

San Francisco Township Monthly Meeting – October 18th, 2016

The monthly meeting of the San Francisco Township Board was held on September 19th. Board members convened at 6:45 to review accounts payable and authorize payments.

Chairman Doug Weber called the business meeting to order at 7:00. The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance. Present were Board members, Doug Weber, Larry Schmidt, Kevin Lundquist, Treasurer Denise Andersen, Clerk Heidi Schmidt and 4 residents.

The September minutes were reviewed. There was discussion on the mining permit across the road. It is not closed (as stated in minutes) by the county until the restoration work is done. August minutes approved with this amendment. They will be posted on the website. Treasurer reported \$120,718.29 in checking and \$268,141.23 in CDs. Report was accepted.

Planning and Zoning

Bob Olson has applied for a CUP for horse boarding on Bob SR's property. The property is already zoned Ag so the township needs only approve the road use for the CUP. Already approved at July meeting. Doug will sign off on County papers.

There have been more complaints on Nathan Rd of dogs and animals running loose. We do not have any animal restrictions. After word of an application for a dog kennel maybe we should have something in place. If we did how would we enforce them? Doug will research what other townships do. Brad Kerber with application for driveway on Red Roan. He will put in a 16" culvert. Application approved. \$40 fee not collected. We should mail the signed permit.

New Business:

Mining:

Doug visited Hanson mine today.

Road and Bridge Report:

- Kevin has additions to the Rapids Lake Rd pavement request. Doug will edit it and submit a final copy for November meeting. Due in December.
- Road Maintenance list was reviewed.
 - Add Kelly Lake culvert needs reflectors

Notes from the clerk:

- Election Nov 8th. Training done for judges. Town hall floors looking good after refinisher put on.
- There is a County planning meeting focusing on "granny pods"
- We have ordinances: 4,6,8 & 11 in our book. Does anyone know of others?

Old Business:

Doug, Denise and Heidi met with Andres about the website. He has set up a draft/demo version. It will cost \$14/mo to host. Andrew is looking into getting our San Francisco Township domain back. We could use a shortened version.

Maidie wants to wait with the 2040 Met Council plan until the county is done revising it.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:48 pm

Respectfully submitted by,

Heidi Schmidt - San Francisco Township Clerk