

Hobart Township Monthly Meeting
April 11, 2023

Present: Terry Hockett, DuWayne Sonnenberg, Larry Hoffmann, Kathy Glawe, Russ Berstler, and Brenton Newling

Chairman Hockett called the meeting to order at 7:11 pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Hoffmann made a motion to approve the Minutes from the March 2023 meeting. Sonnenberg second. All in favor. Motion Carried.

Hoffmann made a motion to approve the Treasurer's report as presented. Sonnenberg second. All in favor. Motion Carried.

Hoffmann made a motion to approve the disbursements as presented. Sonnenberg second. All in favor. Motion Carried.

Brent Newling from Newling Asphalt Services discussed that the township usually dose crack sealing on the asphalt roads every two years. The last time was in 2021. Newling proposed sealing the cracks and gave an estimate of \$23,000. The supervisors discussed the proposal and agreed that it would be best to have the sealing done sooner than later. Sonnenberg made a motion to have Newling Asphalt Services do the sealing. Hoffmann second. All in favor motion carried.

An e-mail was received from Lyle Krieg stating that there is a huge dip in the road on Adams Point Road that occurs every year ever since a new culvert was put in some years ago. The supervisors stated that they will look at it.

An Approach permit was received from Justin and Sally Clemenson for an approach to be installed on 34071 Scalp Trail, Frazee. Hoffmann stated that he will look at the proposed approach location.

Donations from the annual meeting were discussed. The supervisors agreed to make the donations as approved by the electors at the annual meeting. Claims will be made and checks written at the May meeting.

Putting funds from the Fire Fund into a Certificate of Deposit was discussed. Reasoning is that money being set aside for new fire trucks could earn interest. Hoffman made a motion to put some of the funds from the Fire Fund into a CD at Vergas State Bank, Sonnenberg second. All in favor motion carried.

Supervisor Hoffmann stated that the annual road tour should be completed before the May board meeting. All supervisors agreed. Date and time was set. Participants will meet at the town hall on Friday May 5th at 8:00am. Participants will be notified of any changes in date or time.

Reminder of upcoming meetings:

- Board of Appeal and Equalization meeting – Wednesday April 19, 2023 at 9:30 AM.
Location Hobart Town Hall

Approved

- Meeting with MNDOT, and BNSF RR on potential closure of railroad crossing at 495th Ave. - Wednesday April 19, 2023 at 7:00 PM. Location Hobart Town Hall

Since there was no further business to come before the Board, Hockett adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully Submitted
Russ Berstler, Clerk