

**Minutes of REGULAR MEETING (work session)**

**Held November 1, 2012**

**8:00 AM**

**TOWNSHIP OF MARATHON**

**DAWN JOHNSON, CLERK**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Meeting was called to order at 8:05 AM by Supervisor Moorhouse.

**ROLL CALL**

Fred Moorhouse  
Sandi Glesenkamp  
Dawn Johnson  
Kathy RaCosta

Jim Chaffer absent

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA** Glesenkamp made a motion, supported by RaCosta to accept the agenda as presented.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

**Ross dangerous building issue** The mechanical and electrical inspectors will be visiting the structure to render an opinion on what must be done to bring the home in to compliance. The inspectors will submit a report to the building official. We discussed who would pay for the inspections taking place.

**Camp Retreats update** The date for the construction of the fence, required by the Court order has been extended to 11/15. After that the township will go out to the Camp to take measurements in case we have to build the fence.

**San Vito Road project update** Cooks Drain Management has not been back out to remedy the problem . Dennis Streichert will put some gravel on the road to keep the water from pooling on the road.

**Blight cases**

**Schall** A dumpster from Rick Rhein Disposal will be delivered to assist in getting rid of some of the junk that has accumulated on the property

**Johns** Mike Alexander and Moorhouse will visit the property on 11/1 to discuss what needs to be done to get the property back in to compliance. Alexander will continue to monitor the situation.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Trees on Hollenbeck & Marathon Roads** Jostock cut the trees on the corner. We received a complaint from the land owner that all the saplings he had planted were taken down. Dennis Streichert, Road Commission foreman, said the trees should never have been planted in the road right of way.

**Quote from Swartz Creek Computers** Reviewed a quote from Swartz Creek Computers for a new monitor for the Deputy Clerk/ Assessor Assistant and a laptop computer.

**MTA education conference** Johnson brought everyone's attention to the State conference to be held in Detroit this year. 12/18 is the date for receiving the early bird rate.

**Offer from Davison Office Supply** Doug from Davison Office Supply has offered to come to the office to organize our office supplies and label all the supplies so they coincide with the store's product numbers. He will do this at no charge to us and it will make it easier to know when we are out of items.

**Culvert repair on Klam Road near Otter Lake Road** Discussed a project presented from the Road Commission for a culvert that has rusted through on Klam Road.

**ADJOURNMENT** 10:20 AM

Submitted by \_\_\_\_\_  
Dawn D. Johnson, Clerk

Approved by \_\_\_\_\_ date \_\_\_\_\_  
Fred Moorhouse, Supervisor