

Perry Township
Regular Meeting Minutes
November 3, 2021

Present : Mark Fulks, Supervisor; Troy Parmalee, Treasurer; Kelly Schmidt, Clerk; Mark Fraser and Frances Griffith, Trustees.

Guests: Duane Wood, John Plowman

The Supervisor started the meeting with the pledge to the flag.

The **agenda was approved**. Fraser moved; Griffith seconded. All ayes Carried.

The **October 6, 2021 Regular Meeting minutes approved**. Fraser moved; Griffith seconded. All ayes Carried.

SHERIFF: 18 traffic stops; 141 total calls for the month.

SSESA: 14 runs for the month; 171 runs for the year in Perry Twp. Total SSESA runs for the year 1661.

Co. Comm: John Plowman gave an update on meetings to discuss how to spend the COVID money. Commissioners are trying to figure out how to help the local units with utility projects, drains, etc. The County was working on purchasing properties in Corunna for more office space but has been put on hold. The County is working on bonding the MERS pension plan. Actuary studies have been done and bonding looks to be the best option for funding the plan.

Library: The Perry Library will be undergoing renovations soon so the library will be closed for a short time. The Morrice Library is offering new programs and the book club is operational again.

Planning Comm: MDOT gave a driveway permit on M-52 to the Slocum's, however no other permits have been issues for their storage unit project. The Planning Commission is working on updating the Master Plan but is waiting on current census numbers.

The **financial statement was approved** to pay the bills. Fraser moved; Griffith seconded. Roll Call: Fraser, Griffith, Parmalee, Fulks. All ayes Carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

- The Planning Comm. reviewed a setback variance request by Mallory Builders for a 80' x 100' warehouse for Spartan Fence Inc. for their manufacturing processes. It was recommended that the Township Board send a letter to the County to approve their request. Parmalee moved; Fulks seconded. All ayes Carried.

- The 2021 special assessments for drains at large was approved for Perry Twp in the amount of \$7,028.10. Parmalee moved; Fraser seconded. Roll Call: Griffith, Schmidt, Parmalee, Fulks, Fraser. All ayes Carried.
- After the closure of TCF Bank in Morrice, the treasurer asked some banks and credit unions for proposals to do business. The fees were very high due to the number of transactions the Township does and their locations were not convenient. It was decided to stay with Huntington Bank and set up with remote capture for checks.

Adjourn: Parmalee moved; Fraser seconded. Carried.

Kelly Schmidt, Clerk

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