

Charter Township of Ironwood
Regular Meeting
February 26, 2007

At 4:00 p.m. Supervisor Rick Estola opened the meeting with the Pledge of allegiance, and roll call was taken.

ROLL CALL: Supervisor Rick Estola, Clerk Gayla Salmi, Treasurer Jyl Olson.

TRUSTEE: Frank Genisot, John Suutala.

ABSENT: Marilyn Partyka, and Bernie Brunello.

AMENDMENTS TO AGENDA:

A motion was made by Ms. Salmi supported by Mr. Suutala to add Walmart Legal Council Mr. Greenlee to old business, and move old business to the top of agenda. The motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS: Mr. Estola introduced Mr. Greenlee legal council for the Walmart Corporation.

Mr. Greenlee noted that project was being let out to bid on Wednesday March 1, 2007.

Mr. Estola requested that the Grunke's light issue be addressed by Walmart. A motion was made by Mr. Genisot supported by Mr. Suutala to write a letter to Walmart to encourage them to make every effort possible to eliminate the light pollution that will be created by the parking lot. The motion carried on a roll call vote as follows:

AYES: Estola, Olson, Salmi, Genisot, Suutala.

NAYS: None.

ABSENT: Brunello, Partyka.

A motion was made by Mr. Suutala supported by Ms. Olson to accept and authorize signatures on the Walmart Development agreement. The motion carried on a roll call vote as follows:

AYES: Olson, Genisot, Suutala, Estola, Salmi.

NAYES : None

ABSENT: Brunello, Partyka.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

CONSENT AGENDA:

Minutes of February 12, 2007.

General fund vouchers 28293 to 28309 totaling \$11473.53.

Water fund vouchers 7419 – 7423 totaling \$ 13153.24.

Waste Water: none.

A motion was made by Mr. Genisot supported by Ms. Olson to accept the consent agenda as presented. The motion carried.

REPORTS: Supervisor Estola noted that the Tax Tribunal case has been settled, and Mr. LaGrew will calculate the final payoff.

Regarding the gravel pit, the lawsuit has been dismissed. The attorneys want to discuss the proposed gravel ordinance.

Mr. Bukovitz is allowing his water to run, wants a break in his water bill. A motion was made by Mr. Genisot supported by Mr. Suutala to inquire with the City if they are allowing credits for the Township residents. WE will charge according to City response. The motion carried.

Mr Rolniak reported on a chimney fire. Also reported that in March there will be a training on the use of Jaws of Life.

COMMUNICATIONS: None.

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NEW BUSINESS: None.

PUBLIC COMMENT None.

Adjournment. At 4:20 p.m. Mr. Suutala made a motion which was supported by Ms. Olson to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried.

Rick Estola, Supervisor

Gayla Salmi, Clerk