Hobart Township Monthly Meeting May 9, 2023

Present: Terry Hockett, DuWayne Sonnenberg, Larry Hoffmann, Kathy Glawe, Russ Berstler, Jim Peterson, Matt Hanson, Bucky Sonnenberg, Rebecca Ehnert, and Torey Sonnenberg

Chairman Hockett called the meeting to order at 7:06 pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Sonnenberg made a motion to approve the Minutes from the April 2023 meeting. Hoffmann 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.

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

Matt Hanson presented an on-sale liquor license application for Spanky's Stone Hearth to the town board for their approval. The town board gave approval for the license.

Jim Peterson expressed concern over the soft spots on Adams Point Lane/Road. The supervisors stated that the problem was noted during the annual road tour on May 5, 2023 and work will be planned to address the issue.

Discussion was held on the potential closing of the railroad crossing at 495th Ave. It was determined that Hobart Township does not want the crossing closed. Supervisor Hoffmann made a motion to keep the crossing open, Supervisor Sonnenberg seconded. All in favor. Motion Carried. Clerk Berstler will get with Gorman Township to draft a response to BNSF and MNDOT stating the decision reached by Hobart and Gorman townships.

Torey Sonnenberg stated that he would like to put an approach on 353rd Ave for his business and was seeking the board's approval. Torey stated that he would repair any damage done to 353rd Ave caused by his business from hauling or heavy equipment. The Supervisors agreed to Torey's request.

Notes from the May 5, 2023 Road tour were discussed and approvals given for work. Details are in the 2023 Road Tour Meeting notes.

Supervisor Hoffmann stated that he looked at the approach location for the Clemenson's approach on 34071 Scalp Trail, Frazee and gave verbal approval.

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

Respectfully Submitted Russ Berstler, Clerk