

DORR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING HELD NOVEMBER 20, 2008

Meeting called to order by Supervisor VanHaitsma at 7:00 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Tammy VanHaitsma, Jodi Brummel, Jan Saunders, Larry Dolegowski, Paul Davis, Josh Otto, and Dan Weber

MEMBERS ABSENT: None
(12 visitors)

Saunders moved and seconded by Dolegowski to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held November 6, 2008. Motion carried.

Davis moved and seconded by Otto to approve the minutes of the special meeting held November 11, 2008

Public comments included concern as to the paved road requirement for composting and questions on the sewer district progress.

No changes or additions to the agenda.

Saunders moved and seconded by Dolegowski to approve bills in the amount of \$31,675.08. Motion carried.

Communications included a thank-you note from the John VanDorp family.

The following reports were given: 1) Treasurer by Jan Saunders.

Old business included:

1) Update on sewer district informational meeting

Supervisor VanHaitsma recapped the details of the informational meeting held on November 11. She indicated that the Board is still in the process of gathering information before deciding whether or not to proceed.

New business included:

1) Acceptance of Fire Department resignations

Supervisor VanHaitsma explained that due to a new act recently past, firefighters serving on Township Boards must resign their firefighter duties prior to being sworn in for their Township Board position. Therefore, resignation letters were submitted by Larry Dolegowski and Josh Otto.

Davis moved and seconded by Brummel to accept the resignations as Dorr Township firefighters submitted by Larry Dolegowski and Josh Otto. Motion carried.

2) Re-instatement request of Dorr Township fireman

Chief Schumaker requested that the Board re-instate Larry Dolegowski and Josh Otto to the Dorr Township Fire Department.

Saunders moved and seconded by Brummel to approve the request by Chief Schumaker to reinstate Larry Dolegowski and Josh Otto to serve as a firefighters for the Dorr Township Fire Department as an additional duty to their office as elected Dorr Township Board members. Motion carried.

3) Re-appointment to Dorr Township Planning Commission

Supervisor VanHaitsma explained that because new terms have begun, a Board member needs to be appointed to serve as a member of the Planning Commission. Supervisor VanHaitsma informed the Board that Larry Dolegowski has served well in this capacity for the past term and recommends that he serve again for the next term.

Otto moved and seconded by Brummel to re-appoint Larry Dolegowski to the Dorr Township Planning Commission. Motion carried.

4) MTA upcoming training

Supervisor VanHaitsma informed the Board of several upcoming MTA workshops. Interested Board members should register for the workshops through Clerk Brummel.

5) Parks liaison

Supervisor VanHaitsma explained that she previously served as the Parks Commission liaison but informed the Board that she has requested that Dan Weber now serve as the Board liaison to the Dorr Township Parks Commission.

Dolegowski moved and seconded by Otto to adjourn. Motion carried.

Jodi L. Brummel
Dorr Township Clerk