Minutes of Work Session

Held August 30, 2018

8:00 AM

TOWNSHIP OF MARATHON

Dawn Johnson, Clerk

CALL TO ORDER Meeting was called to order at 8:10 A.M Moorhouse led those present in the pledge of allegiance.

ROLL CALL

Fred Moorhouse, Supervisor
Dawn Johnson, Clerk
Lori Hollis, Treasurer
Sandi Glesenkamp, Trustee Glesenkamp arrived at 8:25 A.M.
Dale Fuller, Trustee
Dawn Johnson, Clerk,

Others in attendance, see attached sign in sheet.

AGENDA Hollis made a motion, supported by Fuller to approve the agenda as presented. All AYES, Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Deal blight removal case Mike Douglas will be going out to remove the rest of the blight from the property. The trailer removed from the site is still sitting at Riverview Storage.

Zoning ordinance The Board discussed the zoning ordinance as it was presented to the Board and recommended for approval by the Planning Commission. Much discussion took place as members of the audience had sections of the ordinance with which they were not happy. Moorhouse had a list of objections he had received from another resident. The Board went through each objection. The objections that were not cleared up will be sent back to the Planning Commission for their perusal.

Request from Parks and Recreation The Parks and Recreation Board requested approval from the Township Board to hire Fleiss & Vanderbrink to assist with the master plan for Parks and Recreation. The Board would like to see if we can negotiate a better price for the service. Dennis Hogan will contact Fleiss & Vanderbrink.

Cemetery Fence removal The Board discussed removing the cemetery fence as it is old and in disrepair. Johnson will contact the Cemetery Sexton to see if he can give us a bid for removal.

NEW BUSINESS

Dead ash tree on Lonsberry Road Johnson received a complaint from a Lonsberry Road resident about a concern of a dead tree sitting in the road right away. He is worried it will fall into the road. The Road Commission is checking into who is responsible for the tree removal, Marathon or Deerfield Township.

Piersonville Road culvert/ditching project This project will be discussed and approved at the September 12th board meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:05 am

Submitted by Dawn Johnson

Approved by Trush Markons

Fred Moorhouse, Supervisor

date 9/12/2018