

# MUNRO TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

December 14, 2010

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PRESENT: Antkoviak, Ginop, Dotski, Tracey, Mandrick

OTHERS PRESENT: George Bliss, Matthew Bonnett, Paul Nows, Walter Nows, Marie Watts, Ed Ginop, Burt Twp. Supervisor, Harold Koviak and Gary Street.

The December meeting was called to order by Supervisor, Antkoviak at 7:30 p.m. at the fire hall. Pledge to the flag was recited.

Tracey made the motion to accept the November 9, 2010 meeting minutes, supported by Mandrick. Motion carried.

## CITIZEN & GUEST COMMENTS

Burt Township Supervisor, Harold Koviak and Gary Street, Chairman of the Burt Lake Trail Committee talked to the township board of Burt Township's plan to build a non-motorized recreational trail. This 18 mile trail would connect the Gaylord to Mackinaw City trails. There might be a possibility that an alternative route through Munro Township (Riggsville Road) would be needed to complete the trail route if MDOT does not approve using the Hogsback Road in Burt Township.

So far, Burt Township has \$400,000.00 in grant money and \$140,000.00 in private donations to start the project in 2012. If Munro Township agrees to allow the trail through the township, there might be grant money to continue the trail.

Ginop reported that while walking the bike trail, South of Indian River, there were many people either, walking or biking on the trail. Ginop made the motion to support the trail project, supported by Tracey. Motion carried.

Marie Watts of N. Extension Road asked if Antkoviak could ask the semi-trucks hauling logs off Antkoviak Road to slow down. Besides tearing up her road, it might cause an accident.

## CORRESPONDENCE

1. Letter from Drain Commissioner Dennis Lennox asking the township to write a letter asking for the removal of Michael Overton as Cheboygan County Administer. The township decided to write a letter saying the township does not want to be involved with Overton-Lennox feud.
2. The Cheboygan County Road Commission has informed the townships that there will be no matching funds for 2011 projects and there will be no money for dust control this coming year.
3. MTA has a self insurance fund for workmen's comp insurance. Ginop will ask other townships what they plan to do; Munro's insurance is paid up till July.
4. Received a grant contract from the Cheboygan County Humane Society.

5. DNRE denied permits to Kirby Dipert and David Travis to fill in wet lands for pole barns.

#### NEW BUSINESS

Antkoviak will need to take a 6 hour test in January to be a State Certified Assessor. He said that 95% has failed the test.

Antkoviak made a motion to reappoint the same Board of Review Board for 2012. The members are: George Bliss, Matthew Bonnett, and Walter Nows. An Alternative member would be Marie Watts. Tracey supported the motion. Motion carried. Board of Review members took their official oath by Clerk, Linda Ginop.

A T & T sent a METRO right-of-way contract extension to Munro Township. Ginop made the motion to accept the A T & T extension, supported by Tracey. Motion carried.

Ginop received a letter from the State Liquor Control Commission, asking if the township wants to grant early Sunday morning liquor sales. No action was taken as Douglas Lake Bar does not open on Sunday morning to serve or sell liquor.

OLD BUSINESS – None

#### ADJOURNMENT

Ginop made the motion to adjourn the meeting, supported by Tracey. The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Linda N. Ginop  
Munro Township Clerk