Allegan Township Board Meeting November 6, 2023 7:30 PM

I. Call to Order

- A. Pledge and Invocation
- II. Roll Call
 - A. Supervisor Steve Schulz, Treasurer Jane Waanders, Trustee Mike Bender, Trustee Jim Connell and Clerk Michelle Waite were present.
- III. Approve Minutes of October 2 and October 16, 2023 meetings
 - A. Connell/Bender made a motion to approve. Motion carried.

IV. Reports

- A. Professional Code Inspections (PCI)- Building Inspectors
 - 1. 3 permits were issued in October with 1 new home. Fees totaled \$1408.00.
- B. Ted Heckman, Planning Commission
 - 1. Next meeting is November 13 and a Special meeting on November 20th. Items to be discussed are ordinances for Solar panels and shipping containers.
- C. Ted Heckman, Zoning Board of Appeals
 - 1. Next meeting is December 11, 2023.
- D. Scott Beltman, County Commissioner
 - 1. Grant was awarded to the County for 123.Net to proceed with building project for internet access throughout the County. Informed board that County will run the Animal Shelter and work along side Wishbone.

V. Public Comment

- 1. Tom Slocum, Miner Lake resident, urged the board to approve the Sewer agreement with the city to ensure the project moves forward.
- 2. Linda Wierenga, Township resident, asked board members if guardrails were going to placed along 118th Ave.
- 3. Chris Machiela presented his intent to run for Drain Commissioner in 2024.
- 4. Barbara Smith, Township resident, requested more information for her concerns regarding the Luke Bryan concert surrounding her property.

VI. Old Business

- A. Sewer Update
 - 1. Connell presented material on the conversational status between the township and city regarding the Sewer agreement. Waanders/Connell made a motion to proceed with the agreement. Motion passed with all in favor.

- B. Parking lot
 - 1. Tustin's was contracted to fill and patch the parking lot and will return in Spring 2024 to complete job.
- C. AED
 - 1. The Township is still pursuing the purchase of an AED kit for the Township.

VII. New Business

- A. Leaf charge increase
 - 1. Connell/Waanders made a motion to approve the price increase for leaf pickup charges by \$10. Motion passed with all in favor.
- B. Reconstruction of 24th Street
 - 1. Discussion regarding the combined effort between adjoining townships to pave 24th Street. M-DOT will be consulted.

VIII. Pay Bills

- A. General Fund
 - 1. Waanders/Bender made a motion to approve payment of bills from General fund. Motion passed with all in favor.
- IX. Correspondence
- X. Adjourn
 - A. 1. Waanders/Connell made a motion to adjourn which passed with all in favor. The meeting adjourned at 8:44pm.