

MANCELONA TOWNSHIP

Minutes of the August 21, 2023

Regular Board Meeting

CALL TO ORDER:

Meeting called to order by Supervisor, Chuck Johnson. Present: Chuck Johnson, Jessie Ayoub, Mike Biehl, Donna Gundle Krieg

Absent: Rod Vesey

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion by Chuck Johnson, supported by Jessie Ayoub, to approve the agenda, all in favor, motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion by Donna Gundle Krieg supported by Jessie Ayoub to approve the minutes of the July 17, 2023 regular meeting, all in favor, motion carried.

Motion by Donna Gundle Krieg supported by Jessie Ayoub to approve the minutes of the July 27, 2023 special meeting, all in favor, motion carried.

APPROVAL OF BILLS:

The following bills were presented to the board. Motion by Donna Gundle Krieg, supported by Jessie Ayoub, to approve the following expenditures, all in favor, motion carried.

Common Account	\$ 62,261.77
Fire Account	\$ <u>5,502.29</u>
TOTAL:	\$ 68,064.06

AUDIENCE COMMENTS:

Dan Bean, Antrim County Sheriff, presented a verbal report on Sheriff Department activities. Torch Fest, best in years, very minimal disturbance. Staff down 4 in Corrections and 1 on Road Patrol, many retiring and a very young work force remaining. Facility moving to Health Department Building. Sheriff Bean reviewed Stats for last month, total calls to service up from a year ago, 256 to 331. Dan will be retiring September 8, 2023 from 42 years of law enforcement.

REPORTS:

FIRE DEPARTMENT: Fire Chief Chris Orman, presented a written and verbal report on Fire activities. Rescue and Emergency Medical Service calls 31, up significantly from 13 last month, 58.82% of total calls.

LIBRARY: Kathy Pintcke submitted a written report for July 2023, usage down slightly from a month ago, 10 children for story time.

ORDINANCE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER: Denny Corrado presented a written and verbal report, working with a new group for Cannabis grow. Working with Race Track to set up services and Insurance coverage, moving forward on abatement program with property owners. Checking on new cases as well as continuing on with present cases. It's taking some time get things in motion.

MAWSA: Written report for July 2023, Chuck gave a brief summary of projects, Sewer project still moving forward north of town and new well will be on line soon complete report can be obtained at the Township Office.

TAA: Marna Robertson, No report, no meeting.

COMMISSIONERS: Dawn Lavanway, District 5 Commissioner, gave a verbal and written report on Antrim County activities for July and August 2023. Renovations for the County Building are well underway, Sheriff department will be moving to Health Department Building after remodeling is completed.

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Motion by Jessie Ayoub supported by Chuck Johnson to approve Furnace repair for \$1,000.00 at the Library; all in favor, motion carried.
2. Motion by Jessie Ayoub supported by Donna Gundle Krieg to approve undercoating and a spray-in bed-liner for the new Cemetery truck for \$1,275.00, all in favor, motion carried.

AUDIENCE COMMENTS:

None

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business before the Board, motion by Jessie Ayoub supported by Donna Gundle Krieg to adjourn the meeting at 7:03 PM. All in favor, motion carried.

Mike Biehl
Mancelona Township Clerk