

FREMONT TOWNSHIP REGULAR MEETING
WINN ANNEX
May 24, 2022

Supervisor Himebaugh opened the meeting at the Fremont Township office at 7 p.m. Members present: Himebaugh, VanBonn, Main, Barrett: Member missing: Schimmelmann (COVID restriction)

Acceptance of the agenda (Motion made by Ruth, 2nd by Shirlee)

Minutes approval for April 25, 2022 (Motion made Georgina, 2nd Ruth)

Treasurer Report Shirlee gave report (Motion to accept treasurer report was made by Ruth, 2nd by Gerad)

General Fund Balance	135,551.48
Investment Account	245,350.00
Fire Department	68,234.23
First Response	88,426.61
Planning & Zoning	371.52

Payments and Bills may 2022 (Motion to pay bills made by Georgina, 2nd by Garad)

General Fund	Check #10292-10325+OnLine Pmts	31,244.89
Fire Fund	Check #5355-5358+OnLine Pmts	1,597.31
First Response	Check#1218-1219+ Online Pmts	1,324.52
P&Z		

Reports

Supervisor: Gerad said he had 1 new zone permit for a new house on Fordyce rd.

Clerk: no report

Fire Chief Mike Main:

First Response Mike Main:

- Chief is working on setting a meeting with the builder for the supervisor and the FD. Hopefully this will occur soon. The builder is still available for a fall build at this time.
- The fire department had a controlled brush fire, assisted MRFD on a tractor accident, and had a wood chip pile on fire.
- We are sized up for the gear from the DNR grant and will be ordering the gear next week. This is a \$10K grant 50% match (FTFR funds). We will be able to order 13 sets from the grant with only \$400 over the grant amount. We will need to order 3 additional sets from our budget for an amount of \$2,400 to outfit everyone. The match should be around \$5,200.00 + the additional 3 sets for \$2,400.00 = \$7,600.00 from our fund. This gear will be used for everything outside of structural fire fighting which will provide us longevity with our structural gear that is so expensive.
- The two members that were sent to Clare for FFI training passed. The class was set up much different and the two members were able to ease through it.
- Rescue calls were

- 17 in April
 - 12 in May

New Item Dollar General is starting the process for the land on the corner of Blanchard and Winn. Gerad has send them information on the zoning. They need to start by trying to get it rezoned. It is currently at Agriculture 3 so zoning needs to be done first.

New Business

Land Division Lois Sandbrook Trust 5 acres. Taken out of the south 80, current house and barn. Tom will purchase from the trust. (Motion to grand land division was made by Shirlee and 2nd by Ruth)

Kirk McQueen mentioned to Gerad previously as Kirk was not at the meeting. The freezers/coolers need to be repaired at the community center. Gerad asked Ruth to contact G& S mechanical to set up a time to come and look at them and find out the cost to get them repaired. Also Ruth will ask them the protocol we should follow to keep them in good shape (should we be turning them off between uses or just leaving them on).

Wayne (Ruth's husband) asked about Morbark Clean up days and Gerad said it was moved to Sat. Jun 11th.

Respectfully submitted

Georgina Main
Acting