

Bethany Township

Minutes for Regular Meeting on July 12, 2022

Present: Fowler, Howd, Mikek, Devine, Humm

Others: Teeter, Ralph Echtenaw

Meeting called to order by Mikek at 7:00 pm.

- Howd read minutes for the June 12th meeting – motion to accept by Fowler, 2nd by Humm– Motion Carried
- Fowler reviewed bills – motion to pay bills by Howd, 2nd by Humm – Motion carried
- Public comment:
 - Ralph Echtenaw – introduce self for Commission. Looked at website – add agenda, email database of township residents so they know what is going on. Looking to grow his email listing to be able to share information with those who live within his district.
- Mikek
 - Web design
 - Meet with STG via zoom
 - If anyone has any pictures from the township, please get them to Greg or Tracy and we will get submitted.
 - Picture of hall
 - Potential for township specific emails
 - Picture of inside of hall
 - Brine will be done end of the week
 - Couple of calls regarding turkey poop along Baldwin– need to contact Dept of Agriculture
 - We can not enforce due to Right to Farm
 - Fire issue – Royce Road – neighbor burning – told her to call Bill Cody at Fire Department
 - Land division ok'd by Planning Commission – State & Country Line – one setback is within 6" of our 20;. Motion to accept by Devine, 2nd by Fowler, Motion carried – Mieke will get it to Doug
- Fowler
 - No Arpa funds yet
 - Received additional contact information to get Census 2022 corrected
- Teeter
 - No permits issued
 - Mikek – not a requirement to live in township to be zoning, so he may continue if he moves
- Humm
 - Planning – triple amount of people to voice opposition to solar
 - Approved land division
- Devine
 - Smith Farm

- One area has not been cleared yet.
 - Other areas look really nice
- Waste Authority
 - Wheeler is going with WM as well – not sure on recycling
 - Working on drafting contracts
 - Exec Board meeting next week with vote meeting the following week
 - Officially will start Jan 1, 2023
 - He should have contract at Aug meeting
 - Option to purchase extra bins, if needed
- Howd
 - Primary Election August 2nd

Motion adjourned at 7:50 pm