The Special Public Budget meeting for Orange Township was called to order at 6:30pm.

Present; Green, Plett, DePotty, Wittenbach and First

Pledge of Allegiance by all present

Public Comment – none, as no public attended

Motion to adjourn meeting made at 7pm by First with support from Wittenbach. Motion carried

Approved April 14th 2015

1) The Regular March 10th 2015 Orange Township Board meeting was called to order at 7pm

2) Present; Green, Plett, Wittenbach, First and DePotty

3) Pledge of Allegiance by all present

4) Public comment – none

5) Approval of Agenda motion made by First with support from Wittenbach. Motion carried:

6) Correspondence and Current Information: Assorted items were presented

7) Minutes from the February 2015 meeting were read by Plett. Motion to approve minutes made by Wittenbach with support from First. Motion carried. Minutes from the February 17th Budget Workshop Meeting were read by Plett. Motion to approve minutes made by Wittenbach with support from DePotty. Motion carried.

7-a Assessor Kohagen gave a report on the Board of Reviews just completed. Everything went well. No problems at this time

8) Treasurer’s Report was read by Wittenbach. Motion to approve report made by Plett with support from First. Motion carried

9) Monthly Bills were presented by Plett. Motion to approve bills made by Wittenbach with support from First. Motion carried. Motion to pay any late fiscal year-end March 2015 bills that may arrive made by First with support from DePotty. Motion carried

10) Reports

a) Zoning report – no discussion

b) Fire Station – Green reported there were 16 runs with 8 of those for Orange Township. Ken and Jo Ellyn Coryell donated 3 EADs to Berlin-Orange Fire Station. The Board Members all signed a Thank-You card to be mailed to them for their generous donation

11) New Business

a) Motion to increase the Township Supervisor’s yearly salary by $500 from $7000 per year to $7500 per year made by Wittenbach with support from Plett. Roll Call vote; DePotty – yes, First – yes, Wittenbach – yes, Plett – yes, Green abstained. Motion carried. Official Resolution paperwork will be brought to the April Board meeting reflecting increase and for signatures

b) Motion to increase Election Workers hourly pay to $10 per hour and the Election Chairperson’s pay to $12 per hour made by First with support from DePotty. Motion carried

c) Motion to approve the new 2015-16 Fiscal Year Budget made by DePotty with support from Wittenbach. Motion carried

d) The ICRC David Hwy Bridge Repair Agreement was discussed. Motion to approve agreement made by Wittenbach with support from First. Motion carried.

12) Old Business - none

13) Public comments – Sherriff Dale Miller stopped by to say Hello and to remind us they are available if anything is needed

14) Motion to adjourn made at 7:50pm by DePotty with support from First. Motion carried

Respectfully submitted,

Linn Plett

Orange Township Clerk

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