

MINUTES
REGULAR BOARD MEETING (6:30 PM)
SILVER CREEK TOWNSHIP
FEBRUARY 9, 2022

Regular Meeting called to order at 6:30 pm

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Treasurer Kuriata, Clerk Behnke, Supervisor Braman, Trustee Saunders, Trustee Glynn Absent: None

Public comment

Approval of Agenda

Behnke/Kuriata

Motion passed by voice vote

Consent Agenda—motion to approve Consent Agenda items by roll call vote

Kuriata/Behnke

1-Approval of minutes from last meeting

2-Approval of monthly Bills and Claims

Roll call vote:

Yes (5): Clerk Behnke, Supervisor Braman, Trustee Saunders, Trustee Glynn, Treasurer Kuriata

No (0)

DISCUSSION

Packet info

Communications

Health and Safety Services Reports

a-Police Department

b-Indian Lake VFD -11 calls

c-Sister Lakes VFD – 6 calls

d-Ambulance – 22 calls

Building Department Permits:

Building – 3

Electrical - 3

Mechanical – 8

Plumbing - 2

ZC - 2

Demo - 0

Trial balance report - General Fund \$669,190.95; Indian Lake Sewer \$466,044.29;

Government Lake Board – next 2/22/22 at 5:00 pm

Parks & Recreation Committee

Planning Commission Report – next 2/23/22 at 7:00 pm

Sewer - Indian Lake & SLAUA

Zoning Appeals Board Report – next 2/22/22 at 7:00 pm

Police Department – we have a proposal from Cass County Sheriff Office and after we receive the proposal from Dowagiac PD, we will have a special meeting.
 Budget Workshop scheduled for Thursday February 17th at 2:00 pm.

NEW BUSINESS

Recognition of Anthony Lozada, a top 100 national winner of the 2021 Small Town America Civic Volunteer Award. Motion carried by voice vote.	<i>Behnke/Kuriata</i>
Motion to approve sixth amendment to Master Deed for Misty Pines; authorize recording by developer. Motion carried by voice vote.	<i>Braman/Saunders</i>
Motion to approve R22-01, BOR-allow protest in writing. Roll call vote: Yes (5): Supervisor Braman, Trustee Saunders, Trustee Glynn, Treasurer Kuriata, Clerk Behnke No (0)	<i>Behnke/Kuriata</i>
Motion to approve R22-02, Poverty Exemption Guidelines Roll call vote: Yes (5): Trustee Saunders, Trustee Glynn, Treasurer Kuriata, Clerk Behnke, Supervisor Braman No (0)	<i>Kuriata/Saunders</i>
Motion to adopt R22-03, Establish an AVCB (Absent Voter Counting Board for 2022) Roll call vote: Yes (5): Trustee Glynn, Treasurer Kuriata, Clerk Behnke, Supervisor Braman, Trustee Saunders No (0)	<i>Glynn/Saunders</i>
Motion to purchase 2 fire file cabinets from the Building department (\$1,910/each), using general fund, to store records for minutes and parks/rec. Roll call vote: Yes (5): Treasurer Kuriata, Clerk Behnke, Supervisor Braman, Trustee Saunders, Trustee Glynn No (0)	<i>Saunders/Kuriata</i>
Motion to approve a phone stipend for building inspector, to cover phone calls and data plan, up to \$85/mo. Roll call vote:	<i>Braman/Behnke</i>

Yes (5): Supervisor Braman, Trustee Saunders, Trustee Glynn, Treasurer Kuriata, Clerk Behnke No (0)	
Motion adopt the 2018 Plumbing Code as adopted by the State of Michigan. Motion passed by voice vote.	<i>Kuriata/Behnke</i>

Public Comment

Motion to Adjourn

Kuriata/Behnke

Meeting Adjourned 6:58 pm

Typed & Posted 2/10/22

To be approved: 3/9/22