GREENBUSH TOWNSHIP BOARD MINUTES

Date: 9/30/14

From: Connie Trunk

Members Present: Jim Beck, Marvin Mathiowetz, Steve Dolin, Martha Skogen &

Connie Trunk

Scot Rosevold (Zoning Administrator)

Member Not Present: N/A

RE: Minutes from 9/30/14 Meeting

Chairman Jim Beck called meeting to order at 7:39 p.m.

Motion was made by Steve Dolin to approve agenda, seconded by Jim Beck; motion carried.

CLERK REPORT

Minutes of the August 2014 regular township board meeting were distributed and reviewed.

Motion was made by Marvin Mathiowetz to approve the August meeting minutes, seconded by Steve Dolin, motion carried.

PUBLIC FORUM

 David Toth attended this month's meeting advising board that the ditch on Davenport has washed out again. Beck to meet with Paul Johnson to get some ideas how to make the approach workable. Township attorney will need to send a letter to Vance to get this issue resolved.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer Martha Skogen presented a written financial report to the Board for review. Income and payments from **Bremer Bank** for the month are as follows:

 Checks (6349- 6366)
 -\$ 28,777.27

 Interest 8-31-14
 \$ 2.62

 Permit
 \$ 6,095.32

 Chloride Application
 \$ 1,400.00

Current balance for the Checking Account is \$293,075.53

Motion was made by Steve Dolin to reinstate Park Dedication Fund CD# 30124 (30068) for one year, seconded by Jim Beck; motion carried.

Motion was made by Jim Beck to accept Treasurer's Report, seconded by Marvin Mathiowetz; motion carried.

ROAD REPORT

- Connie Heinks contacted Jim Beck regarding dust control issue on her road. Paul Johnson will
 review contract with County on how they are supposed to control dust when hauling on township
 roads. Scot Rosevold also received a phone call from Bruce, Mille Lacs County Public Works,
 wanting to know if we have a conditional user requirement to water roads out of Koppendrayer's
 Pit. Scot will follow-up with Bruce and let him know that they must have dust control when
 hauling out of that pit.
- Steve received a couple of complaints on our mowing of township roads. They felt it was not short enough or deep enough into the ditch and the speed operator was running seemed extreme.
- Allen Feldeverd has no objection to township weed spraying on the north side of 55th Street, across from his organic farm.
 - **Motion** was made by Jim Beck to have West Branch Construction contact Jane from Rohman's to weed spay north side of 55th Street, across from organic farm this fall, seconded by Steve Dolin; motion carried.
- Leafy Spurge on County Road 6 Jim called Lynn Carter from Soil & Water to discuss leafy spurge issue on County Road 6. Once county has their 2015 weed spraying plan confirmed, Lynn will advise Greenbush Township.
- West Branch Construction presented a map on snow trapped areas within the township. Board directed them to do as many of these areas as they could before winter time.

PLANNING & ZONING REPORT

- Zoning ordinance violation on 15783 70th Street has been resolved. The small shed stored on the NE corner has been removed.
- Received no response back from resident on 2492 155th Avenue regarding a zoning ordinance violation.
- Crossman Lot Split Scot will check with attorney on what township can do when County
 processed a lot split outside of our procedure and has caused a parcel to be land locked.
- Scot handed out the draft 2014-04 Ordinance on regulating utilities within township road right of ways. Will discuss at next board meeting.

BUILDING REPORT

7 Permits issued this month

FIRE REPORT

- On September 5, there was a drill at the USDP facility.
- North Ambulance will stay with 24 hour coverage no change will happen
- Will be a 3% increase in fire coverage for our township.
- There was one medical run in Greenbush for the month of August.

VISIONARY COMMITTEE

MN Design Team was here in September to discuss different ideas concerning Princeton future.

RUM RIVER RECREATION AND RESOURCE BOARD

N/A

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

GENERAL ELECTION

 Board appointed Connie Trunk, Marlene Trunk, Martha Skogen, Emma Volker, Dorothy Anderson, John Nelson & Ardis Hollerman to be Judges for General Election.

CTAS TRAINING

 Connie will attend the 2014 MAT Annual Conference which will include CTAS training on November 20 - 22, 2014.

2014/15 Snowplowing

Bjorklund will advise Jim Beck if they will be doing our 2014/15 snowplowing.

Payroll/Claim Report

Motion was made by Steve Dolin to approve Net Pay Account Distribution Report, seconded by Jim Beck; motion carried.

Motion was made by Jim Beck to approve Claims List for Approval Report, seconded by Steve Dolin; motion carried.

Motion was made by Steve Dolin to adjourn meeting at 9:05 p.m., seconded by Jim Beck; motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted Connie Trunk, Clerk

SEPTEMBER PAYMENTS ISSUED

Attached

Clerk

Supervisor