

Approved

August 8, 2024

## July 11, 2024

# Koylton Twp Board Meeting

The regular Koylton Twp Board Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Doug Kramer @ 7:02 pm. Pledge to the flag. Board Members present: Kramer, Kelly, S. Boyl, J. Boyl & Sabin. 11 others were present.

Motion made by Sabin, seconded by S. Boyl to approve the minutes of the June 13, 2024 meeting as read. Motion carried.

Motion made by Kelly, seconded by Kramer to approve the Treasurers report for July 2024 with an ending balance in the general fund of \$301,899.45. Motion carried.

Kim Vaughn was present and provided updates on the Renewable Energy.

Brandon Putnam a Republican candidate running for Sheriff spoke

Kramer informed the board he had Tyler Bennett from Bennett Forestry, LLC do tree trimming at Siple Cemetery. Kramer also talked with Ted Patrick and Ted thought the tree trimming was more important than the gravel he requested. Other ideas to upgrade Cemetery were, paint the pillars and replace cables.

Motion made by Kramer, seconded by J. Boyl to approve Resolution #2024-09 Adopt Poverty Exemption Income Guidelines & Asset Test. 5 Aye's 0 Nays. Motion carried.

A Kingston Rd resident has asked for a Hidden Driveway sign to be placed near their driveway. The County has stated that it is the homeowner's responsibility for trimming the trees then the sign will be placed.

S. Boyl presented information she gathered regarding Garbage Service. She will be contacting Scott from GFL to have a contract drawn up.

S. Boyl presented the Koylton Twp Millage Renewal 2024 letter to be mailed to all residents informing them of the importance of the Road Millage Renewals.

Elliot Hubbard, Planning Commission Chair presented the Renewable Energy, Fire Charges & Noise Ordinances with discussion amongst the Board.

Motion made by Kramer, seconded by Sabin to amend the Noise Ordinance to 55 decibels from 9 pm to 6 am. Opposed J. Boyd, S. Boyd, Kelly. 2 Ayes, 3 Nays. Motion denied.

Motion made by J. Boyd, seconded by Kelly to amend the Noise Ordinance to 75 decibel from 6 am to 9 pm and 55 decibel from 9 pm to 6 am along with the lawyers suggestion to add w/the exception for emergency vehicles and noises created during an emergency to protect human life and property. Opposed Kramer, Sabin. 3 Ayes: J. Boyd, S. Boyd, Kelly 2 Nays. Motion carried.

Motion made by S. Boyd, seconded by J. Boyd to approve the Fire Charges Ordinance with lawyers approval. 5 Ayes. Motion carried.

Motion made by J. Boyd, seconded by S. Boyd to approve the Renewable Energy Ordinance with the following amendments; add permit fee of \$35.00 and Penalties section: The person or persons who violates any provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not exceeding \$250.00 first offense, \$500.00 second offense including court costs, or by imprisonment. 5 Ayes, Motion carried.

Motion made by Sabin, seconded by Kramer to pay bills in the amount of \$22,055.33 for July 2024. Motion carried.

Motion made by Kramer, seconded by Kelly to adjourn @ 9:39 pm. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by:

Melissa Kelly, Koylton Twp Clerk