April 13, 2015 Special Meeting

Garfield Township Special Board Meeting April 13, 2015 7:00 p.m.

The meeting opened at 7:00 p.m. with Supervisor Byl leading the Pledge of Allegiance. Board members present were Byl, Yarhouse, Irwin, Roland, with Rottiers excused. Also attending the meeting were Fire Chief Tubbs and Garfield Deputy Clerk Farwell.

Fire Chief Kevin Tubbs gave details of the department€™s budget for 2015-2016 based on conversations of the department€™s needs. The Fire Station floor needs to be refurbished as it is extremely slippery when wet. The requested LDH hoses will be referred to Spartan Co for a price comparison. The Fire Truck payment will start in March 2016 at approximately \$20,000.

Discussion followed regarding elections budgets because of the special election.

The clerk requested a new computer for the deputy clerk, however, a computer network may be a better way to go for efficiencies sake. Currently, the Assessor must keep updating two other computers in order to keep all records current.

Each budget account directly affecting the township was reviewed and adjustments were made with input from all board members present. These accepted changes will comprise the final 2015-2016 Budget

There being no further business, motion by Irwin to adjourn the meeting. Meeting was adjourned at 9:15p.m.