

FOREST HOME TOWNSHIP

Regular Meeting

October 6, 2016

Meeting called to order at 7:00 P.M.

Officers Present: S. Mahan, T. Kent, T. Smith, D. Crandall, D. Steiner

Guests: L. Gallagher, S. Barnard, T. Frey, D. Bean

Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Steiner to approve the Agenda. Seconded by Crandall and carried.

Public Comment:

Sheriff Bean reported on issues handled by his department during September 2016. He also handed out the 2015 Annual Report.

Motion by Kent to approve the Minutes of the September 1, 2016 Board Meeting. Seconded by Crandall and carried.

Motion by Mahan to approve expenditures in the amount of \$21,435.61. Seconded by Kent and carried.

Treasurer's Report was given.

Planning Commission Update: Trustee Steiner reported that the Commission does not feel that the number of Incidents reported within the township warrants the enacting of a Blight Ordinance at this time. Complaints will be investigated and dealt with as they occur. A final decision regarding a Point of Sale Ordinance is still awaiting The results of the investigation into increased algae levels.

Parks & Recreation Commission Update: Trustee Crandall stated that the fall clean-up of the township access sites And parks has begun.

Glacial Hills Committee Update: Committee member Frey reported that Glacial Director, Lee Kurt has been very Busy with Glacial activities and is doing an excellent job. The county has indicated that they will contribute some funds For the operation of Glacial Hills. A request for Forest Home Township to do the same was considered and approved.

Motion by Mahan to approve the issuance of \$5,000.00 to Glacial Hills for upkeep expenses. Seconded by Crandall And carried.

Correspondence: The Board discussed a proposal from the Antrim County Road Commission for work on Lewin, Hemstreet/N. end of Vandermark, and Road extension from Bellaire Hwy. to Torch Lake. Motion by Crandall to Approve \$162,900 for work to be completed on all three sections of road. Seconded by Kent and carried.

Public Comment:

Meeting adjourned at 8:12 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Suzanne C. Mahan, Clerk