

# Clifford Township Supervisors Meeting Tuesday, December 12, 2023

**Supervisors Present:** Dennis Knowlton, Barry Searle, Chris Marcho

**Solicitor:** Joseph McGraw

**Secretary:** MaryAnn Tayoun

Business meeting held on Tuesday, December 12, 2023 at the Clifford Township Municipal building. Chairman Knowlton called the meeting to order at 7:00pm. Mr. Knowlton opened the floor for public comment. Nothing offered. Meeting minutes reviewed, no comment from public, Motion to approve minutes by Mr. Knowlton 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr. Searle. All in favor. Treasurer's report reviewed, no questions from public, Treasures report will be placed on file. Bill list reviewed, no comment from public. Motion to pay all bills except Clifford Home & Auto by Mr. Knowlton, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr. Searle. Motion to pay bills for Clifford Home & Auto by Mr. Searle, 2<sup>nd</sup> Mr. Knowlton. Mr. Marcho abstains due to conflict of interest. Floor addressed for public comment, nothing offered.

**Old Business: Speed Limit SR 247 (Crystal Lake)**-PennDot surveyed for a reduction in speed and the parameters were not met to decrease the speed limit. No comment from public. **Greenfield Police Agreement Renewal**- Greenfield Police Protection Agreement renewal is for 24 months with monthly payments of \$6,250.00. No comment from public, Motion by Mr. Searle to accept, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr. Knowlton. All in favor. **Update on Dundaff General Store:** Mr. Munley followed up and reports the property was cleaned up and the owner is compliant. **PLGIT:** Mr. Searle reports they met with an advisor from PLGIT. They are looking at better interest rates versus the banks rates. Motion by Mr. Searle to sign a resolution to establish an account with PLGIT, no comment from public 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr. Marcho, All in favor. **EMS Tax:** Due to lack of volunteers half mil(0.5mil)EMS tax to be collected. No comment from public. Motion by Mr. Searle to sign resolution, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mr. Knowlton. **Trout Stream:** Application was submitted however Mr. Searle reports the timing of grant money would set the project time frame back.

**New Business:** None

## **Township Representative Reports:**

**Police-** 41 calls for the month of November.

**Road Report-**Calls in from School House Road issues with beavers and trees. Wildeburg, Vauter & Hallstead Road signs and stop signs replaced. Roadmaster reports they are being stolen. Police to keep an eye out. Round Hill Road tree services complete.

**Planning Commission:** Advised property owners from Idlewild about building permits and setbacks.

**Park & Rec-**Christmas event was a big success. Book shelves for little free library updated.

**Permit Officer-** Demo permit for Pope on SR 2023

**Sewage Office-** JHA reports sewer permit for Jane Mathews at Crystal Lake, and soil testing for Amatto.

**Tax Collector-** 94% percent of taxes collected

## **Fire Company**

**Historical Society:** Sandy Wilmont reports Berean Baptist Church and Clifford Twp. Community Alliance hosted the Christmas event and did a wonderful job.

**Solicitor-**nothing to report

**Next Clifford Township Supervisors Meeting January 2<sup>nd</sup> 2023 at 7pm**

**Meeting Adjourned 7:45pm**

**MaryAnn Tayoun, Secretary**