

**MEETING OF THE ROBINSON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
HELD MARCH 19, 2012 AT 7:30 P.M.**

**PRESENT:**

TRACEY MULLIGAN  
JACKIE FRYE  
BONNIE HAYWARD  
JOHN KUYERS  
BERNICE BERENS

**ABSENT:**

NONE

**ALSO PRESENT:**

PAUL AND MARCIA VANVELZEN  
BILL MASCHEWSKE  
KATHY KUCK  
JERRY MARSHALL  
TOM SCHULTZ  
AL OCHOA  
MIGUEL OCHOA  
3 MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

SUPERVISOR MULLIGAN CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER. JOHN KUYERS OFFERED THE INVOCATION AND THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE WAS RECITED.

KUYERS MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE FEBRUARY MINUTES AS WRITTEN. BERENS SUPPORTED THE MOTION AND IT WAS APPROVED.

HAYWARD MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE AGENDA AS PRESENTED. KUYERS SUPPORTED THE MOTION AND IT WAS APPROVED.

SUPERVISOR MULLIGAN READ A PROCLAMATION OF GRATITUDE TO JERRY MARSHALL, HONORING HIS 30 YEARS OF SERVICE WITH THE ROBINSON TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT. SHE PRESENTED HIM WITH A PLAQUE AND THANKED HIM ON BEHALF OF THE TOWNSHIP BOARD AND CITIZENS OF ROBINSON TOWNSHIP FOR HIS SERVICE.

THE RODMAN REZONING ISSUE WAS DISCUSSED. THIS WOULD CHANGE PARCEL #70 08 24 300 063 FROM B2-RR TO B2 AS RECOMMENDED BY THE PLANNING COMMISSION.

HAYWARD MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE ZONING CHANGE WITH THE 3 CONDITIONS AS PUT FORTH BY THE PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES OF 03/21/2012. BERENS SECONDED THE MOTION. A ROLL CALL VOTE WAS TAKEN. AYES: KUYERS, MULLIGAN, BERENS, FRYE AND HAYWARD. THE MOTION CARRIED.

A & L FARM'S REQUEST TO HAVE A RESTAURANT ON THEIR PROPERTY ALONG WITH THEIR FARMER'S MARKET WAS DISCUSSED. KUYERS MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE WITH THE STIPULATION THAT A FINANCIAL REPORT OF GROSS SALES BE SUBMITTED TO THE TOWNSHIP

EVERY YEAR BEGINNING MAY 1, 2013 AND THAT ALL RULES AND STIPULATIONS BE CARRIED OUT. FRYE SUPPORTED THE MOTION. A ROLL CALL VOTE WAS TAKEN. AYES: BERENS, FRYE, MULLIGAN, HAYWARD, AND KUYERS. THE MOTION WAS APPROVED.

A SMOKE FREE RULE FOR ROBINSON TOWNSHIP PARK WAS DISCUSSED. IT WAS DECIDED THAT IT WOULD BE TOO HARD TO ENFORCE AT THIS TIME.

BERENS MADE A MOTION TO ALLOW THE BOARD OF REVIEW TO ACCEPT WRITTEN LETTERS OF APPEAL FROM ROBINSON TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS. HAYWARD SUPPORTED THE MOTION AND IT CARRIED.

THE NEED FOR A NEW PHONE SYSTEM WAS ADDRESSED. IT WAS DECIDED TO CHECK MORE PRICE OPTIONS BEFORE DECIDING.

BERENS MADE A MOTION TO HIRE JENNY SIAS TO BE TRAINED AS AN ELECTION ASSISTANT. WITH STARTING PAY TO BE \$10.65 PER HOUR DURING TRAINING. KUYERS SUPPORTED THE MOTION AND IT WAS APPROVED.

ISSUES CONCERNING THE BIDS AND WELL ISSUES FOR THE BUILDING OF THE NEW ADDITION TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENT WERE DISCUSSED.

RON BULTJE WILL DRAFT A LETTER FOR THE BUILDING INSPECTOR IN REGARD TO BUILDINGS BEING BUILT WITHOUT A BUILDING PERMIT.

KUYERS MADE A MOTION TO PAY THE BILLS. BERENS SUPPORTED THE MOTION AND IT WAS APPROVED.

HAYWARD MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN. KUYERS SECONDED IT AND THE MEETING ADJOURNED AT 8:40.

THE REPORTS ARE ON FILE.

**RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED  
JACKIE S. FRYE  
ROBINSON TOWNSHIP CLERK**