

KEENE TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING
March 14, 2023

Present: K Albert, T Hardy, B Hulliberger, R Simpson
Absent: C Wojcik

Robert started the meeting at 7:PM with the pledge.

Meeting Board minutes were read & a motion made by Kara, & 2nd by Brett to approved. Motion Passed

Ionia County Deputy Rick Straubel came in and gave report that he our deputy for Keene Township. He will be deputy for Keene Township for the next have years. Gave a report of the different calls for our Township.

Comments From Guests: Paul Geiger

Treasurer Report: Kara gave an updated report on the balances of the Keene Township accounts.

Clerk Report: Keene Township will hold an election on May 2, 2023 for the Keene Township Recall for Supervisor & Treasurer. (Robert & Kara)

A motion was made to pay the bills for the past month. Brett made the motion and Tami 2nd Motion Passed

Committee Report: Jeanne talked about the Planning Commission met on March 7, 2023. A Public Hearing was held for Sessions Farms. The Zoning Board voted to send to the Board on the March 14, 2023 to vote on at that meeting.

Jeanne also gave a Zoning Report, having 7 permits issued so far for 2023.

The Board then voted on the Special Use Permit for Sessions Farm. A Motion was made to accept the Special Use Permit. Kara made the motion, & Brett 2nd the motion. Roll Call Vote, All in Favor who were present. (Corey Absent) Motion Passed.

Supervisor Report: Budget Hearing: Robert presented the budget profit, loss and overview for the next year.

A motion was made by Brett, 2nd by Kara to accept the Budget for April 2023 thru May 2024. Roll Call Vote, All In Favor (Corey Absent) Motion Passed

For the Road Commission voted on a Memorandum between the Township of Keene & the Ionia County Road Department. There are 3 of these to go over & vote on Replace 36" culvert on Marble Road between Sparks Road & Richmond Road, Gradall work for 2023 within Keene Township, & bringing the roads 26% Mineral Well Brine, \$0.19 per gallon. The Board chose

to vote on all 3 of these agreements. A motion was made to approve the above Memorandum's. Tami made the motion, 2nd by Kara. Roll Call Vote, (Corey Absent) All In Favor, Motion Passed.

Robert next went over the FOIA for Keene Township. The Townships was out of date. Robert had an 11 page to go over. This talked about the procedures & Guidelines& new laws. A motion was made to accept the updated FOIA Agreement. Motion made by Brett, & Kara 2nd. Roll Call Vote (Corey Absent) All In Favor Motion Passed.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Adjourn: Kara made the motion to adjourn at 8:12PM, Tami 2nd the motion.