

Orange Township Board Meeting  
Workshop Budget Meeting  
265 W David Hwy Ionia Mi 48846  
Berlin – Orange Fire Station  
March 14<sup>th</sup> 2023

- 1) Call to Order 6:30pm
- 2) Present – Green Plett Wittenbach Cody and Fox
- 3) Pledge of allegiance by all present
- 4) Budget Workshop Review
- 5) Review of current budget;

Motion to move \$1800 from account 211.702 Attorney to account 336.820 Fire Dept Operating made by Plett with support from Wittenbach Motion carried

Motion to move \$200 from 211.702 to account 651.801 Ambulance Service made by Plett with support from Wittenbach Motion carried

- 6) Discussion on new fiscal 2023/24 budget;

Ordinary income adjustment increases noted. There should be a slight increase in the State Shared Revenue for new fiscal year

Department increases noted as where deemed necessary

Discussion on a possible increase of current fire assessment. We prefer not at this time

Discussion of ARPA funds. Funds could be used in support of necessary equipment upgrades for Fire Station personnel, but not for the day-to-day normal operations.

- 7) Motion to adjourn meeting made at 7pm by Fox with support from Cody Motion carried

Respectfully Submitted

Linn Plett

Orange Township Clerk

Approved April 2023

**Orange township Board Members;** *Supervisor;* Tom Green *Clerk;* Linn Plett  
*Treasurer;* Karla Wittenbach *Trustees;* Chris Fox and Jeff Cody