BLISS TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

September 10, 2024

- I. Lechowicz called the meeting to order at 7:10pm.
- II. All board members were present.
- III. The regular board meeting minutes for August were presented. Lechowicz moved, with Holt supporting, to approve the minutes. All yes.
- IV. Treasurer's Report Byard presented the treasurer's report. The total of our bank accounts on August 31, 2024, was \$215,904.19.
- V. Prout presented the bills to be paid, totaling \$74,461.57. Lechowicz moved, with Eby supporting, to approve the payment of the bills presented. All yes.
- VI. Correspondence: Prout received a draft copy of our audit.
- VII. Set/Amend Agenda: Add Clerk Phone to unfinished business; add Taxable Property to new business
- VIII. Public Comment None
- IX. Appearances Mark Sommers was present to introduce himself as a candidate for county commissioner.
- X. Library Report Kent presented a library board report. The nature area is being used a lot.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- I. SLFRF County Funds The paperwork is done to receive the money from the county.
- II. Fire Hall Upgrades Lechowicz received an email copy of the plans. They are not clear and do not include the things that were discussed. Lechowicz will contact the architect again.
- III. New Hall Door, Siding The bid request can be posted on our website.
- IV. Cemetery Trees The board discussed options for planting more trees at the cemetery/fire hall. We will hold off on trees and consider lower plants to go between the trees already in place.
- V. Township Hall Air The heating/cooling system is working well. No bill has been received yet.
- VI. Clerk Phone Prout is looking into options for a phone and a service provider. Lechowicz moved, with Eby supporting, to approve up to \$500 to purchase a phone for clerk use.

NEW BUSINESS

- I. Fire Hall Weeded Someone weeded in the rocks by the fire hall, perhaps Nathan Paquet? Our thanks to the one who did this.
- II. Tai Chi This will be held on Wednesdays from 10:00-11:00am.
- III. Wilderness Camp Store The personal property tax is not being paid. The county wants to know if we want to write it off. An option would be to place a lien so the taxes would be paid if the property is sold. Lechowicz will contact Lavandar about this.

FYI - none

Public Comment - none

Adjournment - Lechowicz moved, with Byard supporting, to adjourn. All yes. Meeting adjourned at 8:11.