

FREMONT TOWNSHIP REGULAR MEETING  
WINN COMMUNITY BUILDING  
October 26, 2021

Supervisor Himebaugh opened the meeting at the Fremont Township office at 7 p.m. Members present: Schimmelmann, Barrett, Main, and Himebaugh and VanBonn  
The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

**Agenda:** Motion by Main and supported by Barrett accept the agenda.

Motion by Barrett and supported by Van Bonn to accept the minutes of September 21, 2021. Motion passed.

**Treasurer's report.** Motion by Schimmelmann and supported by Barrett to accept the treasurer's report. Motion passed.

General Fund Balance	96,064.73
Investment Account	142,816.39
Fire Department	38,603.83
First Response	73,041.64
Planning & Zoning	1,061.53

Motion by Main and supported by Himebaugh to pay the bills: Motion passed

**Bill Paid in June (Reports attached)**

General Fund	Check #10171-10186+OnLine Pmts	\$9,101.75
Fire Fund	Check #5297-5300+OnLine Pmts	\$1,097.98
First Response	Check OnLine Pmts	\$370.16
P&Z	Check #	

**Reports.**

**Fire and First Response 39 runs**

- Fire department responded to an assist with DTFD on double pin-in. We also responded to a car fire in the township.
- Rescue had 17 calls in Sept, 20 calls so far in October
- Chief placed an order for \$2,300 dollars for the dress uniform project. This invoice will be paid from the fire line item but it is actually the funds that were placed into the fire line item from a donation to the Fremont Township Emergency Services association by error
- Fire chief discussed the ARPA Funds, Chief mentioned tha the MTA had an article which discussed that the funds could be used for fire department additions and upgrades.
- Discussed the rescue units need to remove the two front door plastic portions on the bottoms of the doors. JT Auto Collision quoted out around \$1,100 for repairs after the plastic was removed. There is a dent from a previous deer accident several years ago that will now need to be fixed.
- R&R showed up unexpectedly and has been working on the DOT inspections for the three trucks that need them. The fire chief will reach out to R&R and take us off from the yearly auto rotation. We would like to do some of the required maintenance (oil, lube etc) locally to cut costs.
- Fire chief advised that a grant for \$1000.00 was received from Tri County for two new pagers. This only leaves 2 additional pagers to finish our refresh and allow us to go 800mHz paging.

**Planning & Zoning:** Four (4) permits

**Old Business:** Mike Main updated the board on the expansion of the fire barn, and possible funding sources. Will Place on agenda for November for further consideration. See above report from Chief Main.

**New Business:**

1. Motion by Schimmelmann and supported by Main to approve a Land Division for Thomas and Christine Casper. 2.02 acres.. Motion Passed
2. Brad Beach, assessor, has tendered his resignation effective 12/31/21. Clerk advised to place ads for replacement assessor as well as interviewing potential candiate recommended by Beach.
3. Discussion with Wolverine Computer Services to assist in transition to new email service for township. Winn Telephone is cancelling all WinnTelco email accounts effective 12/31/21.
4. Motion by Schimmelmann and supported by Barrett to have JT Auto Collision in Winn repair and refinish door on rescue unit. Cost estimate \$1200.00. Motion passed.

**Public Comment**

Jerry Jalyszynski reported on Isabella County Commissioner activities, as well as the proposed Milford Morey Memorial Park. Also noted that Isabella County is being redistricted and Jerry will no longer be our representative. Jerry will continue for one year. There will be an opening on the Isabella County board to represent Fremont township.

Meeting adjourned at 7:48 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Schimmelmann