Sciota Township Board Meeting –November 9, 2020

The November 9, 2020 meeting of the Sciota Township Board was called to order by Supervisor Matthews at 7:00 pm at the Sciota Township Hall. The Pledge of Allegiance was given by all. Members present were Supervisor Matthews, Clerk Parker-Wing, Trustee Vondrasek. Absent: Treasurer Doyle and Trustee Reed. Guests present were Diane Baclawski, Mike and Diane Dowler, Charlene Austin, Dennis Hill, Rashawn Schleicher, Kim Palmer, Jay and Belinda Southwell and Cindy Garber.

The minutes of October 12 meeting were approved as written, on a motion by Matthews, and seconded by Vondrasek. Trustee Vondrasek moved to accept the treasurer's report and place it on file, seconded by Parker-Wing – motion passed, approved by all.

Public Comment: none

County Commissioner Report: Cindy Garber has been re-elected through 2022. She says the 911 board meeting fund balance is \$229 million after a 50% down payment on dispatch radios for the fire department. There has been discussion of placing a new fence around the 911 building, which Cindy is not in favor. Additionally, there has been discussion concerning the placement of cameras throughout the Surbeck building.

LSW and Emergency Services Report: October emergency report totals were delivered by Dennis Hill. James Betts is the new LSW fire chief.

Board reports: Supervisor Matthews received MTA information for new board members and discussed possible training with Kim Palmer. Clerk Parker-Wing noted that on election day, internet at the hall would not connect for an hour or so and ended up conversing with technical support. She received positive feedback from several people that the November 3 election hall setup had a good flow-through. There are approximately 1,500 Township voters. We received approximately 620 absentee voting ballots and over 500 walk-ins. **Trustee Vondrasek** thought the hall voting seemed as though it was going smoothly when he was there.

Old business: In regard to internet service at the township hall during the month of an election, Clerk Parker-Wing intends to turn in only the wireless hotspot data charges from her bill.

New Business:

Kim Palmer is the new treasurer. She started the position on November 20, 2020 and plans to attend training in January and/or February 2021.

There were no public comments.

Vondrasek moved to pay bills and Matthews seconded the motion-- it passed.

CHECK NUMBER REPORT 10/12/2020 through 11/8/2020

Num	Description	Amou	Amount	
10326	** VOID** Lisa Doyle	\$	-	
10327	Diane Dowler	\$	813.76	

10328	Lisa Doyle	\$ 761.52
10329	Phillip Matthews	\$ 736.00
10330	Lucille Matthews	\$ 136.57
10331	Jamie Parker-Wing	\$ 921.43
10332	Rashawn Schleicher	\$ 136.57
10333	Nancy Koerner	\$ 136.57
10334	Vaughn Vondrasek	\$ 136.57
10335	Mike Reed	\$ 136.57
10336	United States Postal Service	\$ 3.50
10337	Consumers Energy	\$ 36.05
10338	John Hancock Life Insurance Co.	\$ 720.52
10339	Twin Oaks Mowing & Snowplowing	\$ 500.00
10340	Traci Cannon	\$ 60.00
10341	Election Source	\$ 414.94
10342	The Weekly	\$ 40.00
10343	The Argus Press	\$ 20.00
10344	The Weekly	\$ 104.00
10345	Diane Baclawski	\$ 42.00
10346	Nancy Koerner	\$ 345.00
10347	Fred Moye	\$ 308.00
10348	Charlene Austin	\$ 323.00
10349	Wanda Potter	\$ 308.00
10350	Jamie Parker-Wing	\$ 329.00
10351	Ava Doyle	\$ 266.00
10352	Hope White	\$ 119.00
10353	Andrea White	\$ 266.00
10354	Traci Cannon	\$ 60.00
		\$ 8,180.57

Parker-Wing moved to adjourn the meeting. Vondrasek seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 7:37 pm.

Submitted by; Jamie Parker-Wing, Clerk