

**ORANGEVILLE TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING MINUTES
JULY 3, 2018**

Meeting called to order at 7 pm. All board members present, Fire Chief Matt Ribble, Commissioner Vivian Conner and 5 guests.

Pledge of Allegiance

Tanett Hodge introduced herself as new reporter for Hastings Banner/Hastings Reminder

Motion Trustee Perino to approve the minutes of June 5, 2018. Support Trustee Ribble, roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried.

Treasurer's Report:

June Disbursements \$46,279.47

June Receipts \$ 5,322.53

June Balance \$690,712.04

Motion Trustee Ribble to pay bills in the amount of \$8,075.66 and any other bills forth coming in the month of July. Support Clerk Risner, roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried.

Correspondence: None

Fire Dept. Report:

Chief Ribble reported 27 calls, 2 structure fires, a controlled burn of home and responded to boating accident on Gun Lake. Supervisor Rook interjected that Barry County Sheriff's Dept had contacted him to express their thanks and commend the fire department on the response of the boating accident. Current staffing is 22 members. Report on file

Commissioner's Report:

Approved: Child Care Fund Budget Amendment Increase, Purchase of software & equipment for courtrooms, replacement ballistic resistant vests. Gun Lake Improvement Board approved 3 yr assessment for weed control 2019-2021 \$190,000 annually. Meeting of Emergency Operations Center for Upper Crooked Lake high water issues. Report on file

Library Report:

Raylene to get info on how many Orangeville Township Residents use library. Brandon Elementary Book Mobile will be at Baptist Church on July 18th, 25th and August 1st. Summer reading program going on.

Public Comment: None

Old Business: Propane contract tabled for further information

New Business: Day of Caring Program; Walking Path and cleaning of old cemetery headstones discussed as possible projects. Board Comment: Trustee Perino reported meadow project has begun on Phase II Walking Path. 4.8 acres of wildflowers will have a walking path of clover on perimeter.

Motion to adjourn, meeting adjourned 8 pm.

Unapproved Minutes

Mel Risner/Clerk