

The November regular meeting of the Higgins Township Board was called to order on Monday, November 12, 2018 at 7:00 PM by Supervisor Curnalia. Followed by The Pledge of Allegiance.

Members Present: Curnalia, Goodrich, Sullivan, and Jennette

Members Absent: Peters

Interested persons in attendance: Neil Belanger, Danielle Doebler, Tim Mephram, Dan Pillow, and David Doll.

Motioned by Sullivan, seconded by Jennette to approve consent agenda. All ayes.

Fire/EMS reports for October: 1 Football standby, 22 ALS calls, 7 BLS calls, 8 Non transports. EMS assists 3, False Alarms 1, Power lines down 2, P.I.A/ORV 1.

Passed the State Inspection and received new State License. Robbin Meyer gave his resignation for EMS.

EMS had an interview with Robert Hurley with Supervisor Curnalia in attendance.

Motioned by Jennette, seconded by Curnalia to approve the hiring of Robert Hurley for EMS with a 6 month maximum probation period. All Ayes.

The following properties- 5717 E Curnalia Trl, 5030 N M18, 4898 N M18, and 11599 Hoetzel Rd; have all been notified multiple times of zoning violations they are committing. David Doll has sent letters and has made appearances to the properties. He requested to have a meeting with Scott Hess to discuss options to resolve the Higgins Township Blight Ordinances.

Motioned by Sullivan, seconded by Jennette to approve that these zoning incompliances be referred to Scott Hess. All ayes.

The Planning Commission has requested they look into to hiring a company to assist with updating Master Plan for Higgins Township.

Motioned by Sullivan, seconded by Jennette to approve researching candidates for the Master Plan update. All ayes.

Roscommon County Road Commission brought to the board their 2019-2023 plan. They will be working on paving Shirley Lane. They explained to the board our Allocation Carry Forward budget.

Motioned by Jennette, seconded by Sullivan to approve RCRC 5 year plan. All ayes.

Motioned by Curnalia, seconded by Jennette to approve Rollover Allocation Request. All ayes.

Motioned by Curnalia, seconded by Jennette to approve budget for Shirley Lane. All ayes.

The board received two snow plow bids for a 5 year contract. Twin Oaks put in at \$1,214-Township Hall, \$2,972-Fire Hall, and \$1,620 for Compost Site. S&J \$50 per plow for Township Hall, \$75 per plow at Fire Hall, and \$25 per plow at Compost. Estimate of 10 Plows minimum per year.

Motioned by Curnalia, seconded by Jennette to accept Bid from S&J for 5 year contract. All ayes.

The Higgins Township Board received a request from Falkner Law Office. Mr. Doggett will be purchasing property 005-129-006-0020 from Mrs. Fulgenzi and requested that Parcel A: 005-129-006-0082 and Parcel B: 005-130-001-0020 be joined. Section 108 of the Land Division Act, act # 288 of Public Acts 1967.

Motioned by Curnalia, seconded by Sullivan to approve property (Parcel A and Parcel B) combination/split into one Parcel/Tax ID. All ayes.

Public Comment: None.

Motioned by Sullivan, seconded by Curnalia to go into a closed meeting at 8:09 pm. All Ayes.

Motioned by Curnalia, seconded by Jennette to reopen at 8:17 pm. All ayes.

Motioned by Sullivan, seconded by Jennette to adjourn meeting at 8:19 PM. All ayes.

William E Curnalia, Supervisor

LeAnna L Goodrich, Clerk

These minutes are subject to change/amendment at the next regular meeting of the Higgins Township Board on Monday, December 3rd, 2018.

