

Barry Township Hall
155 E. Orchard St.
Delton, Michigan, 49046

BARRY TOWNSHIP

STATUS: APPROVED
as presented 4-9-24

PUBLIC HEARING @ 6:30 p.m.

MARCH 12, 2024

Supervisor Bower opened the Public Hearing at 6:30 p.m. The purpose of this hearing is to present the 2024-2025 Budgets for Barry Township and to answer any questions from the public. Clerk Knight read the 2024-2025 budgets. There were no comments from the public. The Public Hearing was Closed at 7:07 p.m.

REGULAR MEETING @ 7:00 p.m.

Supervisor Bower called the Regular Meeting to order at 7:07 p.m. Those present stood and stated the Pledge of Allegiance to the United States of America.

ROLL CALL:

Board Members Present:

Barry Bower	Supervisor
Debra Knight	Clerk
Lee Campbell	Trustee
Don White	Trustee
Judy Wooser	Treasurer

Absent: None

MINUTES

The Regular meeting minutes for February 13, 2024 were presented to members for approval.

MOTION by L. Campbell second by D. White, to approve the Regular meeting minutes as presented. **ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.**

The Special meeting minutes from February 16, 2024 were presented to members for approval.

MOTION by J. Wooser, second by B. Bower to approve the Special meeting minutes as presented. **ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.**

TREASURERS REPORT:

The Treasurers report for period ending 2-29-2024 was presented to members.

WINTER TAX: #5 \$620,624.85 #6: \$236,300.43 #7 \$480,809.57

SUMMER TAX: #14: \$1000.37 #15: \$ 741.93 #16 \$ 4,944.21

DNR: \$ 750.74

FINAL WINTER: \$ 119,323.71 **94.3% collected. \$5,539,362.63**

FINAL SUMMER: \$ 2,615.49

ADDITION TO THE AGENDA

MOTION by J. Wooser second by D. Knight to approve the agenda as presented. **ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.**

LIMITED PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

UPDATE WITH COUNTY COMMISSIONER: Commissioner Jackson updated members on matters brought before the commissioners.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

HICKORY FIRE: Total of 12 calls to service. 10 MFR. 2 general. Average response time: 10.5 minutes.

DELTON FIRE: 22 calls to service. 6 calls in Barry Township.

POLICE: 60 calls to service in February.

DELTON DISTRICT LIBRARY: J. Wooser updated members on activities held at the library.

CEMETERY: No report.

GULL LAKE SEWER: No report.

SWBCSA: No report.

4 TWP WATER: No report.

MUSIC IN THE PARK: No report.

BARRY TWP WATER TOWER: The tank has arrived!!

AGENDA: NEW BUSINESS

COST RECOVERY FEE ORDINANCE 24-02: Resolution 24-02 was presented to members for adoption. This resolution allows Barry Township to charge fees to recover costs incurred by Delton and Hickory Corners fire departments, in such cases as illegal burns and hazardous spills.

MOTION by B Bower, second by D. White to adopt Resolution 2024-02 as presented.

ROLL CALL VOTE: DK: Yes. JW: Yes. BB: Yes. LC: NO. DW: NO. MOTION CARRIED. Resolution 2024-02 is duly adopted.

HEALTH BENEFITS RESOLUTION 24-03: Resolution 24-03 was presented to members for adoption. This resolution provides health care for elected officials and full time Barry Township Police officers. This resolution will change the amount allowed for full-time Police officers to \$6,000.00. **MOTION** by J. Wooser, second by D. White to adopt Resolution 2024-03 as presented. **ROLL CALL VOTE: DK: Yes. JW: Yes. BB: Yes. LC: Yes. DW: Yes.**

MOTION CARRIED. Resolution 2024-03 is duly adopted.

APPROPRIATIONS ACT 2024-2025 RESOLUTION 2024-04: The Appropriations Act provides the mileage rates and amounts to levy for general operating, fire, and police. Also 2024-2025 budgets for all funds. Clerk Knight read the Appropriations Act. **MOTION** by D. Knight, second by B. Bower to adopt Resolution 2024-04 as presented. **ROLL CALL VOTE: DK: Yes. JW: Yes. BB: Yes. LC: Yes. DW: Yes. MOTION CARRIED. Resolution 2024-04 is duly adopted.**

SALARY RESOLUTION 2024-05: This resolution provides salaries for all employees. Clerk Knight read the resolution. **MOTION** by L. Campbell, second by B. Bower to adopt Resolution 2024-05 as presented. **ROLL CALL VOTE: DK: Yes. JW: Yes. BB: Yes. LC: Yes. DW: Yes. MOTION CARRIED. Resolution 2024-05 is duly adopted.**

2024-2025 FEE SCHEDULE RESOLUTION 2024-06: Resolution 2024-06 will establish the proper charge for FOIA requests and charges for other fees such as insufficient check fee. **MOTION** by D. Knight, second by B. Bower to adopt Resolution 2024-06 as presented. **ROLL CALL VOTE: DK: Yes. JW: Yes. BB: Yes. LC: Yes. DW: Yes. MOTION CARRIED. Resolution 2024-06 is duly adopted.**

PERCEPTIVE SERVICES CONTRACT: The 2024-2025 contract for service to operate and maintain the Barry Township water system was presented for approval. **MOTION** by B. Bower, second by D. White to accept the contract for services with Perceptive Services. **ROLL CALL VOTE: DK: Yes. JW: Yes. BB: Yes. LC: Yes. DW: Yes. MOTION CARRIED.**

SNOW REMOVAL AND MOWING QUOTES: **MOTION** by D. Knight, second by B. Bower to seek bids (2 year contract) for lawn and snow removal services for the Township office, Township park, wellhouse and HCFD. **ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.**

DOMESTIC FOR HALL/OFFICE: Board discussion was held on preparing a list of duties for the domestic services.

DFD LAWN MOWER: Board discussion was held on the DFD lawn mower. **MOTION** by B. Bower, second by L. Campbell to purchase the Delton Fire department lawn mower from Hope Township. Value \$10,650.00. Offer to purchase: \$5,325.00. **ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.**

LIMITED PUBLIC COMMENT: None were heard.

AUTHORIZE MARCH BILLS AND ACCEPT THE CHECK REGISTER: Motion by L. Campbell second by J. Woer to approve the bills for March as presented and the check register for all checks dated 2-14-2024 thru 3-12-2024. **ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.**

Supervisor Bower asked for any further discussion, hearing none.

MOTION by J. Woer, seconded by L. Campbell to adjourn this regular meeting at 8:12 p.m.
ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.

ADJOURNED.

Respectfully Submitted,

Debra J. Knight, Barry Township Clerk

