

**ORANGEVILLE TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING MINUTES
APRIL 6, 2021
HELD IN-PERSON & REMOTELY**

Meeting called to order 7pm. Board members; Risner, Ritchie, Ribble and Rook attended in person. Board member Kraai attended remotely. Guests; Marlene Gregersen and Jodi Patrick in person with Commissioner Vivian Conner, Bob Perino and Sean Bradley attending remotely.

Pledge of Allegiance

Motion Trustee Ribble to approve March 2nd meeting minutes. Support Treasurer Ritchie; roll call vote; Risner-yes, Ritchie-yes, Ribble-yes, Kraai-yes, Rook-yes. Motion carried.

Motion Trustee Ribble to approve March 16th budget workshop meeting minutes with the correction of the year (typo). Support Treasurer Ritchie; roll call vote; Risner-yes, Ritchie-yes, Ribble-yes, Kraai-yes, Rook-yes. Motion carried.

Motion Treasurer Ritchie to approve the March 23rd budget hearing meeting minutes. Support Trustee Ribble; roll call vote; Risner-yes, Ritchie-yes, Ribble-yes, Kraai-yes, Rook-yes. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report:

March receipts \$94,313.13

March disbursements \$19,151.90

March balance \$878,865.11

Report on file

Motion Clerk Risner to pay \$18,028.04 and any other bills forthcoming in the month of April. Support Trustee Ribble; roll call vote; Risner-yes, Ritchie-yes, Ribble-yes, Kraai-yes, Rook-yes. Motion carried.

Correspondence:

Martin Little League will be using ball fields.

Cares Act PSPHPR funding amount has tentative balance due to township of \$1,393.40.

YMCA of Barry County requesting supporting funds from township ARP monies.

Resolution of Barry County Declaration of State of Emergency received.

Email from Commissioner Conner stating Jim Dull to contact me regarding Watson Drain.

Hall rentals still on hold due to covid gathering restrictions.

Report on file

Fire Dept Report: NA

Supervisor Rook stated Fire Department to receive anonymous donation of \$25,000 to be specifically used for PPE equipment. Clerk Risner to contact auditors regarding specific account number for these funds.

Commissioner's Report:

Commission Conner reported she was elected Chairperson of Gun Lake Improvement Board.

Last year of weed assessment on Gun Lake

Gun Ho Association puts out their own buoys on lake.

County State of Emergency to run through December 31, 2021

Library Report: NA

Monthly newsletter forwarded to board members

OCO Report:

Clothing drive to take place Friday, April 9th is drop off, free shopping Saturday, April 10th.

Location is the Orangeville Baptist Church gym.

Golf outing set for July 31st at Mullenhurst

Drive through food distribution on 1st & 3rd Wednesday each month

OCO participating in replacing home on corner of Pine Lake Rd/Norris Rd. Helping to work on tearing down and attaining sponsors for the work. No OCO funds going towards the project.

Public Comment:

Jodi Patrick stated 9 am on April 24th date for replacing playground timbers.

New Business:

Discussion on American Rescue Plan monies. Government guidelines are not fully set at this time. Table discussion awaiting further information.

Old Business:

Bernard Museum request of \$500 discussed. Trustee Ribble requested Supervisor Rook send letter asking for information on how the museum was funded and what percentage of source of funding. American Rescue Plan monies may be available for this a non-profit transfer if funds is to be allowed.

Yankee Springs requested Orangeville Township contribute \$200 towards installation of safety buoys on Gun Lake. There are 14 buoys put on the lake.

Motion Treasurer Ritchie for Orangeville Township to pay Yankee Springs Township \$200 for Gun Lake buoys. Support Clerk Risner; roll call vote; Risner-yes, Ritchie-yes, Ribble-yes, Kraai-yes, Rook-yes. Motion carried.

Board Comment: None

Motion to adjourn, meeting adjourned 7:58 pm

Unapproved Minutes

Mel Risner/Clerk