

October 10, 2019
Koylton Twp Board Meeting

The regular Koylton Twp meeting was called to order by Supervisor Doug Kramer at 7:00 p.m. Pledge to the Flag. Board Members present: Kramer, Vroman, Jobson, Boyd, Sabin. 9 other township residents present and Kim Vaughn, County Commissioner.

Motion made by Boyd, seconded by Jobson to approve the minutes of the September 14, 2019 meeting. Motion carried.

Motion made by Vroman, seconded by Sabin to approve the Treasurer's report for October 2019 with an ending balance of \$49,670.84. Motion carried.

Public Comment:

Jim Borek raised a question about Treasurers pay when appointed to the board. Resolved per expense report this month. Also, Jim requested that the board should receive a report from the Code Compliance Officer (CCO) each month and questioned some buildings built or occupied without permits. Kramer stated that he would have the CCO look into it. Also, Jim raised some concern regarding the condition of some roads and corners. Road discussion followed.

Kim Vaughn, County Commissioner updated the board and those present regarding the Governors approval for the Caro Center with reduction of beds and budget cuts to the DNR and state aid for inmates.

Kramer noted that he received correspondence from Rep. Phil Green's office regarding an upcoming meeting on October 21, to discuss grant opportunities that might be available through various state departments (MEDC, DNR, DEGLE, MDARD). Anyone interested may attend.

Kramer reported that the contracted gravel roadwork with the County Road Commission has been completed in the township and that the roads are in good condition right now.

Some residents raised safety concerns and road conditions regarding the speed of heavy farm equipment and manure haulers on the gravel roads. Kramer stated that farmers are covered under the right to farm act but if the residents feel that it is dangerous to call the police.

Kramer reported that most of the road brush and tree removal work has been completed by King's Stump Grinding and recommended releasing check for payment.

Jobson raised questions regarding garbage billing changes for the year. Kramer recommended Jobson put together the list of names for all that are on the garbage roll so that the board can adopt the roll for the next tax year.

Ron Coltson reported that the open house was well attended at the fire hall and that the Marlette Fire Department was working on another grant.

Motion made by Vroman, seconded by Kramer to pay township bills of \$17,412.11 for October 2019. Motion carried.

	Ck #	Gross	Net Check	Description
Douglas Kramer	3794	\$800.00	\$738.80	Supervisor Salary
Linda Jobson	3795	\$1,000.00	\$923.50	Treasurer Salary
Rex Vroman	3796	\$1,200.00	\$1,108.20	Clerk Salary
Justin Boyl	3797	\$200.00	\$184.70	Board Meeting
Lawrence Sabin	3798	\$200.00	\$184.70	Board Meeting
Nathan Hager	3799	\$1,250.00	\$1,154.37	Assessor Salary
Green Grass Lawn Care	3800		\$130.00	Mowing of Siple Cemetery (9/19)
I.R.S.	3801		\$2,350.85	SS & Medicare
Marlette Fire Authority	3802		\$3,595.38	Standby fee Oct.1-Dec.31, 2019
Village of Kingston	3803		\$1,250.00	Hall Rent 3rd quarter
Village of Kingston	3804		\$4,735.00	Standby Fire Service Fee (1/4 partial pmt)
Rex Vroman	3805		\$133.11	Clerk Expenses, Mileage
Linda Jobson	3806	\$1,000.00	\$923.50	Treasurer Salary (April 2018)

TOTAL: \$17,412.11

Motion made by Kramer, seconded by Jobson to adjourn at 8:12 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by:

Rex Vroman, Koylton Twp Clerk