

**Deerfield Township – Mecosta County**  
**Regular Board Meeting Minutes**  
**396 Fourth Street**  
**Morley, MI 49336**  
**July 8, 2021 7:00PM**

1. Meeting call to order at 7:00 pm by Supervisor Phil Stier all those in attendance joined in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

**2. Roll Call:**

Supervisor, Phil Stier – here  
Clerk, Michelle Lewis – here  
Treasurer, Sheila Lingle – here  
Trustee, Gary Lambrix – here  
Trustee, Brian Carey II – here

Also in attendance were Stanley Carey, Raymond Steinke and Jan Steinke.

**3. Approval of Agenda:**

Trustee, Gary Lambrix made a motion to accept the Agenda as presented, seconded by Brian Carey II. Motion Carries.

**4. Approval of Minutes:**

Trustee, Brian Carey II made a motion to approve the minutes from the June 10, 2021 regular board meeting, seconded by Gary Lambrix. Motion Carries.

**5. Treasurer's Report:**

As of June 30, 2021 Remaining CD has a balance of \$53,818.15. We moved the other 2 CD's to the money market account last month. The Tax Account has a balance of \$51,706.48. The General Fund has a balance of \$104,159.68. The Money Market account has a balance of \$105,915.04. Total current assets being \$315,599.35 Phil Stier made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented, seconded by Michelle Lewis. Motion Carries.

**6. Approval of Bills and Payroll:**

Bills paid were: Consumers \$73.87, DTE Energy \$59.78, MTA \$896.14, Fenstermacher Asphalt \$2,850.00, MML Worker's Compensation \$2.00, Summit Companies \$51.00, Heckman and Sons Lawn Care \$5,900.00, Visa \$184.93, Great Lakes Energy \$11.40, Gary Lambrix (reimbursement for materials to build hitching post) \$26.29, United States Treasury \$721.64, State of Michigan \$352.43, and Sheila Lingle (mileage) \$44.80.

Gary Lambrix made a motion to approve bills and payroll in the amount of \$14,625.47, seconded by Brian Carey II. Roll call: Brian Carey II – yes, Sheila Lingle – yes, Phil Stier – yes, Gary Lambrix -yes, Michelle Lewis – yes. Motion Carries.

**7. Public Comment:**

- Ray Steinke – correction that the mental health funding is not yet available as stated in last month’s minutes but that it will be available.
- Inquired about how many flags are placed at the cemeteries in honor of veterans, 13 dozen. Asked the cost per flag, \$2.50. Thought that Hinton received theirs at better rate. Phil stated we would look into where Hinton got their flags from.

**8. Reports:**

**County Commissioner Report per Ray Steinke:** They have been working on the junk ordinance on the corner of 155<sup>TH</sup> north of 5 Mile, Phil Stier stated that he has been sending several pictures around the Township in. The County Sherriff’s Department will be receiving 6 new cars. Brady Lake is getting a new dam for \$135,000.

**Assessor Report:** Absent

**9. Unfinished Business:**

There was no unfinished business to discuss at this time.

**10. New Business:**

**A. Brine C.O.P Pull**

Phil Stier made a motion that he would get hold of Tim Nestle about brining the driveways at the C.O.P with the understanding that we would get 100% reimbursement from the Celebration on the Pond Board, seconded by Gary Lambrix. Roll call: Gary Lambrix -yes, Phil Stier -yes, Brian Carey II -yes, Sheila Lingle -yes, Michelle Lewis -yes. Motion Carries.

11. Meeting Adjourned at 7:25 pm by Supervisor, Phil Stier.