

Green Lake Township Regular Board Meeting/Public Hearing November 9, 2009

Called to order: 6:00 p.m. by Supervisor, Biondo.

Roll Call: Bieganowski, Radtke, West, McDonald, Dinger, Biondo, present. Schroeter, excused.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Agenda: Moved Bieganowski, Support West to approve agenda with the addition of G. T. County Road Commission, Bike Path after action on public hearing and ambulance, Fire Place Inn sign and snow plowing under discussion. Carried.

Consent Agenda: Moved Radtke, Support West to approve 10/12/09 minutes, bills in the amount of \$72,377.61 and remove ambulance write off's and put on December 14, 2009 agenda. Carried.

Reports: Deputy Oosse reported 268 complaints for October.

FD/EMS: Pruyne reported 27 ambulance responses and 15 fire, 590 people attended the Halloween Party.

County Commissioner: Thomas reported the Boardman River Dams will be removed; they are not feasible to operate.

Planner: Sickterman reported DDA reviewed Streetscape Design, working on changes to Zoning Ordinance, Parks & Recreation Plan and Master Plan.

Public Hearing: Wintergreen Avenue Special Assessment District - Moved Bieganowski, Support Radtke to open public hearing at 6:27 p.m. Carried. M. Gillis, G. T. County Road Commission Manager stated road commission could commit to 25% for reconstruction.

Questions: R. Pierson - how many special assessments has the County Road Commission done, (Rd. Commission has done a few in conjunction with other townships), A. Krisak - how will the cost be divided, (Biondo stated usually by benefit), D. Salon - does protest need to be done in writing, (does not have to be in writing, however it would be better) R. Krisak - will assessment be different for property on Wintergreen Avenue and S. South Long Lake Road (yes, depends where the driveways are) also is this just an exploratory, will there be another petition or is it binding by the % of property owners signing, (another petition will not be circulated, sufficient number of signatures makes it binding), W. Strang - he feels the project should be done, because he uses Wintergreen Avenue. Letter of protest from G. Easley read.

Moved Radtke, Support West to close public hearing at 7:06 p.m. Carried.

Action: Moved Radtke, Support Bieganowski to postpone action on Wintergreen Avenue resurfacing special assessment until December 14, 2009 meeting for township attorney to draft suitable resolution relating to topic. Carried.

Bike Path: M. Gillis stated G. T. County Road Commission will be short \$275,000.00 for the bike path on S. South Long Lake Road.

Rural Fire: Biondo stated Chief M. Stinson has been filling in for the Rural Fire Chief and he would like to enter into a contract for reimbursement to Green Lake Township.

December Meeting: Moved Radtke, Support Bieganowski to hold the December 14, 2009 Board Meeting at the Golden Fellowship Hall. Carried.

Tom's Request: Moved Radtke, Support Bieganowski to have Williams & Works prepare a RFP for GL Water System for maintenance. Carried.

Ambulance: Moved McDonald, Support Bieganowski to authorize the supervisor to order an ambulance from Horton Emergency Services. Carried.

Fire Place Inn Sign: Moved Radtke, Support Bieganowski to remove the sign on township property after a 30 day notice. Carried.

Snow Plowing: Moved McDonald, Support Bieganowski to reconsider the motion to terminate Johnson Outdoors. Moved McDonald, Support Radtke to honor current contract and contact RPW Services regarding decision. (Attorney to write letter directing how work is to be done) Roll Call Vote: Radtke, West, Dinger, McDonald, Biondo, yes. Bieganowski, no. Carried.

Correspondence: On file.

Postponed Business: Cable Ordinance Repeal #10-12-09 – Moved Bieganowski, Support Radtke to adopt the ordinance #10-12-09 to repeal the 2005 Cable Television Ordinance. Roll Call Vote: McDonald, West, Bieganowski, Dinger, Radtke, Biondo, yes. Carried.

Moved West, Support Radtke to adopt Ordinance #10-13-09 as presented. Roll Call Vote: Bieganowski, West, Radtke, Dinger, McDonald, Biondo, yes. Carried.

Central Park Drive: Moved McDonald, Support Radtke to adopt the revised Central Park Drive Special Assessment Roll #121 as presented. Carried.

Recycling – Batteries: Moved McDonald, Support Bieganowski to withdraw from the agenda. Carried.

Assignment – Ambulance Bills: Moved Bieganowski, Support Radtke to accept assignment for residents. Carried.

Office Hours: Moved McDonald, Support Dinger to close the township from December 28th until December 31, 2009. Carried.

BSA Bid: Moved McDonald, Support Radtke to authorize the supervisor to purchase software and service from BSA in the amount of \$3,000.00 and after 1 year and 3 months township to start charging. Roll Call Vote: Dinger, West, Radtke, McDonald, Biondo, yes. Bieganowski, no. Carried.

Assessor: Moved McDonald, Support Radtke to hire V. Warner to work 10 hours per week and pay \$20.00 per hour. Carried. (Discussion contracted versus employee assessor) Moved McDonald, Support Dinger to schedule a special meeting December 7, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. Carried.

Rainbow Pond: Moved Radtke, Support West to adopt the corrected Rainbow Pond Special Assessment Roll #122 as presented. Carried.

Motion to adjourn: Adjournment 9:44 p.m.

Rita Dinger, Clerk