

On Tuesday, March 26, 2013 at 7:30 p.m. Town Board Chairperson Greg Anderson called the regular monthly Town Board meeting to order. Other Supervisors present were Eugene Stoeckel, Jim Kusler and John Roxbury, Jr. Supervisor Mark Riverblood was absent.

Approve Minutes

Jim Kusler stated that on last month's minutes a permit was referred to as a 'conceal and carry permit' which should actually be a 'permit to carry' license. A motion was made by Eugene Stoeckel and seconded by John Roxbury, Jr. to approve the minutes of the February 19, 2013 regular monthly meeting. Motion Carried.

Approve Financial Report

A motion was made by John Roxbury, Jr. and seconded by Jim Kusler to approve the Financial Report for February 2013 as submitted. Beginning Balance of Township funds was \$377,895.31; total receipts of \$7,063.00; total disbursements of \$38,604.91; leaving a balance of \$346,353.40. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Old Business

There was no old business on the agenda to discuss.

New Business

John Roxbury, Jr. motioned to approve the following donations;

Mille Lacs County Ag Society	\$300
Mille Lacs County Historical Society	\$500
Princeton Area Library	\$1500
Princeton Area Visionary Committee	\$350

Jim Kusler seconded the motion. Motion Carried with Eugene Stoeckel opposed.

Eugene Stoeckel motioned to approve Resolution 2013-5, Adopting Septic Ordinance Changes. John Roxbury, Jr. seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

John Roxbury, Jr. motioned to reappoint Tom Braun and Carl Sanford for 3 year terms to the Planning Commission. Eugene Stoeckel seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

Eugene Stoeckel motioned to keep all of the following positions the same:

- Town Board Chairperson – Greg Anderson
- Town Board Vice-Chairperson – John Roxbury, Jr.
- Township Planning Commission Liaison – John Roxbury, Jr.
- City of Princeton Planning Commission – Jim Kusler
- Fire Advisory Committee – Eugene Stoeckel
- Airport Advisory Committee – Eugene Stoeckel
- Weed Inspector – Mark Riverblood

John Roxbury, Jr. seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

John Roxbury, Jr. motioned to designate the Princeton Union Eagle as the official newspaper. Eugene Stoeckel seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

Eugene Stoeckel motioned to designate Bremer Bank as the Township Depository. John Roxbury, Jr. seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

Eugene Stoeckel motioned to approve Resolution 2013-6, Authorizing Contract with Interested Officer. Greg Anderson stepped down from the discussion. John Roxbury, Jr. seconded the motion. Motion Carried with Greg Anderson abstaining from the vote.

Open Forum

Carol Carling gave an update on the Princeton Area Visionary Committee.

Supervisor's Reports

Eugene Stoeckel gave an update on the Airport Advisory Board.

Jim Kusler gave an update on the City of Princeton's Planning Commission.

Greg Anderson stated that he has had some residents contact him, and the Clerk, about the increase in Princeton Township taxes. He would like for the Clerk to contact the County to see exactly why the taxes have increased. He would then like the information to be included in the upcoming newsletter, so the residents will know that it is not the Township that has raised the budget.

Clerks Business

The Clerk stated that the owner of Go North Outdoors would like to change his CUP to include small engine repair. She stated that she talked with Loren and he said that the CUP could just be amended to include it. John Roxbury, Jr. stated that he thinks there should be a staff meeting and then a review with the Planning Commission and the Town Board.

The Clerk stated that she received a letter and a bill from a resident stating that his mailbox was ruined and he would like for the snowplow driver to pay for replacing it. She informed the Board that she had talked to the resident and told him that she would have the snowplow operator go out and take a look at it, but he did not want to do that. The Board agreed that they are not responsible for the mailbox since it was not a swing away mailbox, and especially since he refused to have someone even take a look at it.

The Clerk informed the Board that she needs to have the Audit minutes corrected since the Auditors corrected the audit by removing the donations finding.

John Roxbury, Jr. motioned to correct the Audit minutes from February 28, 2013, by removing the third finding by the auditors. Eugene Stoeckel seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

The Clerk informed the Board that she put in a bid for a tandem snowplow and it can be purchased for \$12,000. John Roxbury, Jr. motioned to approve the purchase of a new snowplow for \$12,000. Eugene Stoeckel seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

Approve Payment of the Bills

A motion was made by John Roxbury, Jr. and seconded by Eugene Stoeckel to approve payment of the bills, Check numbers 9960-10010. Motion Carried.

Adjourn

A motion was made by John Roxbury, Jr. and seconded by Eugene Stoeckel to adjourn the meeting at 8:10 p.m. Motion Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Connie Wubben
Clerk/Treasurer

Attendees: Carol Carling