

Mason Township Board  
Regular Meeting  
August 8, 2023

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Brandt. He led in the pledge of allegiance.

Roll call was answered by all board members.

No public comments were given.

Trustee Allen made the motion to approve tonight's agenda with the addition of #4 under new business – Deputy Treasurer, seconded by Trustee Arnold. Motion carried.

Trustee Arnold made the motion to approve the June & July minutes, seconded by Clerk Dull. Motion carried.

Trustee Allen made the motion to approve the treasurer's report, and the payables for approval, seconded by Trustee Arnold. Roll call vote – Chew-yes, Allen-yes, Arnold-yes, Dull-yes, and Brandt-yes. Motion carried.

Reports:

Cass County Commissioner Marchetti reported in their July 17 meeting, various business was conducted and an opioid panel was set up. She attended a meeting with Market Van Bureau, they will help anyone in Cass County starting a new business or growing a business. The commissioners are looking into providing Cass County with senior living center.

Cass County Commissioner Lee reported on the fair – it went well. The commissioners walked in the parade.

Zoning Administrator Krempec reports permits are slow – a few fencing permits. He is still saying “NO” to calls about growing marijuana. He commented the park looks great and is very busy at times.

SEPSA – Still waiting on grants. CCRC will pave the parking lot around the fire station. Mason Twp. had 10 runs last month.

Building Dept. – Building permits – 3, Electrical permits – 3, Mechanical permits – 2, Plumbing permits -1.

**Unfinished Business:**

1. Trustee Allen made the motion to approve the golf car ordinance with Treasurer Chew seconding the motion. Roll call vote – Arnold-yes, Allen-yes, Chew-yes, Dull-yes, and Brandt-yes. Motion carried.

**New Business:**

1. Trustee Arnold made the motion to raise the plumbing & mechanical basic fee to \$75. Seconded by Treasurer Chew. Motion carried.
2. Trustee Arnold made the motion to accept the estimate for clean up at J. Flores for \$8,000, seconded by Trustee Allen. Roll call vote – Chew-yes, Arnold-yes, Allen-yes, Dull-yes, and Brandt -yes. Motion carried.
3. Trustee Allen made the motion to accept the estimate for clean up at S. McDonald property for \$2,890, seconded by Trustee Arnold. Roll call vote – Arnold-yes, Dull-yes, Allen-yes, Chew-yes, and Brandt-yes. Motion carried.
4. Trustee Arnold made the motion to hire Carrie King for the position of Deputy Treasurer. Treasurer Chew has met with her and she is interested in the position. The motion was seconded by Trustee Allen. Motion carried.

Treasurer Chew stated she is having a problem with Rustic Trailer Park paying back monthly bills. She is checking with the State on the penalties.

**No correspondence.**

**Dates:** Town Hall Meeting -5<sup>th</sup> District US Rep. Tim Walberg, August 31, 10- 11pm  
Mason Township Board – Sept. 12, 7pm

Trustee Arnold made the motion to adjourn at 7:45pm, seconded by Trustee Allen. Motion carried.