

**Bloomer Township  
Regular Meeting  
January 18, 2016**

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

**Motion** by Hummel, seconded by Chapko to accept the minutes of the December 21, 2015 regular meeting correcting the treasurers report to 44% combined tax collected. Carried.

**Fire Department Report:** Mark Crawfis reported including 2015 annual report.

**County Commissioner:** Betty Kellenberger reported.

**Citizens Comments:** none

**Clerks Report:** Sarah Todd

Correspondence reviewed, 4<sup>th</sup> quarter FICA & UCB reports complete, W-2's will be mailed, insurance renewal questionnaire complete, election March 8, talking with Granger who combined with Sidney Sanitation about township cleanup May 21.

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

**Motion** by Hummel, seconded by Todd to pay bills totaling \$7,032.74. Carried.

**Treasurers Report:** Colleen Schneider

Balance of \$367,110.25 in general accounts after bills. Taxes 62% collected, Step Forward Program helped one person in Bloomer Township pay taxes.

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

**Planning Commission:** Doug Proctor reported meeting January 12, working on Master Plan with LandPlan.

**Zoning Administrator:** Duane Hagerman responded to question about camping.

**Cemetery Committee:** Ray Everingham reports no activity.

**Unfinished Business:**

Johnson's Sign Co. made presentation of LED sign. 2'x8' LED cost \$14,995 plus \$1,600 for sign and \$1,500 install for total \$18,095 including computer to program.

The cost for updating our Master Plan by LandPlan is \$15,330. An original contract has been mailed for signatures and return. The first meeting includes the township board and planning commission for orientation.

**Motion** by Hummel, seconded by Chapko to approve updating the Master Plan with LandPlan for a cost not to exceed \$15,330. Carried.

**New Business:**

No salary increase since 2009, discussed 3% increase.

**Motion** by Schneider, seconded by Hummel to approved **Salary Resolutions** effective April 1, 2016 for Supervisor \$5,082.77, Treasurer \$8,650.58, Clerk \$8,596.53, Trustees \$2,678.00, Sexton \$6,973.55, Zoning Administrator \$3,950.87, Planning Commission Chair \$1,236.00. Carried.

**Adjournment:**

**Motion** by Ryan, seconded by Todd to adjourn. Carried at 9:16 PM.  
Respectfully submitted by Sarah Todd, Clerk