

Board Meeting  
November 12, 2024  
Kawkawlin Township Board

Board met at 6:00 pm to review bills and payroll.

Trustee Campbell said a prayer.

**Call Meeting to Order**—Davidson called meeting to order at 7:00 pm with the pledge to the flag.

**Roll Call of Officers**—Present: DeShano, Campbell, Kruse, Klass, Davidson

**Minutes of October 15th-Motion** made by Campbell /Davidson to approve Minutes from October 15th  
**Passed**

**Treasurer's Report—Motion** made by Davidson/Kruse to accept Treasurer's report. Yes: Davidson, Campbell, DeShano, Klass, Kruse **Passed**

**Fire Department Report**—Chief Bernreuter reported; new gear has been ordered, fire rescue truck will be in need for new tires soon, received \$1500.00 grant for traffic control equipment and department has 1 bid for garage doors and is waiting for more bids.

**Recreation Report**—Trustee Campbell spoke of the ribbon cutting ceremony for the Scenic Point and that handicap toilet and signage to come. He also talked about the tree lighting at Bicentennial Park in Linwood on December 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**Hall Report**—None.

**Bills and Payroll for approval—Motion** made by DeShano/Davidson to approve Payroll. Yes: Klass, Campbell, Kruse, DeShano, Davidson **Passed**

**Motion** made by Campbell/Davidson to approve Bills with the correction of account where the credit card will be paid and excluding the bill for G&M Services. Yes: Kruse, DeShano, Klass, Campbell, Davidson **Passed**

**Communications**— A. Building Report-report was given to all members.

B. Zoning Report- None

C. Campbell received 2 sealed bids for Mable Street, to be opened in Unfinished Business

D. Campbell also had a flyer for the BCTOA Swearing in ceremony on Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> at Bangor Twp. Hall

**Motion** made by Davidson/DeShano to accept Communications **Passed**

**Public Input (3 min. limit, not Q & A session)-**

1. Brad Eddy-1890 S. Huron Rd.-spoke of his trash assessment refund, his FOIA request, and the garnishment of his account for the \$8,000.00 plus interest judgement the courts awarded the Township in March 2024.
2. Jeff Bucholtz-1640 S. Huron Rd.- has a complaint with Republic Waste
3. Steve Gray- 3350 Barnet-criticized Fraser Township officials and spoke highly of Brad Eddy
4. Ron Penix- 53 Linwood Beach – spoke of his qualities and was surprised police needed to be called on him

**Unfinished Business-**

- A. Mable Street-Campbell opened a sealed bid from Smith Line Striping and Sealcoating for \$7,000.00 and a bid from L.M. Satkowiak for \$7,200.00. **Motion** made by Campbell/DeShano to go with L.M. Satkowiak to repair Mable Street. Yes: Campbell No: Davidson, Klass, Kruse, DeShano **Did Not Pass**

**Motion** made by DeShano/Davidson to accept Satkowiak's bid pending confirmation with Road Commission that Mable Street is on the Road certification map. Yes: Davidson, Klass, Kruse, DeShano, Campbell **Passed**

**Motion** made by Campbell/DeShano to have Mable Street surveyed if it is found not to be on certification map Yes:Klass, Kruse, DeShano, Campbell, Davidson **Passed**

#### **New Business-**

A. Custodian pay request-**Motion** made by DeShano/Campbell to table request and to do RFP with specific guidelines **Passed**

B. Supervisor's office desk-Davidson will remove desk

C. Trash Assessment- **Motion** made by Davidson/Campbell to accept list of adjustments to the trash assessments along with removing the second assessment on the address 2587 Cottage Grove owned by Anne Trask. Yes: Campbell, DeShano, Davidson, Kruse, Klass **Passed**

D. Garnishment negotiation-**Motion** made by Davidson/Campbell to table the negotiations and Eddy's trash assessment refund for next Board to handle. Yes: Klass, Kruse, Campbell, DeShano, Davidson **Passed**

E. Smith & Brooker resignation- **Motion** made by Campbell/DeShano to remove Smith & Brooker as Township attorney firm at 12:01am on November 13, 2024 and all documents be turned over and nothing to be destroyed Yes: DeShano, Campbell No: Davidson, Klass, Kruse **Did Not Pass**

**Motion** made by Davidson/Kruse to accept Smith & Brooker's resignation as of November 20<sup>th</sup> with all records turned over to Township by 12:01pm Yes: Kruse, Klass, Campbell, DeShano, Davidson **Passed**

F. Kawkawlin Township Assessor resignation- **Motion** made by Campbell/Davidson to accept Joan Fackler's resignation and for her to turn over access to all Township records. Yes: DeShano, Campbell, Davidson, Kruse, Klass **Passed**

G. Zoning Administrator's resignation-**Motion** made by Campbell/Davidson to accept AJ Neumann's immediate resignation as zoning administrator. Yes: Campbell, Davidson, Kruse, Klass, DeShano **Passed**

H. Farmland Act PA 116-**Motion** made by Campbell/Davidson to accept Mark & Cindy Pajot's request to have their parcel # 080-028-400-015-00 to be put into PA 116. Yes: Davidson, Kruse, Klass, Campbell, DeShano **Passed**

I. 2024 Fire Milage-Davidson reported the Fire Milage on the November 2024 ballot for a renewal of 1 mil had incorrect verbiage, so there will be a new milage request in 2025. Chief Bernreuter assured the Fire Department's services will not change.

FYI:

- A. Sheriff Report- Board members received October's report
- B. Campbell shared information about Planning Commission, a complaint made by Nancy Finkbeiner and also thanked Davidson and Klass for their service.

**Adjournment**—**Motion** to adjournment was made by Davidson/Kruse at 8:25pmpm **Passed**

**Next Board Meeting December 9, 2024 7:00 pm**