

**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE
ROBINSON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES
HELD 01/12/11 AT 9:30 A.M.**

PRESENT:

TRACY MULLIGAN
JACKIE FRYE
BONNIE HAYWARD
JOHN KUYERS
BERNICE BERENS

ALSO PRESENT:

ATTORNEY RON BULTJE
1 MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC

SUPERVISOR MULLIGAN OPENED THE MEETING. KUYERS GAVE AN INVOCATION THAT WAS FOLLOWED BY THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

THE PARK BROCHURE WAS DISCUSSED WITH SUGGESTIONS FROM BOARD MEMBERS FOR CHANGES.

KUYERS MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE ORDINANCE # 2011-01-01 TO ESTABLISH A ROUTE APPROVED FOR TRUCK TRAFFIC FROM WESTBOUND FILLMORE STREET. 96TH AVENUE TO 144TH AVENUE. BERENS SUPPORTED THE MOTION AND A ROLL CALL VOTE WAS TAKEN. AYES: FRYE, MULLIGAN, HAYWARD, BERENS AND KUYERS. NAYS: NONE. THE MOTION WAS APPROVED.

BERENS MADE A MOTION THAT WAS SUPPORTED BY FRYE TO APPROVE THE SCHOOL TAX COLLECTION FOR ZEELAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2.87 PER PARCEL. A ROLL CALL VOTE WAS TAKEN. AYES: BERENS, KUYERS, MULLIGAN, HAYWARD AND FRYE. NAYS: NONE. THE MOTION CARRIED.

THE MEDICAL MARIHUANA MORATORIUM WAS DISCUSSED. IF THE PLANNING COMMISSION HAS NOT GIVEN A RECOMMENDATION BY THE TIME THAT THE MORATORIUM IS EXPIRED IT MAY BE EXTENDED UP TO AN ADDITIONAL 12 MONTHS. THE ATTORNEY ADVISED NOT TO EXTEND IT MORE THAN 3 MONTHS AND ONLY IF NEEDED.

KUYERS MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE REVISED CONTRACT BETWEEN ROBINSON TOWNSHIP AND IMPERIAL MUNICIPAL SERVICES RETRO ACTIVE TO 01/01/11. WHEN DOUG HOPKINS IS AVAILABLE IT WILL BE DISCUSSED AND REVIEWED FOR ANY POSSIBLE CHANGES THAT MAY BE DONE AT THE NEXT MEETING. FRYE SUPPORTED THE MOTION. A ROLL CALL VOTE WAS TAKEN: AYES: HAYWARD, FRYE, MULLIGAN, KUYERS AND BERENS. NAYS: NONE. THE MOTION WAS APPROVED.

BERENS MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE CLASSES, MILEAGE AND LUNCHESES FOR UP TO 5 MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REVIEW. FRYE SUPPORTED THE MOTION AND IT CARRIED.

BUILDING AND ZONING VIOLATIONS WERE DISCUSSED. ISSUES CONCERNING THE ZONING DEPARTMENT THAT WERE NOT BEING LOOKED INTO WERE LISTED. THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR JOINED THE MEETING AND DISCUSSIONS WERE HELD CONCERNING PROBLEMS AND CONCERNS BOARD MEMBERS HAVE IN REGARD TO THE ZONING DEPARTMENT.

KUYERS MADE A MOTION THAT THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS TO BE PLACED ON A 30 DAY PROBATION AND THAT A NOTEBOOK BE ESTABLISHED AND LEFT AT THE FRONT DESK. THIS IS TO CONTAIN ZONING ISSUES AND COMPLAINTS AS THEY OCCUR. IT IS TO INCLUDE THE DATE EACH ISSUE IS RESOLVED. HAYWARD SECONDED THE MOTION. A ROLL CALL VOTE WAS TAKEN: AYES: HAYWARD, BERENS, MULLIGAN, KUYERS, AND FRYE. NAYS: NONE. THE MOTION WAS APPROVED.

BERENS GAVE A REPORT ON THE LAST MEETING HELD BY THE PARK BOARD. THE REQUEST FOR THE THREE ON THREE ONE DAY BASEBALL TOURNAMENT WAS DISCUSSED. IT WAS AGREED THAT THE TOURNAMENT COULD BE HELD IN THE TOWNSHIP PARK WITH AN ADDITION TO THE EXISTING CONTRACT AND THE SCHEDULED DATE MUST BE CLEARED WITH THE TOWNSHIP OFFICE. THE FEE WILL BE \$1.00 PER PLAYER.

THE REPORTS ARE ON FILE.

KUYERS MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN. BERENS SUPPORTED THE MOTION AND THE MEETING ADJOURNED AT 11:12 A.M.

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