

Sidney Township
Minutes
March 4, 2019

Supervisor Peterman called the Sidney Township Board meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

ATTENDANCE

Present: Peterman, Leyrer, Stover, Wills. Absent Welder

AGENDA

Motion was made by Leyrer and seconded by Stover to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried

MINUTES:

Motion was made by Leyrer and seconded by Stover to approve the minutes as presented. Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

Clerk: None

Supervisor: The court hearing concerning the juvenile that caused damage to the park was cancelled. No word on what happens next. Stanton fire chief has said repairs to the fire truck should be done by July. A board of review class will be held tomorrow, Tuesday, March 5th.

SHERIFF'S REPORT:

Officer Mitchell Chapin attended the meeting. He reported on a home invasion in Home Township and commented that a training for school shootings had been conducted. He felt it was an excellent training session,

GUEST SPEAKERS:

None

REPORTS:

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Stover reported that the taxes were almost completed and she was hoping to finish settlement with the Treasurer's office on Thursday. The saw grant is completed. Checkbook balance as of February 28, 2019 was \$110,261.19.

A motion was made by Leyrer and seconded by Wills to accept the Treasurer's report. Motion carried.

CLERK'S REPORT:

Wills presented a list of the check disbursements to be approved. Total expenses were \$8,224.72. A motion was made by Stover and, seconded by Leyrer to accept the report and approve the expenses. Motion carried.

PLANNING COMMISSION:

Planning commission will meet on Wednesday, March 5 at 7:00 p.m.

COMMISSIONER'S REPORT:

Commissioner Petersen gave an update on county business. A corrections officer for the jail will be hired; no one was appointed for jail administrator. The new health department has not yet hired an inspector. Jeni Williams, controller's office, has resigned from her position and county will hire a new human resources employee.

ZONING REPORT:

Dale reported that letters had been mailed to property owners on County Farm and Derby Roads concerning their violation of junk ordinance.

OLD BUSINESS:**Spring Grove Rd**

Mark Ackerson presented the board with copies of petitions signed by property owners along Spring Grove Road requesting the township's help with the process of chip sealing the road. Enough signatures were obtained to be about 64% of the property owners. The road commission has agreed to contract for the chip seal for \$10,000; a cost of about \$400 per property owner. The petitioners would ask that the township oversee collection of the special assessment; a special assessment district has already been established. The planning commission can verify signatures at their meeting on Wednesday.

A motion was made by Leyrer and seconded by Stover to approve the chip seal project to be done this year. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS:**Budget Meeting**

A meeting to set the 2019-2020 budget has been scheduled for March 18, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. at the township hall.

March Board of Review**March 12, 3-9 & March 14, 9-3**

The March Board of Review has been scheduled for March 12 from 3 p. m. to 9 p.m. and March 14 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the township hall.

CITIZEN'S COMMENTS:

There were no public comments.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion by Leyrer Seconded by Stover. Meeting was adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Carrie Wills
Clerk