

AVERY TOWNSHIP BOARD  
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

August 5, 2020

Supervisor Thom Seymour called the regular monthly meeting of the Avery Township Board to order at the Avery Township Hall with the Pledge to the American Flag at 6:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL: Jean Angell, Treasurer; Thom Seymour, Supervisor; Ann Seymour, Clerk; Dawn Dobbyn Trustee; Gary McMurphy, Trustee.

GUESTS: Judge Ed Meaghan Black, and Mrs. Meaghan Black Alpena, Michigan.

Motion by Jena Angell, seconded by Gary McMurphy to accept the minutes of the July 7, 2020 Regular month meeting as submitted. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion by Ann Seymour, seconded by Dawn Dobbyn to accept the Treasurer's report as submitted. All in favor, motion carried.

Judge Ed Black addressed the Board stating that he was running for re-election for District Judge. He supplied background information on he and his family and their ties to Northern Michigan and the Alpena/ Montmorency County area. And asked for our support for in the upcoming November election.

Motion by Dawn Dobbyn, seconded by Gary McMurphy to pay vouchers #4152-4179 inclusive totaling \$6,692.20. All in favor, motion carried.

Motion by Jean Angell, seconded by Gary McMurphy to pay the statement from the Montmorency County Road Commission for our share of the 2020 Brining contract. All in favor, motion carried.

DESIGNATED ASSESSOR: Supervisor Seymour addressed the Board regarding the eight Townships agreeing on a designated Assessor for the County and explained the purpose for doing so. They Township Supervisors and 6 of the 8 township Supervisors and 2 County Commissioners held a meeting Supervisor Seymour is organizing these meetings and will keep us updated on the progress.

AIRPORT REPORT: Given by Jean Angell.

AMBULANCE REPORT: Given by Thom Seymour. Have hired and EMT and interviewed one Paramedic.

BOARD OF REVIEW; Ground rules have been changed by the State due to Covid. Protests can now be held at the July BOR meetings by appointment only, and that townships can now hold BOR jointly with another township.

CEMETERY REPORT: By Ann Seymour

ELECTION REPORT: By Ann Seymor

FIRE DEPT. REPORT: Given by Dawn Dobbyn.

PARK REPORT: Supervisor ordered signs and will be looking into the purchase of a trail cam to monitor the vandalism at the park.

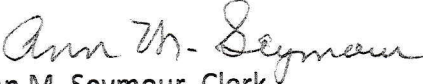
PLANNING COMMISSION: Supervisor heard from Denise Klein from NEMCOG and they have received the contract from Rust Township Covid had interrupted the progress of everyone's schedule.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

CORRESPONDENCE: Read and returned to the Clerk for filing and disposition.

There being no further business at hand the meeting was adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Ann M. Seymour, Clerk