

Regular Meeting minutes
Hybrid meeting
April 12, 2022

Everyone stood for the pledge of allegiance. The meeting was called to order by Sandy Hagan. Roll call was taken with Sandy, Mike, Harlan, Peggy, and Linnea present. Dave from 24/7 security gave the board an overview of the new alarm system. Minutes of the last meeting were read. Mike Miller made a motion to accept the minutes, and Harlan Bellin seconded it. Peggy gave a treasurer's report, and Mike made a motion to accept the report, with Sandy seconding it.

Roads

1. Under MSA updates, the Swanson's have contacted Mike about the expenses for their project, and he advised them to contact James directly. James will keep the board informed as the project moves forward.
2. Letter of Understanding regarding road maintenance on 245th with Linwood township will be re-visited next month.
3. Road Maintenance bids- Linnea will work with Mike Miller to publish a request for proposals for Oxford road maintenance projects in the coming year.
 - a. 275th Avenue NE – ditch level issue; repairs for this road will be included in the request for proposals that will be published this week.
 - b. Work on Virgo will also be included in the road maintenance bids. The board will plan to open the sealed bids at our May 10th meeting.
4. There was a good discussion regarding dust suppression options for our roads. Mike shared estimates from Northern Salt and cost of applying the soybean oil byproduct. Rick Keller talked about grading considerations for these applications, and that some will need multiple applications for people to notice the effect. Mike Miller made a motion to treat Potomac with dustlock from County Road 9 to the corner, which is approximately 1 mile. Harlan Bellin seconded the motion. Linnea will check with Tiffany on the whether or not the SWCD has a statement on various applications and their effect on the environment. Mike will get the environmental data from Northern Salt.
5. There are still 2 posts on Typo that will make mowing difficult this summer. Mike Miller made a motion to have Bart pull out the posts, and use one to replace the missing Chevron sign. Sandy Hagan seconded the motion.

Old Business

1. Harlan gave a fire district update and the main item of business was to elect a chairman.
2. Sandy had no update on the hazardous mitigation team.
3. The Seven County Senior Federation sent a thank you note, and want to know if we want a copy of their newspaper.

New Business

1. Isanti County Township Officers meeting
 - a. April 28, at 7:00 PM, at the Board Room of the Isanti County Government Center. Our supervisors plan to attend.
2. Isanti County Planning Commission agenda item.
 - a. The revised Don John plat is on for April 14, 2022. Mike will discuss with Trina that Lot 4 has infrastructure straddling 2 lots. This will need to be resolved before the lot is approved.
3. Safety Day will be May 12, 2022. Mike Miller made a motion to send Sandy to Safety Day. Harlan Bellin seconded the motion.
4. Pat Davis asked if the Accessory Dwelling proposal has passed yet, and Mike reported that there are still refinements being made. Once it passes, Mike feels that the township should put more restrictions regarding this topic, and Oxford will work to make our own policy.
5. Bob Kollmer asked if we have heard if the county is doing anything for County road 20. Mike mentioned that Richard HeideIman has retired and we don't know who our new highway engineer is yet. Mike will ask at the next county meeting, and report back at the May meeting.

Mike Miller made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Harlan Bellin seconded the motion.

Respectfully submitted,
Linnea Lentz
Oxford Clerk
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