MINUTES

STURGIS TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING April 2, 2018 - 4 P.M

Supervisor Morse opened the meeting at 4:00 P.M. <u>Present</u>: Bobalik, Metzger, Arney, Pappas Absent:, None Staff present: Assessor Hutson

LIBRARY REPORT:

-- None

VISITORS COMMENTS:

-- Dennis Smith introduced himself as a candidate for the House of Representatives for the 59th district

AGENDA was approved.

ASSESSOR'S REPORT:

-- Provided BOR minutes

ZONING ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT:

- -- Site plan approved by the planning commission for the St. Joseph County Co-op at US 12 and Elaine Dr.
- -- Former Kendrick's building sold; will have two tenants
- -- Dr. Vakaria to occupy former dentist office on US 12

MINUTES: Minutes of the March 5, 2018 regular meeting were approved on a motion by Arney, supported by Metzger.

BILLS FOR PAYMENT: for March were approved on a motion by Arney, supported by Bobalik

TREASURER'S REPORT: for March was approved on a motion by Bobalik, supported by Morse

OLD BUSINESS:

-- None

NEW BUSINESS:

- -- Motion by Arney, supported by Bobalik to approve \$500 contribution to the Cade Lake disc golf construction. Approved
- -- Motion by Morse, supported by Bobalik to approve hiring Tony Ransberger (affiliated with Ron Bellaire) as electrical inspector. Approved
- -- Motion by Morse, supported by Pappas to approve hiring Joe Wickey (affiliated with Randy Schmeling) as zoning enforcement officer. Approved
- -- Motion by Metzger, supported by Arney to approve 2018-2019 meeting schedule for board and planning commission meetings

FIRE & AMBULANCE:

-- Morse provided an update: Recent truck purchase for Personal Injury Accidents, the need for replacing air packs, salary increases for fire chief and assistant chief. More information in May

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

-- Morse provided an update on the 2018 roads project and possible funding changes

CORRESPONDENCE:

VISITORS COMMENTS:

--None

The meeting adjourned at 4:53 P.M. on a motion by Morse, supported by Bobalik

Respectfully Submitted by:

Michael Bobalik, Clerk