

**Minutes of the Regular Meeting
Of the
Robinson Township Board of Trustees
Held April 16, 2014 at 7:30 P.M.**

Present:

Tracy Mulligan
Jackie Frye
Bonnie Hayward
Bernice Berens
Travis Vugteveen

Absent:

None

Also Present:

Greg DeJong - Ottawa County Commissioner
Ron Bultje-Attorney
Alex Doty - Grand Haven Tribune Reporter
Several Robinson Township employees and residents.

Tracy Mulligan opened the meeting. Trustee Berens gave the invocation and that was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

The March minutes of 3/5/14, 3/6/14, 3/12/14 and 3/25/14 were approved

The agenda was approved with one addition:

Field Markers for the Park to be #12 on the agenda.

Greg DeJong gave his remarks concerning the Tech Forum he attended. He congratulated the Grand Haven High School on winning the Science Olympiad. He gave a report showing that Ottawa County had been named the healthiest county in Michigan. He also reminded us about the role of the County's 211 number which is a valuable resource for our residents in need.

Hayward made a motion to approve \$100.00 for the cost of mile markers to be placed on the walking trail in the Park. This is being done by Boy Scout John Kleinskel as an Eagle Scout project. Berens seconded the motion and it was approved.

Vugteveen made a motion to have the Supervisor to sign the contract with LSL Planners to assist the Planning Commission with the update to the General Development Plan at a cost of \$28,000.00 with additional options available if needed. Hayward supported the motion. A roll call vote was taken: Ayes: Frye, Mulligan, Hayward, and Vugteveen, and, Berens. The motion carried.

Berens made a motion supported by Vugteveen to adopt Ordinance No. 2014-04-01 which amends Section 3 of the previously adopted Truck Route Ordinance with the addition of

subsection (g) and (h) adding Northbound and Southbound 120 Ave from Lake Michigan Drive to Lincoln Street, and Westbound and Eastbound Lincoln from 144th Ave to 120th Ave. Roll call vote with all members voting aye. Ordinance approved. Notice of adoption must be published within 30 days.

Berens made a motion to approve resolution *2014-04-13 Concerning Earth Change Ordinance Requirements for MDOT and its Contractors for the Construction of the M-231 Project*. Vugteveen supported the motion. A roll call vote was taken with all members voting aye. The resolution was approved.

Hayward made a motion to un-table to Fire Millage Renewal wording. Berens supported the motion and it was approved.

Hayward made a motion to approve resolution 2014-14-12. This is a resolution approving the wording of the *Fire Department Millage Renewal Proposition* to be placed on the August 5, 2014 ballot. Berens seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken with all members voting aye. The motion carried.

Hayward made a motion to approve an additional \$900.00 to repair the Township's lawnmower. Frye supported the motion. A roll call vote was taken with all members voting aye. The motion was approved.

Frye made a motion to approve a \$158.34 additional expense for the MTA Conference attendance by the Supervisor. Vugteveen supported the motion. A roll call vote was taken. Ayes: Hayward, Vugteveen, Hayward, Frye and Mulligan. Nays: Berens. The motion carried.

Hayward made a motion to approve the contract ("Grant of License") for the Young Bucs baseball team to use Robinson Township Park. Berens seconded the motion and it was approved.

Hayward made a motion to replace up to 6 computers and purchase new software for the Township hall at a cost of \$8,000.00 through Addorio Technologies. Frye supported the motion. A roll call vote was taken with all members voting aye. The motion carried.

Frye made a motion to table the resurfacing of the tennis court in the park until new price quotes could be obtained. Hayward seconded the motion and it was approved.

Hayward made a motion to table the Residential Change of Ownership Forms until the May Meeting. Vugteveen supported the motion. A roll call vote was taken with all members voting aye. The motion carried.

Berens made a motion to approve the purchase of a Soccer Marksman Lining kit for the Park not to exceed \$300.00. Hayward supported the motion. A roll call vote was taken with all members voting aye. The motion passed.



Frye made a motion to table the purchase of a dump trailer for use by maintenance until more quotes could be received and presented at the May meeting. Hayward supported the motion and it was approved.

Vugteveen made a motion to send a letter of support for the Tiger Grant Ottawa County is attempting to secure. Frye supported the motion and it was approved.

Discussions were held on road brining, VFIS payments to the Fire Department.

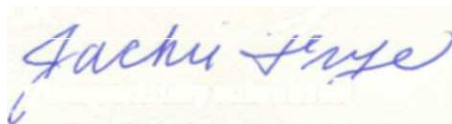
A resident handed out a letter and asked several questions of the Supervisor.

Berens made a motion to pay the bills. Vugteveen supported the motion and the motion was approved.

The reports are on file.

Vugteveen made a motion to adjourn. Frye seconded the motion and it was approved. The

meeting adjourned at 10:10 P.M. .



Respectfully submitted
Jackie S. Frye
Robinson Township Clerk