

REPUBLIC TOWNSHIP BOARD

BUDGET MEETING

JANUARY 17, 2019

Budget meeting convened at 10:00 a.m. All board members were present.

The following items were discussed:

FIRE DEPT. - They need 10 new pagers & a new furnace

ZONING CHARGES – New billing must be looked into. Treasurer Koski will look into the matter.

ASSESSOR - Motion by Trustee Haslip support by Supervisor Ulrich any township employee who puts in a eight hour day while traveling outside the township is entitled to a meal at the township's expense. ROLL CALL VOTE: 3 AYES - 2 NAYS

FULL TIME EMPLOYEES – Motion by Treasurer Koski support by Supervisor Ulrich to pay full time employees \$1.50 more per hour beginning April 1, 2019.

ROLL CALL 5 AYES - 0 NAYS

PART-TME EMPLOYEES – Motion by Treasurer Koski support by Trustee Stankus to give the janitor a \$1.50 raise after completing six months working for the township. ROLL CALL - 5 AYES - 0 NAYS

ROADS – Tina & Frank will check all roads in the township and rate them from good to poor and send them to the Marquette County Road Commission.

CAMPGROUND - CCI and EAGLE MINE have donated money towards the campground. A discussion was held on buying a plaque thanking them. Motion by Supervisor Ulrich support by Treasurer Koski. We also need a canopy over the sign and money collection box to prevent water from dripping in the box. Motion was tabled until we have actual cost prices.

RECREATION – Playground at the Beach needs an uplift. Tabled until we have prices.

TOWN HALL – The hall is in immediate need of electrical work. Supervisor Ulrich will call other electric companies other than Kukla to come out and look at the projects and give us an estimate.

CAPITAL OUTLAY –

TOWNSHIP HALL – Electrical & Windows

OLD FIRE BAY – Discussion. Motion by Trustee Haslip and support by Treasurer Koski to make two office spaces (Cemetery Sexton & Assessor), and a meeting room with no audio. Partitions only. ROLL CALL 4 – AYES - 1 - NAY

ADJOURN: Next budget meeting will be on Thursday, February 7, 2019 at 10 a.m.



Marilyn Brancheau

Clerk