## Township Board meeting Minutes

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## October 24, 2011

Garfield Township Regular Board Meeting October 24, 2011 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, Yarhouse and Rottiers. McLane arrived at 7:41 p.m. Also attending the meeting were Fire Chief Kevin Tubbs, County Commissioner Jerry Burger, Road Commissioner Eddie Garver and four citizens.

The minutes of the September 26, 2011 meeting were approved with a motion by Yarhouse, seconded by Roland. All ayes. Motion carried.

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

Fire report was given by Fire Chief Tubbs who reported 21 runs, 13 of which were medical, 2 accident, 2 grass fires, 1 mutual aid and 3 miscellaneous. He also reported that Justin Beatty, Justin Brettingham and Terryn Grider are off of the department. He also reported that United Rescue is working well using the fire hall and is very appreciative of the opportunity.

County Commissioner Burger gave a brief report.

County Commissioner Eddie Garver gave a brief report.

Correspondence included a thank you note from Marcy Klaus.

Scott reported the newsletter is ready and that Charter phone and internet have been installed at the township and fire halls.

Under new business, Scott reported that hot water at the township hall isn't required very often and that the 30 gallon heater is keeping water hot all of the time, He suggested that an ondemand heater at a cost of about \$400-500 would supply hot water only when needed.

Motion by McLane, supported by Roland, to purchase and install an on-demand water heater. All ayes. Motion carried.

Scott also reported that the chain saw from the township garage is missing and that we need a new chain saw at a cost of approximately \$200-300.

Motion to purchase new chain saw by McLane, supported by Roland. All ayes. Motion carried. Roland, supported by Yarhouse, moved to approve the bills and wages totaling \$32,967.72. All ayes. Motion passed.

Motion by McLane to adjourn the meeting. There being no further business, meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.