

Sidney Township
Minutes
September 9, 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. Welder

AGENDA .

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

MINUTES:

Motion was made by Leyrer and seconded by Stover to approve the minutes of the August 5, 2019 meeting with one correction: the sheriff's report was given by Officer Snyder not Ingraham. Motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE

Clerk:

Wills had no new correspondence.

Supervisor:

Peterman reported that the liquor enforcement was done this month. He also told the board that he and Leyrer have been trying to locate the markers for lot corners in the cemetery. They would like to get metal markers so a metal detector can be used to locate them easier.

SHERIFF'S REPORT:

A report was presented by Scott Ingraham from the Sheriff's Department. He reported that there have been complaints of quads causing property damages along Ferris Road. They have not been able to catch the violators but can charge them with malicious destruction of property if caught.

GUEST SPEAKERS:

None

REPORTS:

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Stover reported that the auditors have completed the audit. Everything was good. There is a balance of \$105,072.76 in the checking account.

A motion was made by Wills and seconded by Welder 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 \$89,524.58. The biggest expense was for road contracts. She also reported that the auditor has

recommended that wages for cleaning, zoning, planning commission etc be paid through payroll. Wills will need social security numbers and addresses for those employees.

A motion was made by Stover and, seconded by Welder to accept the report and approve payment of the expenses. Motion carried.

PLANNING COMMISSION:

The commission met last week. Jed is still working on the parks and recreation grant. Next meeting is December 4, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

COMMISSIONER'S REPORT:

Commissioner Petersen gave an update on county business. The finance committee met today; still talking about setting a budget. He has heard that Clifford Lake is talking about starting the process to create a sewer project.

ZONING REPORT:

Dale updated the board on the status of the zoning complaints. The property owner on corner of Derby and County Farm was ticketed earlier this summer. There is now a 5th wheel on site so another letter will be sent. Letters will also be sent to the house next door and the owner of the junk yard. The owners of the burn out on Carlson are now living there in a trailer; Dale will keep an eye on any progress there and on the motorhome on Sidney Road for completion of their home.

OLD BUSINESS:

Terry reported that the fire truck will be ready in two weeks and in time for the next board meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

There was no new business.

CITIZEN'S COMMENTS:

Dave Buckner asked if a letter had been sent to the junk yard. Yes it was. There was discussion about the trailer on Carlson Road. Dale will check to see if they have hooked up electric. People concerned about how long they will be allowed to live in the trailer and how long before lot is cleaned up.

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion by Stover and seconded by Leyrer to adjourn the meeting at 7:50 p.m. Motion carried.

Carrie Wills
Clerk