeting was called to order by Supervisor Randall at 8:04 a.m.

Present: Randall, Hose, DuPuis and Milburn. Absent: Christian

Others Present: James Porath.

The Board began discussing Compost Center and Denton Township recent change in fees to contractors and nonresidents and Lake Township leaf pickup and use of Compost Center.

James Porath, resident, entered meeting 8:22 a.m.

It was the consensus of the Board to charge \$1,200 annually to tree service contractors as the stumps, limbs and log cause extreme wear on the Compost Center tractor and chipper. Tree service contractors will be issued permit stickers for each vehicle the service has registered in its name (that will be using the Compost Center) up to five. The Township will maintain the discretion on which tree services to allow to be permitted.

James Porath left meeting at 8:32 a.m.

It was the consensus of the Board to charge \$150 annually to leaf and grass contractors who are residents of Roscommon Township. Resident leaf and grass contractors will be issued permit stickers for each vehicle the service has registered in its name (that will be using the Compost Center) up to five. The Township will maintain the discretion on which leaf and grass contractors to allow to be permitted.

t was the consensus of the Board to charge \$300 annually to leaf and grass contractors who are nonresidents of Roscommon Township. Nonresident leaf and grass contractors will be issued permit stickers for each vehicle the service has registered in its name (that will be using the Compost Center) up to five. The Township will maintain the discretion on which leaf and grass contractors to allow to be permitted.

There was discussion regarding the Lake Township's use of the Compost Center and the Lake Township curbside leaf pickup. When balancing all of the costs and revenues, only charging Lake Township \$1,700 per year was an unrealistic amount since Roscommon Township residents pay \$101 annually as part of a special assessment. The consensus of the Board was to increase Lake Township's annual fee to \$5,000, or allow their residents to purchase \$25 nonresident permits. Roscommon Township would maintain the discretion on whether or not to allow the curbside leaf contractor used by Lake Township to use the Compost Center. Supervisor will contact Lake Township to get their decision.

It was the consensus of the Board to charge \$25 annually to nonresidents who would like to use the Compost Center. Nonresident will be issued one permit stickers

The Board to amend the 2018-2019 budget to add a budget line in 226 Revenues for Permit Fees.

Public comment: None. Meeting adjourned 9:06 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by Carie A. Milburn.

Diane F. Randall, Supervisor

Carie A. Milburn, Clerk

THESE MINUTES ARE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL AT THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF THE ROSCOMMON TOWNSHIP BOARD