

Township Board meeting Minutes

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Garfield Township
Regular Board Meeting
December 27, 2010
7:30 p.m.

The meeting opened at 7:30 p.m. with Supervisor Scott leading the Pledge of Allegiance. Board members present were Scott, Roland, McLane, Yarhouse and Rottiers. Also attending the meeting were Fire Chief Tubbs, County Commissioner Lockmiller and 5 citizens.

The minutes of the November 22, 2010 meeting were approved with a motion by Roland, seconded by Yarhouse. All ayes. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's report was accepted with a motion by McLane, seconded by Rottiers. All ayes. Motion carried.

Fire report was given by Fire Chief Tubbs who reported 32 runs, 21 of which were medical, 1 structure, 2 down power lines, 1 mutual, 1 standby, 5 miscellaneous fires and 1 personal injury. He also reported that officers for 2011 will remain the same as 2010. As of April 1, 2011, the State of Michigan has banned the use of burning barrels. He also updated board members on firefighter classes and gave details of the possibility of obtaining a high power pump.

County Commissioner Lockmiller gave a brief report.

No Road Commissioner Report.

No Public Participation.

Supervisor Scott reported that he had received and installed an upgrade on the BS&A software.

No Old Business.

Resolution to appoint Board of Review members Pirnstill, Jeffery and Thomas for new two-year terms (2011-2012) made by Scott, supported by McLane.

Ayes: McLane, Roland, Scott, Yarhouse, Rottiers.

Nays: None

Resolution approved.

Resolution to support the efforts of Grant Township to bring transparency to the assessing review process in the interest of all Michigan Assessors made by Scott, supported by Roland.

Ayes: Yarhouse, McLane, Roland, Scott, Rottiers.

Nays: None

Resolution approved.

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Motion by Roland, supported by McLane, to approve Bills and Wages of \$41,362.34. All ayes. Motion passed.

Motion by McLane to adjourn the meeting. There being no further business, meeting was adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Supervisor Clerk