

Minutes of the
Robinson Township Board of Trustees
August 14, 2024 Regular Meeting
12010 120th Ave, Grand Haven, MI 49417
7:00 PM

Present: Frank Johnson, Bonnie Hayward, Christine Saddler and Travis Vugteveen present.
Absent: Travis Bergman

Also present: Attorney Bultje and sixteen members of the public.

The pledge of Allegiance was recited followed by the invocation given by Supervisor Johnson

Hayward made a motion supported by Vugteveen to approve the minutes of the July 10, 2024 board meeting as presented. Motion approved.

Vugteveen made a motion supported by Hayward to approve the agenda with a change to the order of item 2 to 10 to allow for Attorney Bultje's arrival. Motion carried.

Supervisor Johnson gave his opening remarks. Happy to see a good turnout.

Saddler made a motion supported by Vugteveen to untable the dumpster day discussion. Motion carried.

Vugteveen made a motion supported by Hayward to accept the Dumpster Day proposals from both Republic Services for the dumpsters and from Anytime June Removal for collection of tires and mattresses. A fee will be charged for disposal of tires (no rim \$10, with rim \$15, with no tractor tires allowed) Mattresses will be \$30 each. The church will be contacted for appliance recycling. Dates selected are September 28 or October 5 subject to availability of Republic Services. Roll call vote was held with all members present voting yes. Bergman absent. Motion carried.

Vugteveen made a motion supported by Hayward to approve quote #1150 from KHC for Fortigate 40F protection and setup of VPN connections for a cost of \$3,030.75. Roll call vote was held with all members present voting yes. Bergman absent. Motion carried.

Vugteveen made a motion supported by Johnson to table the vault repair discussion waiting for a solution and not a band-aid. Motion carried.

Vugteveen made a motion supported by Johnson to have Fresh Coast Planning LLC work with the Planning Commission on the Post Master Plan Strategies and Zoning Ordinance audit. Attorney Bultje would continue to do the drafting of the ordinances with Fresh Coast doing the editing. Total cost estimated to be \$27,000 to \$38,000 estimated to cover two budget years. Updated/new ordinances to be adopted at one time. Roll call vote was held with all members present voting yes. Bergman absent. Motion carried.

Discussion was held on the 2024 Robinson Township Community Recreation Plan which is open for a 30-day review period. A public hearing will be held on the Recreation Plan at the next board meeting.

Johnson made a motion supported by Hayward to approve the quote from Ted's Daily Grind for removal of three trees in the park that were damaged by vandalism for a cost of \$1,000. Roll call vote was held with all members present voting yes. Bergman absent. Motion carried.

Hayward made a motion supported by Johnson to approve the quote from GameTime for a replacement crawl tube for the playground equipment in the park that was damaged by vandalism at a cost of \$1,421.69. Roll call vote was held with all members present voting yes. Bergman absent. Motion carried.

Vugteveen made a motion supported by Hayward to approve the purchase of a new weed trimmer from True Value for \$329.99. Roll call vote was held with all members present voting yes. Bergman absent. Motion carried.

Hayward made a motion supported by Vugteveen to table the discussion on a quote from Denny's Excavating for removal of current tennis court and replacement with a concrete based court for a total cost of \$94,930. Motion carried.

Vugteveen made a motion supported by Hayward to table the discussion on adoption of the 2024 International Property Maintenance Code Ordinance. Motion carried.

A Certificate of Appreciation was presented to Thomas Schultz upon his retirement in recognition of 45 years to the Township on the Fire Department.

It was the consensus of the Board to have Ron to draft a revision to the Food Truck Ordinance to provide allowances to have them in agricultural and some PUDs.

Public Comment: Jane Longstreet who is a democratic candidate for Robinson Township Trustee introduced herself.

Vugteveen made a motion supported by Hayward to pay the bills. Motion carried.

Reports are on file.

Vugteveen made a motion supported by Hayward to adjourn the meeting at 8:50 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Christine Saddler
Robinson Township Clerk