Clifford Township Supervisors Meeting June 8, 2021

Supervisors Present: Dennis Knowlton, Barry Searle and Chris Marcho **Solicitor**: Joseph McGraw, late arrival **Secretary**: MaryAnn Tayoun

Business meeting held on Tuesday, June 8, 2021 at the Clifford Township building. Chairman Knowlton called the meeting to order at 7:01pm. Motion to approve minutes by Mr. Knowlton. Seconded by Mr. Searle. Treasurer's report reviewed and will be put on file. List of bills reviewed. Motion to pay all bills except Clifford Home & Auto made by Mr. Knowlton, seconded by Mr. Searle. Mr. Searle motioned to pay bill for Clifford Home & Auto Seconded by Mr. Knowlton. Motion carried. Supervisor Marcho abstains due to conflict of interest.

Old Business: 3 Bids for Parking Lot Paving Project were received, opened and reviewed. Motion to accept lowest bid of \$32,450 by Barhite Excavating by Mr. Searle, Seconded by Mr. Knowlton. Pedestrian Bridge preconference construction meeting held, Mr. Barhite reports that project will be underway soon. American Rescue Plan application submitted, Mr. Seale suggested hiring an accountant to assist with the ARP funds. The cost of \$7500. To be used from those funds. Motion to hire Accountant by Mr. Searle, seconded by Mr. Marcho. 3 phone bids received for guide rail project, PennLine was lowest and awarded the bid. Road Master reports the work was completed on Mudd Rd. and Osweld and looked good.

New Business: Two representatives for the Dollar General Store, a consultant and developer report their goal is to build a Dollar General store of 10,600sqft. Adjacent from the cemetery on Route 106 in the near future. Speed bumps donated to Clifford Township by Joann Hall of Crystal Lake. Sally Fischbeck in reference to DCNR Grants requesting Attorney McGraw to confirm that the Township does indeed get CoStars Pricing for materials. Motion that the Township continue the practice of purchasing materials with CoStars by Mr. Searle, seconded by Mr. Knowlton. Mr. Marcho reports the Community Rod & Gun Club drop fish into the Twp. Creek. Motion to donate \$500.00 to the Rod & Gun Club by Mr. Marcho, seconded by Mr. Searle. Mr. Marcho reports complaints are being addressed on Airport Rd. with PennDot regarding driving and being able to see. Mr. Marcho thanked the VFW for the fantastic memorial service. Suggestions for memorial bricks to be more visible/volunteers and ideas welcomed. The community yard sale will be taking place with currently 17 locations. Mr. Searle made motion to support and include Clifford Twp. Volunteer Firefighters for the UnionDale picnic, seconded by Mr. Knowlton.

Township Representative Reports:

Police- 43 Calls for month of May

Road Report- Reports multiple calls. A shortage in calcium for roads.

<u>Planning Commission</u>- Reports talking to Dollar General Representatives.

<u>Park and Recreation</u>- Blacktop project underway, the material taken out will be added to back exit road, working on soccer fields should be starting shortly, wellness loop bid proposal should be ready soon.

Permit Officer-2 building permits

Sewage Office-, 1 On lot repair & sewer perc test

Tax Collector- Tax Collector absent

Fire Company- 29 Fire & rescue & 55 EMS call for the month of May

Historical Society- Sandy not present

Next Clifford Township Supervisors Meeting July 13th, 2021 at 7:00pm.

Adjournment 7:59pm MaryAnn Tayoun, Secretary