

Custer Township Regular Meeting Minutes

December 18, 2023

Tom Trenner called the Custer Township regular meeting to order at 1:30pm. Members presents besides Tom were Larry Larr, Trustee; Carey Jolly, Treasurer and Staci Wood, Clerk, members not present were George Allison, Trustee.

The minutes for the November Custer Township regular meeting were presented for review, with no changes or discussion, Larry Larr made a motion to approve the minutes as presented, Carey Jolly seconded. Ayes=4 Nays=0 motion carried.

Staci Wood presented the bills for review, with no changes or discussion Larry Larr made a motion to approve the payables report as presented, Carey Jolly seconded. Ayes=4 Nays=0 motion carried.

Visitor's: Ron Bacon with nothing to report at this time. Mary from the Mason County Road Commission came to introduce Steve Wessel whom will replacing Mary January 1 2024. She came to speak about the quote on Stephens Road that was presented to the board in the amount of \$43,733.67. The board is asking the road commission if we could split this or come up with a better agreement to help lower the cost before we agree with the contract. Tom is going to meet with Steve at the Road Commission to discuss this quote and bring it back for board review at the next meeting.

Clerk's Report:

Staci Wood stated that she had contacted the two people that had interest in the trustee position and asked them to come in for interviews after the monthly board meeting.

Stated that there will be one more cremation and one more full burial this week and then the Cemetery will be closed until spring for burials.

She stated that she received another bill for Republic Services and she called them again for the third time to let them know that we ended the service for the season the end of October. Republic services stated that they had nothing in their records of the stop service. I asked her to please give us a stop service effective October 31, 2024 and asked for a confirmation number for reference of this change. Republic Services stated that we could disregard the statement. Staci also requested they put in a restart date of the first week of June 2024 for the season.

Staci stated that she is going to starting to work on the upcoming election in February and is still as of now only responsible for the Vat testing for the nine days early election which is scheduled for the end of January.

Treasure's Report:

Carey Jolly stated that the transition from Supervisor Mark Anderson to Supervisor Tom Trenner so far has gone very well. She stated that she canceled Marks credit Card and has issued a new one to Tom. Carey and Staci worked on Tom's Laptop and got Quickbooks read only on it so he can review the budgets.

Carey stated we received the payment from the City of Scottville for the 425 agreements.

Taxes were sent out on December 1,2023; mortgage companies received their parcels as well.

Carey stated she has done some updating to the website she added the dates and times she will be at the hall to receive tax payments.

February 14th will be the last day to get tax payments in before delinquent.

Carey will be in the office on Tuesday December 26th, February14th from 9am to 5pm to collect tax payments.

Supervisor's Report:

Tom asked about the budget and Staci presented the board with the updated budget for review. Tom stated that if anyone on the board needed to get ahold of him, we could call or text at any time.

Tom stated that Larry Crawford will be the new board of review member to replace himself. Tom will sign Larry up for the training he will need.

Old Business: none to report

New Business: The first round of interviews will begin today after the meeting for the Trustee position.

With no other business presented to the board at this time Larry Larr made the motion to adjourn, Carey Jolly seconded Ayes =4 Nays =0 motion carried. Next meeting is January 15,2024

Respectfully Submitted,