

SODUS TOWNSHIP
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Sodus, MI 49126
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TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING
Subject to amendment

Tuesday, March 13, 2018 - Regular Meeting

Meeting called to order by Supervisor Chandler at 7:30 p.m. All Board members were present.

Minutes of the February 13, 2018 meeting were read and approved on a motion by Chandler, supported by Peters. Motion carried.

Treasurer's report was read and approved on a motion by Peters, supported by Chandler. Motion carried.

Bills presented:

General Fund: \$37,654.74 Road Fund: \$70,166.34 Cemetery: \$1,769.94 Public Works \$0.00
Motion made by Peters, supported by Chandler to pay the bills. Motion carried.

Public comment held:

Lt. Robert Mazurek of the Berrien county Sheriff's Department presented the January 2018 Incident Report to the Board.

Dean Hill, Niles MI introduced himself to the Board. He is running as a democrat for the 78th District Representative.

Sodus Fire Department Annual Pancake Breakfast will be held on Sunday, April 15, 2018. 7am - 12:30pm.

Fire Department will be hosting the Berrien County Firefighters Meeting in April. The meeting will be covering Active Shooter scenarios.

Motion made by Chandler, supported by Morgan to add four items to the agenda as presented. Motion carried.

Motion made by Andres, supported by Chandler to accept the Bid Proposal from Jeff brown for Lawn Mowing and Trim of the cemeteries, parks and Hall for the Township. This is a one year contract. Motion carried with one nay and four ayes.

Resolution #4-2018 to approve the Amended Budget for 2017-2018 Fiscal Year. Motion was made by Andres, supported by Chandler with following roll call: Andres-yes, Bennett-yes, Chandler-yes, Peters-yes, Morgan-yes. Motion carried.

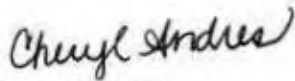
Motion made by Morgan, supported by Chandler to deny the request by Lake Michigan College to collect their 2018 summer taxes. Motion carried.

Motion made by Chandler, supported by Peters to approve upgrading the Clerk's computer operating system to Windows 10 which is needed for new elections equipment and Qualified Voter File. Motion carried.

Motion made by Chandler, supported by Peters to switch ^{to} the the updated building permit forms. Motion carried.

Resolution #5-2018 to approve the General Appropriations Act of 2018. Motion made by Chandler, supported by Bennett with the following roll call: Peters- yes, Morgan- yes, Chnadler-yes, Andres- yes, Bennett - yes. Motion carried.

Resolutions #6-2018, #7-2018, #8-2018, #9-2018, #10-2018 to Establish Township Officers Salaries for Treasurer, Clerk, Superior ^{Visor} Trustees, for 2018-2019 Fiscal Year remain the same, was presented by Andres and supported by Peters with roll calls of each resolution being as follows: Chandler-yes, Andres-yes, Morgan-yes, Bennett-yes, Peters-yes. Motions carried for all five resolutions.



Cheryl Andres
Sodus Township Clerk