

Regular Board Meeting
Greenwood Township Hall
5589 S. 200th Ave.
Hesperia, MI. 49421
April 14th 2025
Approved 5/12/2025

1)Meeting called to order by J. Hunt @ 7:00 P.M.

2) The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

3) Roll Call: Members Present: J. Hunt, L. Hunt, A. Deater, M. Stroven and J. Kibart,
Absent: None

4) Public Comment: None

5) The Agenda was approved as amended: Amend Budget Hearing Minutes from
3/10/2025 was added to # 6
With a motion by J. Hunt supported by Deater I/F 5-0

6) The minutes from the Budget Hearing of 3/10/2025 were amended as follows: Zoning
Admin Wages 702-000 were amended to 702-703. Regular Township meeting minutes
of 3/10/2025 were amended as follows: Treasurer's salary budget was changed from
253-801 to 253-703 and the fire protection budget from 333-000 to 333-801. These were
passed with a motion by J. Hunt, supported by Kibart I/F 5-0

7) Treasurers report of 3/31/2025 was approved as presented with a motion by J. Hunt,
supported by L.Hunt I/F 5-0
a) Fund Balance \$290,057.16
b) Restricted Balance \$ 28,015.82
c) Balance available for township operations \$ 262,041.34

8) Old Business

- a) Flock Camera System: The Oceana County Sheriff's Department has offered to install the Flock camera system for 90 days free of charge, if at the end of the trial period we find that we do not want to continue using them, they will remove them at no charge to us. A motion was made by J. Hunt, supported by Stroven to accept their trial offer I/F 5-0
- b) Free Dump Days will be May 10th & September 13th From 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. or until full.
- c) Road Brine: The Board discussed the options of a single pass of brine for narrow roads that are less busy and 2 passes on heavier traffic roads, a contract with the Oceana County Road Commission will be negotiated.

9) New Business:

- a) Creating a resolution for a road millage was tabled until more information can be obtained.
- b) Lawn Mowing: A Motion was made by J. Hunt supported by Deater to retain Dennis David for lawnmowing services from May 1st thru October 31st at \$60.00 per Mowing session. I/F 5-0
- c) Insurance Renewal: A motion was made by J. Hunt, supported by Stroven to retain MML Insurance Company as our Carrier I/F 5-0
- d) Blight: We received 2 blight complaints, # 1 on the corner of Old Campground Road and 200th Ave.(8660 200th Ave) and #2 8880 Roosevelt Rd. A motion was made by J Hunt supported by L.Hunt to send a letter of violation to each recipient(Step 5) I/F 4-0 Kibart Abstained noting that he wanted to know the exact violations before voting.
- e) Fire Board : A discussion about Fire Board meeting policy was tabled until more information can be obtained.
- f) Board Assignments: A Motion was made by J. Hunt supported by Stroven to appoint Jerry Budde as a member of the Planning Commission Board, Stacey Budde as the Planning Commission Secretary and Steve Stroven as a member of the Planning Commission Board to serve a 3 year term effective 4/14/2025 to 4/13/2028 I/F 5-0
A motion was made by J. Hunt supported by Deater to appoint J. Kibart to the Zoning Board of Appeals for a 3 year term effective 4/14/2025 to 4/13/2028. Appointments for the 2 members of the Fire Board were tabled until further discussion I/f 5-0.

10) Reports:

- a) Fire Board minutes were read by A. Deater
- b) Library Board minutes were read by J. Elenbaas
- c) Planning Commission minutes were read by Gary Evans

11) Correspondence/Communications:

- a) Drain Commission/Assessments District: Newfield Drain # 1 and Newfield Drain #2 are being reassigned, some residents will be coming off and others will be put on. We can direct inquiries to Drain Commissioner Martin.

12) Bills and Payroll: Bills and Payroll were reviewed and authorized to pay with a motion by J. Hunt, supported by Deater I/F 5-0

13) Board Discussion/Comment:

- a) Greenwood Cemetery: Kibart has suggested putting up a cable across the entrance instead of a gate at this point; he has started mowing and cleaning up. He has not heard anything further on people or pricing available for this project.

14) Meeting Adjourned @ 9:00 p.m. with a motion by J. Hunt, supported by Deater I/F 5-0