

Clinton County, MI 6843 Alward Road Laingsburg, MI Approved Board Minutes from April 11, 2023

The regular meeting of Victor Township was called to order by Supervisor Conklin at 7:03 pm and the pledge to the flag was given. **Attendance:** Present: Townsend, Willoughby, Prange, Conklin, Fickes. Absent: None 8 citizens in attendance.

Public Comment: Tammy Ashley requested that we post criminal activity in Victor Township on Facebook

Approval of Agenda: Motion by Prange to approve the April 11, 2023 agenda with the addition of Round Lake public alleys and addressing Victor Township's position on County Planning and Zoning. Supported by Willoughby. All in favor. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes: Motion by Willoughby to the approve the March 14, 2023 regular meeting minutes. Supported by Townsend. All in favor. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Motion by Prange to accept the April 11, 2023 treasurer's report. Supported by Townsend. All in favor. Motion carried.

Approval of bills: Motion by Willoughby to pay the April 11, 2023 bills. Supported by Townsend. All in favor. Motion carried. Checks# 28769-28783 in the amount of \$28,774.45.

Motion by Willoughby to disburse April 11, 2023 payroll and related payroll expenses. Supported by Townsend. All in favor. Motion carried. Checks# 12446-12453 in the amount of \$7,141.35.

Victor Township Planning Commission: The next meeting of the Victor Township Planning Commission will be May 3, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. at the Victor Township Hall, 6843 Alward Rd., Laingsburg, MI 48848.

Motion by Prange to appoint Tyler Malkin to the Victor Township Planning Commission to fill the vacancy on the board. Supported by Conklin. Discussion followed. 4 Ayes, 1 No. Motion carried.

Motion by Townsend to follow Victor Township policy on the removal of the fence at Stilson Cemetery and allow T. Ashley to remove and dispose of the fence. Supported by Conklin. All in favor. Motion carried.

Maintenance Report: Lights were repaired at the Reed Church and Dennison School.

Unfinished Business:

- **Broadband**: Discussion on ongoing progress concerning Broadband in the County and Township with Adam Smiddy (Clinton County) by Zoom. Clinton County will receive information on their grant application sometime in May 2023.
- **Township Insurance Policy:** Motion by Willoughby to extend Victor Township's insurance policy with Michigan Township Par Plan (Burnham & Flower) April 2023-April 2024. Supported by Fickes. All in favor. Motion carried.

- Round Lake Public Alleys: Mark Burkhart had questions regarding the 3 public alleys at Round Lake. There was no information on ownership of the alleys. To move forward the issue will have to go through Circuit Court. Victor Township is not pursuing the matter through the court system.
- New Business:
- **Devault Lot request:** According to the Victor Township Cemetery Rules and Regulations, the Township cannot assign lots or graves for free. Persons must produce legal documentation if there are questions regarding grave assignments.
- Township Planning and Zoning: Motion by Fickes to have <u>Clinton County Planning and Zoning</u> continue with the Township's planning and zoning and to support the moratorium on clean energy. Supported by Willoughby. All in favor. Motion carried.
- Motion by Conklin to adjourn at 8:29 pm. Supported by Fickes. All in favor. Motion carried.

Lianne Prange, Victor Township Clerk