# **Avery Township Board Meeting**

### June 7, 2022

Call to Order: 6:04 Pledge of Allegiance

**Roll Call:** Thom Seymour, Robin Ross, Dawn Dobbyn, Diane Ives, Gary McMurphy, Cynthia Damoth, Bruno Wojcik, Officer Nedo

Minutes: Dawn motioned Robin seconded to approve the Budget Hearing Meeting Minutes dated 4/5/2022

April 5, 2022 Township Board Meeting: Thom explained the millage language regarding the fire and ambulance to the board. Dawn motioned to accept as written by our attorney. (See attached) Robin seconded. Motion passed.

**Treasurers Report:** Robin reviewed the treasurers report. Dawn motioned to accept. Diane seconded. Motion passed.

Payment of Bills: Gary motioned to pay the bills, Dawn seconded motion passed.

#### **New Business**

Thom discussed Robin's personal PC is dying and that we needed to purchase a laptop for the treasurer. Board motioned to allow the office to purchase computers for the treasurer and clerk.

We had a roofer look at the roof and he said there are some repairs needed.

Thom motioned; Dawn seconded motion passed.

Thom told the board that to make the bathroom needs a handrail to be handicap compliant.

**Old Business**: Thom discussed the pricing of our bid on the addition and at this time the cost is too high.. Hobson electric got the outside lighting working.

**Other Business:** Cynthia talked to Kurt about the cemetery and the price of cement has gone up so we discussed raising the costs for the foundation fees. Thom motioned to raise the prices according to Cynthia's recommendation. Dawn seconded. motion passed.

Board of Review: Thom reported that Denise Beroni retired from Board of Review

**Public Comment:** Robin asked about the debit card. Thom explained that it was locked in the file cabinet in the Clerk's office.

Adjourn: Thom motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:02. Gary seconded. Motion passed.

Respectively Submitted. Diane Ives, Avery Twp Clerk

## **AVERY TOWNSHIP**

# Proposal for Ambulance Millage

This proposal will permit the Township to levy up to 2 mills for the purpose of providing funds for ambulance services.

Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be levied by the Township of Avery, Montmorency County, Michigan, against taxable property in the Township be increased by up to two (2) mills (\$2.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years, 2022 through 2025, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for ambulance services, and shall the Township levy such millage for this purpose? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage would raise an estimated \$61,306 for the Township in 2022.

( ) Yes

( ) No

## Proposal to Renew Fire Miliage

This proposal reestablishes the 1 mill fire millage previously approved by the electors that expired after the December, 2021 levy. Specifically, the proposal renews the current .9992 mills that was last levied and restores the .0008 mills previously rolled back by the Headlee Amendment.

Shall the limitation on the amount of ad valorem taxes which may be levied by the Township of Avery, Montmorency County, Michigan, against taxable property in the Township be increased by up to one (1) mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) for a period of four (4) years, 2022 through 2025, inclusive, for the purpose of providing funds for fire protection services, and shall the Township levy such millage for this purpose? If approved and levied in its entirety, this millage would raise an estimated \$30,653 for the Township in 2022.

() Yes

( ) No