

# MULLETT TOWNSHIP

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## MULLETT TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING FOR NOVEMBER 14, 2022 6:30 PM AT MULLETT TOWNSHIP HALL

The Mullett Township Board of Trustees met at the Mullett Township Hall, Topinabee MI, 49791 at 6:30 PM on November 14, 2022. The meeting was called to order at 6:31 PM with the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance. Members present were Supervisor Laz Surabian, Clerk Denise Ackerman, Treasurer Brenda Bowes, Trustee Brett Lindgren, and Trustee Mike Goerke.

Public Comment was opened at 6:31 PM with no comments.

Brett Lindgren made a motion, with support by Brenda Bowes, that the agenda be approved. The motion passed.

Brenda Bowes made a motion, with support by Brett Lindgren, that the minutes of the October 10, 2022, regular meeting be approved. The motion passed.

Brett Lindgren made a motion, with support by Brenda Bowes, that we pay the bills. The motion passed.

### **REPORTS:**

#### The Treasurer's Report for October 2022 is summarized as follows:

General Fund 101	\$681,760.29
Fire Fund 206	\$780,912.62
Liquor Fund 212	\$1504.53
Street Light Fund 219	\$29,111.19
Library Fund 271	\$58,818.13
Tax Accounts 703	\$31,516.91

**TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS: \$1,583,623.67**

A motion was made by Mike Goerke, supported by Brett Lindgren, that the report be accepted and filed. Motion passed.

#### The Clerk's Expenditure Report for October 2022 is summarized as follows:

General Fund 101	\$24,985.34
Fire Fund 206	\$4,702.84
Liquor Fund 212	\$161.47
Street Light Fund 219	\$447.08
Library Fund 271	\$3,559.54

**TOTAL EXPENDITURES: \$33,856.27**

A motion was made by Brenda Bowes, supported by Mike Goerke, that the report be accepted and filed. Motion passed.

The Treasurer reported to the Clerk that all accounts were balanced for the month of October.

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Topinabee Assistant Fire Chief Brian Coffell made the monthly Fire Report, reporting 5 runs, all for fire, for October: 3 in Mullett Township, 2 in Burt Township, and 0 mutual aid.

East Mullett Fire Department reported 3 runs for October: 2 EMS and 1 Fire.

Brenda Bowes made a motion, with support from Denise Ackerman, that the Supervisor be authorized to initiate a review of the East Mullett Fire Department's current operating status in conjunction with its Chief, for the Board's consideration at the December meeting. The motion passed.

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

- Two blight complaints were updated:
  - Property I: Sheriff deemed as non-blight
  - Property J: Sheriff deemed as non-blight

## **CURRENT BUSINESS**

- A complaint was filed against Property K for consideration as blight. A motion was made by Mike Goerke, with support by Brett Lindgren, that Property K be deemed as blight and forward to the Sheriff. The motion passed.
- A motion was made by Laz Surabian, with support from Mike Goerke, that the Road Commission's bid on the Bennett Road project (Woodmansee to Mullett Burt Rd) for \$95,800, with a down payment of \$1,916.00, be approved for Spring completion. The motion passed.
- A motion was made by Laz Surabian, with support from Mike Goerke, that having reviewed the Presque Isle Electric and Gas Public Rights on Way METRO Act Application, the Bilateral Permit and Agreement, and the requisite insurance policies, I move to approve both the permit and agreement, expressly subject to the following conditions:
  1. The Township being provided the actual insurance policies from the company naming the Township as an additional insured.
  2. A performance bond as required by the Township.
  3. A new check in the amount of \$500.00 is reissued to Mullett Township, to replace the stale check.The motion passed 4 votes to 1 vote.
- **Resolution 2022-08 To Rescind the Special Lighting Assessment for 2022-2023** offered by Laz Surabian, supported by Mike Goerke with a roll call vote: the ayes were Laz Surabian, Denise Ackerman, Brenda Bowes, Brett Lindgren, and Mike Goerke. The Resolution was adopted.

Call to the Public was called at 8:18 PM with one comment

Motion to adjourn was offered by Brett Lindgren, with support by Brenda Bowes, at 8:25 PM. The motion passed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Denise Ackerman

Mullett Township Clerk

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