

FRIENDSHIP TOWNSHIP
BOARD MEETING
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2023 @ 7:00 PM
@ Friendship Township Fire hall

Meeting called to order by Troup.

Members present: Troup, Mac Gregor, Van Divner, Ward (deputy treasurer)

Absent: Cullip, Negley

Agenda stood approved as presented.

Minutes of January 4th meeting stood approved as presented.

Treasurer's report received.

Clerk presented budget report.

Mac Gregor moved, Van Divner seconded, PASSED, to move \$500 from Contingency to Clerk office line item.

Mac Gregor moved, Troup seconded, PASSED by unanimous roll call vote, to adopt Resolution 2023-01 entitled Resolution to Adopt Poverty Exemption Income Guidelines and Asset Test for use by Board of Review for hardship exemption applications.

2023 Township Road Allocation from Emmet County Road Commission will be \$17,906.

Board held discussion on potential 2023 roadwork and possible project(s) for American Recovery monies received. Board also began budget discussion for 2023/24 budget.

Linda George and Michael Rhine, who live on the seasonal road portion of Beacon Hill Lane just north of Hurd Road intersection presented a letter to the board requesting that the portion which they utilize be improved to plowable gravel road to the plowable portion of Beacon Hill Lane north of them.

The board has requested an estimate of cost from the Road Commission for this road improvement.

Public Comment – none

Van Divner moved, Mac Gregor seconded, PASSED by unanimous roll call vote, to approve payment of bills. Checks 5050 and 5065-5082 were written in the amount of \$9,488.65.

Next meeting is March 1st.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10 pm.

Janell Van Divner, Clerk