

ORANGE TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING Minutes

265 W David Hwy
Berlin Orange Fire Station
November 10 2020

- 1) The regular Orange Township meeting was called to order at 7pm
- 2) Present; Green, Plett, Wittenbach, First and Cody
- 3) Pledge of allegiance by all present
- 4) Approval of Agenda; Motion by Cody to approve with support from First Motion carried
- 5) Public Comment ; Resident Dave Robertson, who lives on Grand River Trail, has issues with the drain where he built his house. Road Commission and Drain Commissioner have been contacted
- 6) Correspondence and Current Information: assorted items including the waste plant needs a new tower which they have the funds for.
- 7) Minutes; Motion to approve by consent the minutes, treasurer's report and bills made by Cody with support from First Motion carried
- 8) Treasurer's Report .
- 9) Monthly Bills
- 10) Reports
 - a) Zoning report – The Planning Commission met to discuss adding detailed definitions for each of rendering plant and slaughter house in the zoning code.
Motion to accept Planning Commission's recommendations for addition of definitions made by Cody with support from First Motion carried
 - b) Fire Station – 25 total runs with 7 in Orange
 - c) Assessor - none
- 11) New Business –
 - a) Motion to keep the Township property and not sell the property made by Green with support from Plett.
Motion carried
 - b) Election update; voter turnout was 636 voters which is a 77.78% turnout. 227 of the voters were AV voters. The clerk added over 30 new registered voters in the month before and including election day.
 - c) Elected Officials are Green, Plett, Wittenbach, Cody and Chris Fox
- 12) Old Business – none
- 13) Public comments – A big Thank-you was given to Josh First for all his dedication, work and the fine job he did for the township as a Trustee. He chose not to run for the position this year.

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14) Motion to adjourn made at 8:10 by First with support from Cody Motion carried

Respectfully submitted,

Linn Plett
Orange Township Clerk

Immediately following the regular Township Board Meeting, the following Elected Officials were sworn in with the Oath of Office for a term of 4 years for each position;

Supervisor – Tom Green
Clerk – Linn Plett
Treasurer – Karla Wittenbach
Trustee – Jeff Cody
Trustee – Chris Fox

Approved 02/09/2021

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