

## **Regular Meeting February 13, 2024**

### **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 January 9<sup>th</sup> regular meeting. The motion was supported by Amber Laturi. Motion carried.

Three additions to the agenda: Approve the application for Poverty Exemption and the guidelines for the poverty exemption with the income guidelines and the City of Caspian is applying for funding from the USDOT and they are asking for a letter of support. Motion made by Mike Sheehy to approve the agenda with the three additions. Motion supported by Amber Laturi. Motion carried. 5-0

The City of Caspian is applying for funding from the USDOT RAISE Grant Program and would appreciate the support of surrounding municipalities. The grant is through the USDOT Rebuilding American Infrastructure with Sustainability and Equity (RAISE) Grant in the amount to 3.97 million. The project aims to provide street improvements to critical thoroughfares of the City of Caspian that offer multiple modes of transportation to community residents and visitors. Motion made by Scott Tarsi to send a letter of support for this project. Motion supported by Mike Sheehy. Motion carried. 5-0

Laura Erhart, the Township assessor was present and assessed values and the changes due to market conditions. Board of Review dates for March are March 11<sup>th</sup> at 9am to 3pm and March 13<sup>th</sup> from 3pm to 9pm.

Patti Peretto from the County was present.

Craig Richardson and Christian Benson from Wickwire were present. They reported on the DPW building and that they are waiting to hear back from the vendors so they can finish the estimate on the DPW building project. Motion made by Amber Laturi to appoint Scott Tarsi and Doug Bruster to be on the building committee, so they can work on the building project, make decisions, and then report back to the board. Motion supported by Mike Sheehy. Motion carried. 5-0

The board received a packet from Highline regarding installing fiber optic in the township. Dennis Tousignant will review the packet.

Motion made by Scott Tarsi to start the process of looking for Auditors for the Township audit. Motion supported by Mike Sheehy. Motion carried. 5-0

Zach Hautala from the ICECA was not present but did send a monthly update to the board.

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 January.

Ryker Johnson was present and discussed a leak on East Siding Road. The quotes from L&H came in at \$25,000. Scott Tarsi will call and see if we were to wait till May or June to fix would the price go down. We will put this on hold for now.

Ron Simmons was not present. He sent his report stating 19 zoning permits to date, 6 ordinance violations and 3 civil.

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

Meeting Adjourned 7:03 PM

Respectfully Submitted,  
Amber Laturi, Clerk