



SCHOOLCRAFT TOWNSHIP
November 15, 2022 Call to Order: 6:00 p.m. Including Zoom

Members Present: Supervisor Ulsh, Clerk Mongreig, Treasurer Scott, Trustee Fryling, and Trustee Stafford.

Motion by Scott with second by Stafford to approve the **Agenda** as presented. **Motion Carried 5-0**

Motion by Fryling with second by Scott to approve minutes **Regular Meeting October 11, 2022. Motion Carried 5-0.**

Motion by Fryling with second Scott to approve **List of Bills. Motion Carried 5-0**

Treasurer Scott Reported:

Income October 2022	\$ 18,679.40
Expenditures	\$106,330.71
Balance September 2022	\$417,452.17
Balance October 2022	\$326,389.06
Total ARPA Funds	\$501,264.59

Motion by Mongreig second by Fryling to approve as presented. **Motion Carried 5-0**

Public Comment:

Supervisor called attention to an email complaint received from Jack Wiley, Jr.

New Business:

Dr. Gail Walter, DVM and Peregrine Falcon Coordinator explained the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Urban Conservation Treaty for Migratory Birds, and asked Schoolcraft Township to join in along with number of cities, townships and conservation groups. **Motion by Ulsh with second by Scott to join the cause for "Making Cities Healthier Places for Birds and People". Motion Carried 5-0**

Progressive AE Agreement Barton Lake: Motion by Fryling with second by Stafford to direct Supervisor Ulsh to sign the Progressive AE, Inc. "Professional Services Agreement Barton Lake Aquatic Plant Control Program 2023" with a total cost \$8,500.00 (eight thousand five hundred dollars). **Motion Carried 5-0**

Sunset Lake PLM Lake & Land Management: Motion by Scott with second by Stafford to direct Supervisor Ulsh to sign the PLM Lake and Land Management "2023-2024 Herbicide Treatment Program" at estimated costs of \$20,000 per year.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO. 283 REZONING OF PROPERTY IN LAND SECTION 9 Motion by Scott with second by Ulsh to approve the adoption of said ordinance

Roll Call Vote:

Mongreig – y

Scott – y

Ulsh – y

Stafford- y

Fryling – y

Motion Carried 5-0

Planning Commission: The Planning Commission approved rezoning of a partial parcel in land section 9 from the existing RR and R-1 Medium Density Residential zoning classification to entirely RR Residential zoning and made recommendation to the Township Board for approval.
The commission also discussed amending fence heights.

Swan Park Report: Mongreig will contact Indiana Michigan Power regarding the power bill for the concession stand.

South Kalamazoo County Fire Authority: Trustee Fryling reported that the Authority is discussing the purchase of one to two fire trucks.

Members Time:

Treasurer Scott reported that South Central Michigan Construction Code Inspections continues to interview for blight, and inspection officials.

Mongreig distributed voting histories/comparisons of the 2018 vs 2020 General Elections.
In 2018 Schoolcraft Township had 6,668 registered voter vs 2022 with 7,471 registered voters.
In 2018 1,841, or 27.53% of registered voters turned out
In 2022 4,408, or 59% registered voters turned out.
60.82% females voted while 57.07% males voted.

Meeting adjourned 7:10P.M.



Virginia M. Mongreig, Clerk