

## DECATUR TOWNSHIP

The regular meeting of the Decatur Township Board was held on Thursday, December 10, 2020. All trustees were present and there was 1 guest.

Matthew Kusmack took the Oath of Office at the beginning of the meeting.

The minutes from the November 12, 2020 regular meeting were reviewed and motion to approve them was made by Katelin Makay and supported by Matt Kusmack. Vote, all yes.

The Clerk submitted a listing of current bills and motion to approve them for payment was made by Kevin Kusmack and supported by Thomas Stull. Vote, all yes.

The Treasurer submitted her November reports, and they were reviewed and motion to accept them was made by Tom Stull and supported by Katie Hartwell. Vote, all yes.

The Supervisor gave his report, which included an update from Consumer's Energy, a report from Drain Commissioner, easement issue on Austin Blvd as well as a Road Commission issue on CR 669/79<sup>th</sup> Ave. A motion was made to hire Bauckham, Sparks, Thall, Seeber & Kaufman PC as our township lawyer by Kevin Kusmack, and supported by Katelin Makay. Roll call vote, all yes.

The Supervisor received the Drain Assessment from Van Buren County Drain Commissioner. Approved payment of 4248.06.

There were no reports from Zoning Administrator or County Commissioner or Senior Activities.

Van Buren Sheriff Department report was given and there were no questions.

Katelin Makay presented a credit card policy and resolution 2020-8 to allow the usage of a Township credit card for the purchase of good and services for the Township. The motion to approve the policy and resolution was made by Kevin Kusmack and supported by Tom Stull. Roll call vote, all yes.

Katelin Makay presented resolution 2020-9 to allow the Township to accept credit card payments for tax bills. The motion was made by Matt Kusmack and supported by Katie Hartwell. Roll call vote, all yes.

Katelin Makay presented the request for impressed cash of \$100 for the purposes of tax collection. The motion to approve was made by Kevin Kusmack and supported by Tom Stull. Roll call vote, all yes.

With no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 7:22 p.m.

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Katie Hartwell, Township Clerk