LEAVITT TOWNSHIP

REGULAR MEETING

HELD AT TOWNSHIP HALL

FEBRUARY 11, 2013

7:00 P.M.

SUPERVISOR, JOHN HERREMANS, CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER AT 7:00 P.M. THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE WAS RECITED. ROLL CALL TAKEN – ALL BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT. ASSESSOR, DAN KIRWIN, WAS ABSENT. GUESTS WERE MORGAN KRUPPE, JERRY FRICK AND JIM AND BARB YANCEY. MOTION WAS MADE BY PURDY AND SUPPORTED BY E. KRUPPE TO ACCEPT THE AMENDED DECEMBER MINUTES. CARRIED. MOTION WAS MADE BY PURDY AND SUPPORTED BY E. KRUPPE TO ACCEPT THE JANUARY MINUTES. CARRIED. THE TREASURER’S REPORT FOR FEBRUARY WAS GIVEN. THE CLERK STATED THE ACCOUNT BALANCE WAS WRONG. HE AND THE TREASURER DETERMINED THE PROBLEM AND THE CLERK WILL MAKE THE NECESSARY CORRECTION.

OLD BUSINESS: JIM YANCEY REPORTED HE HAD BEEN SELECTED AS A VILLAGE REPRESENTATIVE TO SERVE ON THE LAND BANK BOARD.

THE SHERIFF DEPARTMENT WANTED THE TOWNSHIP TO ADD TO ITS’ ORV ORDINANCE A LIST OF THE PROHIBITED ROADS FOR RIDING ORV’S. THE TREASURER UPDATED THE ORDINANCE BY ADDING AN ATTACHMENT OF THE PROHIBITED ROADS ON THE LAST PAGE. THE SHERIFF DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN SENT A COPY. THE CLERK RECEIVED COPIES OF A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE OCEANA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS REGARDING THE AGREEMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES FOR OPERATING ORV’S IN THE TOWNSHIP. MOTION WAS MADE BY HERREMANS AND SUPPORTED BY D. KRUPPE TO ACCEPT THE AGREEMENT. MOTION WAS CARRIED. THE CLERK WILL SEND A COPY TO THE OCEANA COUNTY CLERK AND SHERIFF.

NEW BUSINESS: THE CLERK RECEIVED A LETTER FROM THE COUNTY EQUALIZATION DEPARTMENT STATING THEY WILL PROBABLY BE CONTRACTING FOR AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY THIS YEAR. COSTS WERE STILL UNCERTAIN SO THE BOARD TOOK NO FURTHER ACTION. JERRY FRICK PRESENTED THE BOARD MEMBERS COPIES OF THE PROPOSED FIRE BUDGET FOR 2013-2014. HE WENT OVER THE BUDGET WITH THE BOARD AND ANSWERED ANY QUESTIONS. MOTION WAS MADE BY PURDY AND SUPPORTED BY E. KRUPPE TO ACCEPT THE PROPOSED BUDGET. ROLL CALL VOTE WAS TAKEN: PURDY-YES, E. KRUPPE-YES, D. KRUPPE-YES, KOLBE-YES, HERREMANS-YES. MOTION WAS PASSED 5 YES, 0 NO. THE ANNUAL FIRE BOARD MEETING WILL BE MARCH 9TH AT 2:00 P.M. RESOLUTION WAS MADE BY D. KRUPPE AND SUPPORTED BY KOLBE GIVING THE TOWNSHIP BOARD THE OPTION OF ADJUSTING AND REVIEWING 2013-2014 SALARIES AT THE BUDGET HEARING IN MARCH. ROLL CALL VOTE WAS TAKEN: PURDY-YES, D. KRUPPE-YES, E. KRUPPE-YES, KOLBE-YES, HERREMANS-YES. RESOLUTION WAS PASSED 5 YES, 0 NO. THE BUDGET HEARING WILL BE MARCH 11 AT 6:30 P.M. THE CLERK PRESENTED TO THE BOARD THE PRELIMINARY TOWNSHIP AND FIRE BUDGET FOR 2013-2014. MOTION WAS MADE BY PURDY AND SUPPORTED BY KOLBE TO PAY THE CURRENT BILLS. CARRIED. MOTION WAS MADE BY D. KRUPPE AND SUPPORTED BY HERREMANS TO ADJOURN. CARRIED.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED BY,

RICHARD KOLBE, CLERK