

MARILLA TOWNSHIP BOARD
Regular Meeting
Thursday, December 11, 2014
Marilla Township Hall
Approved Minutes

Pledge of Allegiance: said at 7 pm, regular meeting called to order by Supervisor Neil Crawford

Roll Call: Supervisor Neil Crawford, Clerk Rebekah Johnson, Treasurer Patricia Ellis, Trustee Phyllis Cholette and Trustee David Barrett

Constant Agenda: Minutes for October Election Commission, Regular meeting, Special meeting and bills for October/November were approved

Public Comment: Matt Villanuem asks for ATV ordinance for Marilla Township. Terry Cholette asks to place plaque in hall acknowledging volunteers with exemplary service, Township Board agrees. Planning Commission has appointed Louis Hughes as Marilla Township representative at Manistee County Planning Commission

Clerk: Motion made by Rebekah to discontinue dsl internet service at the township hall; seconded by Dave. Four in favor; Phyllis opposed; motion carried. Motion by Rebekah to discontinue telephone service at the township hall; motion dropped. Motion by Rebekah for township to receive \$0.25 per copy for use of the copier; seconded by Patricia. Four in favor, Phyllis opposed; motion carried.

Trustees: Neil made motion to continue open hours on Thursday, 4-7 pm, until the next meeting in Feb; seconded by Dave. All in favor; none opposed; motion carried.

Supervisor: Neil made motion to accept the contract for service of Maple Grove Township EMS and Fire Protection for the next 3 years at \$12,000; seconded by Rebekah Johnson. All in favor; none opposed; motion carried. Phyllis made motion to adopt the Resolution for Poverty Exemption; seconded by Dave. Roll call vote: Aye: Neil Crawford, David Barrett, Phyllis Cholette, Patricia Ellis, Rebekah Johnson; Nay: none; motion carried. Motion made by Neil to appoint Jeff Franz, Bill Martin, Louis Hughes and Charles Bennett-alternate to Board of Review; seconded by Dave. All in favor; none opposed; motion carried. Motion made by Neil to remove short wall and dispose of material, when weather permits; seconded by Dave. All in favor; none opposed; motion carried. Neil made motion to adopt Land Division Ordinance; seconded by Phyllis Cholette. All in favor; none opposed; motion carried. Rebekah made motion to gather more information on the 7 acres before making decision to sell; seconded by Pat. All in favor; none opposed; motion carried.

Adjourned: by Supervisor at 8:20 pm. The next meeting is February 12, 2015 at 7 pm

Minutes prepared by
Rebekah Johnson, Marilla Township Clerk

Neil Crawford, Marilla Township Supervisor