

PLAINFIELD TOWNSHIP
REGULAR MEETING
October 21, 2009

Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Fred Lewis at 6:30 p.m, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Bielby, Bassi, Helms, Holzheuer Lewis and 15 citizens.

Approval of the Agenda: Delete the Fire Dept. Firefighters rates and add Thermo imager quotes. Motion by Bassi seconded by Helms to approve the agenda as amended. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes: Motion by Bassi seconded by Helms to approve the minutes of the Regular meeting of September 16, 2009. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Financial Report: All accounts are in balance.

Presentation of Bills: Motion by Holzheuer seconded by Helms to approve the bills as presented. Roll call vote: Ayes; Bassi, Helms, Holzheuer, Bielby and Lewis. Nays; None. Motion carried

Update on Police protection: Supervisor gave the Board information that he received. Several questions were asked by Board members. It was decided to have a public meeting on Nov. 4 at 7 p.m. to see what the public wishes are. All are asked to express their opinions thru e-mails to the office, faxes or by mail.

Public comments at 7:50 p.m.: Several comments regarding the possibility of police protection. Also information was presented regarding the Gazebo that the Garden Club is sponsoring.

Bass Lake Assessment: It was requested to form a #188 Assessment District on Bass Lake for Weed control. Motion by Bassi seconded by Holzheuer to approve a resolution to form #188 Assessment District at Bass Lake. Roll call vote: Ayes; Holzheuer, Helms, Bielby, Bassi, Lewis. Nays: None. The hearings will be held in the Spring of 2010.

Appointment to BOR: Motion by Lewis seconded by Bielby to appoint Jim Szafran to the Board of Review. Roll call vote: Ayes; Helms, Holzheuer, Bassi, Bielby, Lewis. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Ira Drive Resolution: Motion by Lewis seconded by Bassi to approve a resolution to form #139 Assessment District for Ira Drive for road improvements, the hearing will be Nov. 4, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. at the Township Hall. Roll call vote: Ayes; Bielby, Bassi, Helms, Holzheuer, Lewis. Nays; None. Motion carried.

Pine Street: Motion by Lewis seconded by Bielby to approve a resolution to form #139 Assessment District for Pine Street for road improvements, the hearing will be Nov. 4, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. at the Township Hall. Roll call vote: Ayes; Bassi, Holzheuer, Helms, Bielby, Lewis. Nays; None. Motion carried.

Fire Dept: They need to purchase a new thermo imager at a cost of \$9,250. Motion by Holzheuer seconded by Helms to purchase a new thermo imager. Roll call vote: Ayes; Bassi, Lewis, Holzheuer, Helms, Lewis. Nays; None. Motion carried.

Non-Certified Road Agreement: Motion by Helms seconded by Bassi to approve the Non-Certified Road agreement with the Road Comm. For \$22,413.00. Roll call vote: Ayes; Holzheuer, Helms, Bassi, Bielby, Lewis. Nays; None. Motion carried.

Mobile Home Ordinance: Motion by Bassi seconded by Lewis to change the Mobile Home Ordinance #34 As amended. Roll call vote: Ayes; Helms, Bassi, Bielby, Holzheuer, Lewis. Nays; None. Motion carried.

Sewer Lines: We have a bid from Shellenbarger Engineering of \$5,000.00 to do a study on the old sewer lines and contract out the relining of these old lines. Motion by Bassi seconded by Helms to approve this contract with Shellenbarger Engineering. Roll call vote: Ayes; Bassi, Bielby, Holzheuer, Helms, Lewis. Nays; None. Motion carried.

Reports: Parks & Rec. still working on snowmobile trails.

Planning Comm. Working on MFR district.

Historical Comm. They are looking for some display cases for the artifacts that have been donated.

Public comments at 8:35

Motion by Bassi seconded by Helms to adjourn at 8:40 p.m. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Elaine J. Bielby
Plainfield Township Clerk