



Clinton County, MI  
6843 Alward Road Laingsburg, MI  
Approved Board Minutes from March 14, 2022 meeting

The regular meeting of Victor Township was called to order by Supervisor J. Conklin at 7:00 pm.

**Attendance:** Present: J. Conklin, Willoughby, Townsend, Fickes & A. Conklin

**Agenda:** Motion by Fickes to approve the agenda. Supported by Townsend. All in favor. Motion carried.

**Public Comment:** Chris Stewart addressed the board and audience. Mr. Stewart is running for 75<sup>th</sup> District State Representative. He is a former teacher, business owner and is very involved in agriculture and conservation. He can be reached at 267-714-8837 or on Facebook at Friends of Chris Stewart.

**Approval of Minutes:** Motion by Townsend to approve the February 14, 2022 regular meeting minutes. Supported by Willoughby with the addition of listing full business name under Agricultural Cannabis. Motion amended. Supported by a. Conklin. All in favor. Motion carried. Motion by Townsend to approve the February 23, 2022 special meeting minutes. Supported by Fickes. All in Favor. Motion carried.

**Treasurer's Report:** Motion by A. Conklin to accept the treasurer's report. Supported by Townsend. All in favor. Motion carried.

**Approval of bills:** Motion by Willoughby to disburse payroll and related payroll expenses in the amount of \$18,138.33 using checks #12303-12311, EFT's 156 & 157 and stub #12. Supported by Townsend. All in favor. Motion carried.

Motion by Willoughby to pay the bills in the amount of \$17,261.15 using checks #28458-28473 and to pay Tri County Office on Aging and the planning commission for bills submitted. Supported by Townsend. All in favor. Motion carried.

#### **Reports:**

**Clinton County Commissioner, Adam Stacey:** Smith Hall opening to public. The Clinton County 4H Fair will be held as usual. Broadband plans are ongoing.

**Victor Township Planning Commission:** The cemetery maintenance list is being revisited. Stilson Cemetery fencing needs maintenance. There was discussion about the absence of a general law township representative on Clinton Board of Commissioners. Currently all commissioners are from charter townships. The planning commission discussed future road projects and ARPA funding. The next PC meeting will be held electronically and in person on April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022, at Victor Township Hall at 7:00 pm. The public can join electronically via Zoom meeting ID 83394750325 <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83394750325>

**Maintenance & Facilities:** One of the indoor women's bathroom toilets was repaired. The bird deterrent for the pavilions need to be installed as well as the outdoor Wi-Fi beacon.

#### **Unfinished Business:**

- **Round Lake Weeds SAD** – Resolution 2022-3-002 Declaration of Intent to Make Public Improvements and Reestablishment of Special Assessment District and Notice of Public Hearing was offered by A. Conklin and supported by Willoughby. Roll call vote. All in favor. Motion carried

- **Agricultural Cannabis** – Motion by Willoughby to not to use Byrum Fisk for cannabis survey. Supported by J. Conklin. All in favor. Motion carried. Motion by Willoughby to draft a township survey for board approval prior summer tax bill mailing. Supported by Townsend. All in favor. Motion carried.
- **Broadband** – The township was not selected as a grant recipient. Stellar Broadband is continuing its plan to bring broadband into the township. Richard Laing spoke on behalf of Stellar’s plans and the launch of his website; fibervictor.com.
- **Hazard Mitigation** – Fickes attended first meeting. Training is scheduled for April. She has begun the certification process with the American Red Cross.

**New Business:**

- **ARPA** – The board should begin putting their ideas and plans on paper for future meeting.
- **Clinton County Memo** – Clinton County issued a memo regarding their plan to change the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance regarding marihuana businesses. A public hearing will be held on April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022 at 6:30 pm at the court house to discuss.
- **Salary Resolution Assessor** - Motion by Willoughby to approve the assessor salary resolution 2022-03-003. Supported by Townsend. Roll call vote. Motion carried
- **2022-2023 Budget Resolution** - Motion by Willoughby to approve General Appropriations Act Resolution 2022-3-001. Supported by Townsend. Roll call vote. All in favor. Motion carried.

**Extended Public/Board Comment** – None

Motion by J. Conklin to adjourn at 8:31 pm. Supported by Fickes. All in favor. Motion carried.

  
Amanda Conklin, Clerk