

**Minutes of the Regular Meeting
Of the
Robinson Township Board of Trustees
Held 09/10/2014 at 7:30**

Present:

Tracy Mulligan
Jackie Frye
Bonnie Hayward
Bernice Berens
Travis Vugteveen

Absent:

None

Also Present:

Greg DeJong – OC Commissioner
Brad Slagh – OC Treasurer
Tom Schultz – RTFD
Christine Miller – OC Fiscal Services
7 members of the public

Supervisor Mulligan opened the meeting with updates on the M-231 Bypass. An invocation was given by Trustee Berens and The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Vugteveen made a motion to approve the August minutes. Berens supported the motion and it was approved.

Vugteveen made a motion to approve the agenda. Berens supported the motion and it was approved.

Commissioner DeJong gave a review and update of Ottawa County's Board of Commissioners tour of the M-231 project including the new bridge. He pointed out that it will be Michigan's 7th longest bridge.

Christine Miller from Ottawa County Fiscal Services handed out pamphlets and did a slide presentation explaining Ottawa County's Reverse Auction program.

Brad Slagh explained the Land Bank Auction. Using slides he explained the way delinquent taxes are handled, by local government and Ottawa County.

Vugteveen made a motion to accept the Planning Commission recommendations and set a Public Hearing date of October 8, 2014 at 7:30p.m. for Phil Crum's Riverside Storage Special Use. Frye supported the motion and it was approved.

Frye made a motion to approve resolution 2014-09-24, to amend the Fire budget. Berens supported the motion. Roll call vote was taken with all members voting yes. Resolution was approved.

Berens suggested a possible "chip and seal" application for the Township Hall parking lot. Supervisor Mulligan said she would look into it.

Discussions were held on the current plan for paving Winans Street. Several residents asked questions and were unhappy with the project, especially the drainage issues and road widening.

Supervisor Mulligan suggested that she could meet with Joe Bush and Jeff Mossotto and discuss these issues. She also thought it would be a good idea for some members of the board to walk the properties to better visualize the problems.

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

The reports are on file.

Vugteveen made a motion to adjourn. Berens seconded the motion and the meeting adjourned at 8:59 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

**Jackie S. Frye
Robinson Township Clerk**