

## **OID TOWNSHIP BOARD**

**September 13, 2010**

### **Regular Meeting**

The Ovid Township Board met at the Township Hall on Monday, September 13, 2010. The following members were present: Sue Miller, Supervisor; Larry Omo, Trustee; Nancy Price, Treasurer; Judy Sabaitis, Clerk; and Ron Sampsel, Trustee. Also in attendance were 8 guests.

The regular meeting was called to order by Sue Miller.

The Board led the guests in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Ron Sampsel seconded by Larry Omo, that the agenda be approved as presented. MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Ron Sampsel seconded by Sue Miller, that the August 9, 2010 Board minutes be approved as presented. MOTION CARRIED.

Motion by Larry Omo seconded by Ron Sampsel, that the August 18, 2010 Special Board minutes be approved as presented. MOTION CARRIED.

The Treasurer's report was presented including payment of bills. The Board approved the reports and placed them on file.

Motion by Sue Miller seconded by Nancy Price, that \$100,000 from the General Fund Cash Account is invested in a three-year CD at Century Bank & Trust with a 2.25% APR. MOTION CARRIED.

#### **Public Comment**

Jim Strock representing concerned citizens for the proposed Marble Lake sewer project presented his group's views on the project. He provided handouts outlining various statistics and information.

Tom Morgan and Linda Belcher representing citizens for the proposed Marble Lake sewer project presented their group's timeline for proceeding with the project. They provided handouts outlining various statistics and the survey process being used to obtain property owners input. Linda Belcher stated the property owners surveys will be turned over to the Township Boards at the October meeting.

Larry Omo presented the cost estimate submitted by Shimp Excavating and Davenport Excavating to improve the township access at Rose Lake. He stated that Modert Excavating withdrew their bid. Motion by Sue Miller seconded by Larry Omo, that the Davenport Excavating bid for \$5,675 is accepted as presented. MOTION CARRIED. Larry Omo will contact Davenport Excavating to proceed with the project.

Sue Miller reported that the cemetery signs are installed and look very nice.

The Board reviewed the information from the Branch County District Library on their proposed change to the library service. Comments from the Township may be submitted by email or at the October 18<sup>th</sup> monthly Library Board meeting.

Reports:

Zoning – Jim Mikolajczyk reported six permits were issued in August. On August 31<sup>st</sup> the information on the zoning violation at 429 Warren Road was turned over to the Sheriff Department to process. They will notify the township when a date is set by the Magistrate for the hearing.

Assessing – Sue Miller reported that the residential sales study from October 2009 to September 30, 2010 will determine the residential ratio for 2011.

B.P.W. – No report.

County Commissioner – Commissioner Vrablic reviewed the Commissioner's Monthly Top Five Report along with the CodeRED system and redoing the parking lot behind the Court House.

Cemetery – George Baker reported on removing the graffiti on four trees in Lockwood Cemetery. He stated the new cemetery signs look very nice.

Correspondence reviewed.

Motion made by Larry Omo seconded by Nancy Price, to adjourn the meeting at 9:25 P.M. MOTION CARRIED.

Respectfully Submitted:

Judy Sabaitis  
Ovid Township Clerk