

Regular Meeting September 12, 2023

Iron River Township Hall 6:00 PM

Members Present: Scott Tarsi, Supervisor; Doug Bruster, Trustee; Mike Sheehy, Trustee; Amber Laturi, Clerk; Dawn Pisoni, Treasurer.

Present: Dennis Tousignant – Legal.

Motion made by Mike Sheehy to accept the minutes of August 8th regular meeting. Motion was supported by Amber Laturi. Motion carried.

One addition to the agenda: City of Iron River agreement. Motion made by Doug Bruster to approve the agenda with the one addition. Motion supported by Mike Sheehy. Motion carried. 5-0.

Motion to approve the water purchase contract between the City of Iron River and Iron River Township for a resident Ron Beauchamp that the City of Iron River provides water service for a resident of Iron River Township. Motion made by Scott Tarsi and motion supported by Mike Sheehy. Motion carried 5-0

Patti Peretto was present and updated the board on the County.

Motion made by Doug for the planting of 3 native Red Maples that will be donated by Gary Pisoni that he will dig up from his property and will be planted in the front yard of the Township Hall. Motion supported by Dawn Pisoni. Roll call taken. Motion carried. 5-0

Motion made by Amber Laturi to accept the propane bid from Krist Oil for \$1.5999 for the 2023-2024 season. Motion supported by Doug Bruster. Motion carried. 5-0

Rockford Map notified the township that they are publishing new plat books and wanted to know if we would be interested in placing an ad. In the past the township we have placed a half map banner for \$275. Motion made by Scott Tarsi and supported by Doug Bruster. Roll call taken. Motion carried. 5-0

Motion made by Scott Tarsi to adopt the resolution establishing early voting precinct. The passing of proposal 22-2 which in part entitles registered voters to vote in every State and Federal election in person at an early voting site prior to Election Day. The proposal 22-2 requires that Early Voting sites must be open for 9 consecutive days beginning with the second Saturday before the election and ending on the Sunday before the election. The Early Voting Precinct will be held at the City of Iron River and will include Iron River City, Caspian City, Stambaugh Township, Iron River Township and City of Gaastra. Motion supported by Doug Bruster. Motion carried. 5-0

Motion made by Amber Laturi to approve Haukkala CPA to prepare the F-65 for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2023 for the cost between \$990-\$1320. Motion supported by Doug Bruster. Roll call taken. Motion carried. 5-0

Motion to approve the resolution of the Adoption of the 2023 Iron County Hazard Mitigation Plan was made by Doug Bruster and supported by Mike Sheehy. Motion carried. 5-0 It was explained that by adopting the county plan in the event of a disaster the township would be eligible for Federal disaster money and assistance.

Scott Tarsi reported on the West Iron County Sewer Authority and Windsor Center, reports are available if anyone in the public is interested.

The treasurer report was provided and no questions for the month of August.

Jason Cole reported on the water and sewer departments.

Ron Simmons was present. A resident asked about a violation for a resident's grass being too long. Ron Simmons will look into this. Ron Simmons reported to date there has been 15 permits issued, 3 warnings, and 3 municipal Civil Infractions were issued. We have residents that are worried about the coffee cup property; Ron Simmons will go through the normal steps of issuing warnings regarding the issues on this property.

Craig Richardson from Wickwire was present and reported that no Iron County communities received any grant money. Craig reported that our plan is good for 5 years. Craig also reported that we will have to go to phase 2 on the property we are purchasing for the public works building.

Zach Hautala was present and reported on the ICECA.

Motion to approve the bills for the month was made by Mike Sheehy supported by Doug Bruster. Roll call taken. Motion carried. 5-0.

Meeting Adjourned 7:15 PM

Respectfully Submitted,
Amber Laturi, Clerk