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The Portland Township board met on Tuesday, October 17, 2023 at 6:00pm at the Portland Township Hall for the October 2023 board meeting. Supervisor Jensen called the meeting to order and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited. All board members were in attendance.

Supervisor Jensen added the Barnes Rd. property under old business for the agenda.

Trustee VanLente motioned to approve the agenda with the change seconded by Trustee Simon and carried.

Trustee Simon motioned to approve the September 2023 meeting minutes seconded by Trustee VanLente and carried.

The board briefly discussed the recent discussion points for the Grand River/Knox rd. property with Nic Sandborn; location of hall, proposed roads, drainage ditch, lot lines, selling of remaining property, splits and creating a site plan.

Assessor Kohagen gave his monthly report.

Zoning Administrator Schneider reviewed his monthly report.

Treasurer Schneider noted the account balances. Five fire runs were noted, one billable. A review of the summer tax collection was given. Sunset Ridge lots were noted (446). A review of the September PAMA meeting was given. The quarterly report was given via email and noted.

Supervisor Jensen noted the October ICTOA meeting and the next meeting being held January 8th. The PAFA audit and recent fire grant were noted. Road quotes are being gathered for Jennifer Lane.

The board will be meeting with the ICRC to discuss the road conditions in the Township on November 13th.

Trustee Simon motioned to approve the Winter newsletter seconded by Treasurer Schneider and carried.

Quotes are being gathered for new recycle signage and parts for the stairs.

No action will be taken on the Barnes Rd. property at this time.

Trustee Simon motioned to approve the bills presented by Clerk Keilen seconded by Trustee VanLente and carried.

Supervisor Jensen motioned to adjourn at 7:07pm seconded by Trustee Simon and carried.

Charlene Keilen
Portland Township Clerk