

Republic Township Board

February 23rd 2023

Regular Meeting Minutes

1. **Call to order:**
James Brennan called meeting to order at 7:02p.m.
2. **Pledge of allegiance**
3. **Roll call for all Board members-** James Brennan, Anna Griepentrog, Kristina Koski, and John Ison Present. Absent Frank Haslip
4. **Approve Agenda-** Motioned by Jim B. to approve the agenda with addition 8) I & J. Seconded by Anna G. Motion passed.
5. **Minutes-** Motioned by Tina K. to approve the meeting minutes for January 26th 2023, seconded by Jim B. Motion passed.
6. **Public Comment-** None
7. **Reports:**
 - A. **IOHT-** Jim made a motion to renew mileage for August election, seconded by Tina K. Motion passed.
 - B. **TIFA-** G.E.I will be sending us a bill for submitting a permit to EGLE for spillway and fish passage the permit fee is \$2,000.00
 - C. **WETESA-** We expect to be operating by May 28th, 2023. Also, they now have an EIN number.
 - D. **Zoning Administrator-** 2 new application, 4 total to the year to date
 - E. **Ordinance Enforcement-** Nothing new
 - F. **Assessor-** Good report
8. **Old Business:**
 - A. **Verizon Antenna Update-** Pasty net will move their dish and Verizon will be up in the spring.

B. Rock Solid Report- Save this for special meeting

C. Resolution Trust Fund Grant- Save this topic for special meeting also

D. Solar Farm Update- There will be a meeting March 1st in Humbolt, they are looking to buy land from the township by Perch Lake.

E. Quick Claim Deed- Jim made a motion to accept this from Roger Crimmins, seconded by John I. Motion passed.

F. Water Line Poplar- Tabled

G. EGLE letter Well #5- We need to do capping to this well and do drilling for a new one.

H.B.O.R.- Reinstated Arvo Lyyski and Yvonne Joelson for Board of Review. Motioned by Jim B. seconded by Anna G. Motion passed.

I. Bonding Road & Dam Projects- Jim will continue to pursue this

9. New Business

A. Request to Rent Recreational Areas- Higher Love wants to have a band by the campground. Motioned by Jim B. to allow this and seconded by Anna G. Motion passed.

B. Budget Meeting Date- A date for the budget meeting will be set by board members by email and come up with a date.

10. Payment of Bills- Motioned by Tina K. to approve the payment of bills, seconded by John I. Motion passed.

11. Public Comment- Irene Dishno

12. Board Comments-

13. Adjourn- Motioned by Anna G. to adjourn the meeting at 7:42 p.m. seconded by Jim B. Motion passed.

Sworn and subscribed to by:

Anna Griepentrog, Clerk

Date

Approved