

**Bloomer Township  
Regular Meeting  
February 16, 2015**

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 PM by Supervisor Karl Harter at Bloomer Township Hall, 9890 E. Carson City Rd, Carson City, MI. Present for roll call were Karl Harter, Sarah Todd, Colleen Schneider, Tara Chapko, Dan Ryan.

**Motion** by Chapko, seconded by Ryan to accept the minutes of the January 19, 2015 regular meeting as presented. Carried.

**Fire Department Report:** Mark Crawfis reported.

**County Commissioner:** Betty Kellenberger reported.

**Citizens Comments:** none

**Clerks Report:** Sarah Todd

New voter cards will be sent out as polling place changed when township moved to new hall. Township cleanup scheduled for May 16, 2015. Fire run to prison covered by annual state fire protection payment. Insurance coverage discussed.

**Motion** by Chapko seconded by Schneider to accept clerks report. Carried.

**Motion** by Todd seconded by Schneider to purchase increased zoning liability coverage. Carried.

**Motion** by Chapko seconded by Ryan to pay bills totaling \$5,300.70 plus \$3,583 insurance premium for total bills \$8,883.70. Carried.

**Treasurers Report:** Colleen Schneider

Balance of \$252,905.63 minus insurance premium \$3,583 for total \$249,322.63 in general accounts after bills. 79% of 2014 taxes collected.

**Motion** by Chapko, seconded by Todd to accept treasurers report. Carried.

**Planning Commission:** Mike Beach

Will meet with LandPlan February 24, 2015 regarding garage sale ordinance, new planning commission secretary needed.

**Cemetery Committee:** Ray Everingham reported no activity, next meeting March 5, 2015.

**Unfinished Business:**

**Motion** by Chapko seconded by Schneider to accept snowplowing bid from Brown for rest of season. Carried.

City of Carson City reached agreement with Village Market regarding new sewer line, wants township approval. Will forward agreement to township attorney before approval.

**New Business:**

Board of Review organizational meeting March 3, 2015, regular meetings March 9, 2015 (9:00 AM-3:00 PM) March 12, 2015 (3:00 PM-9:00 PM).

**Motion** by Todd, seconded by Ryan to approve alternate start dates as recommended by the township assessor for the 2015 Board of Review. Carried.

**Motion** by Todd, seconded by Ryan to approve Poverty Income and Asset guidelines for 2015 Board of Review. Carried.

Discussed 2015-16 preliminary budget.

County MTA meeting February 17 in Crystal with speaker Rick Outman.

**Motion** by Schneider, seconded by Chapko to change the Annual Meeting date for 2016 from March 26 to March 21, 2016 at 7:30 PM. Carried with Harter and Ryan voting no.

**Motion** by Schneider, seconded by Chapko to change old township hall rental from \$110 to \$50 for Bloomer Township residents and \$75 for non-residents. Carried with Harter voting no.

**Announcements:**

The Bloomer Township Annual Meeting will be March 28, 2015 at 9:00 AM.

**Adjournment:**

**Motion** by Chapko, seconded by Todd to adjourn. Carried at 8:37 PM.

Respectfully submitted by: Sarah Todd, Clerk