

ANNUAL MEETING PARTRIDGE TOWNSHIP

March 9, 2021

The Clerk called the annual meeting to order at 8:08. Those present were Laurie Jorgensen, Sharen Johnsen, Ovid Jensen, Lee Johnsen, Matt Klocke, Gary Stitt, and Anne Stitt. Pledge of Allegiance recited.

Motion made by Lee to have Gary Stitt act as moderator, second by Ovid, Motion carried 7-0.

Minutes of the 2020 Annual Meeting were read, motion by Lee Johnsen to accept the minutes as read, second by Ovid Jensen. Motion carried 7-0.

Election results were as follows: Total of 15 Ballots cast, Supervisor Matt Klocke received 15 votes, Treasurer Laurie Jorgensen received 14 votes, with one unmarked ballot for Treasurer.

The treasurer's report was read. We had a beginning balance \$184,459.00, receipts totaled \$192,399.92 and disbursements of \$128,610.30 to bring our ending balance of 2020 \$248,248.62. Financial report approved with a motion by Lee Johnsen and a second by Matt Klocke. Motion passed 7-0.

Discussion was held about the roads. Road Supervisor Lee Johnsen asked Ovid Jensen to speak about the roads. We increased the sanding on the roads this year during icy times so more sand was spread, the last few years we spent more in brushing, last year almost \$10,000.00 but this is something the Township needs to stay on top of and it has been necessary. No big road projects last year, beaver issues on Clark Road and Partridge Creek Road were hopefully resolved. There doesn't appear to be any big road projects coming up this year either, unless something unforeseen. Roberts Excavating is going to purchase gravel and will haul/spread for us and then bill us. 2200 yards of gravel was used last year.

Presentation and approval of the levy: Discussion held, and everyone seems to be in agreement that we are good with the current levy and should not increase. There will be a future big expense coming at some point to bring broadband to our residents, right now it is unknown when that will happen, what kind of funds will be available but it is something we should keep in mind, COVID brought the deficiency in our area to light when everyone went remote and school went to distance learning. Laurie Jorgensen made a motion that we keep the levy the same, Matt Klocke made a second. Motion carried 7-0.

Tax Levy:
\$121,000.00
General: \$16,000.00
Road & Bridge: \$63000.00
Fire: \$36,000.00
Zoning: \$5,000.00
Building Maintenance: \$1,000.00

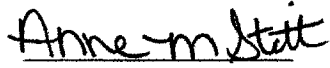
Business from the floor: None.

The next Board meeting is tomorrow night 3/10 at 7:00 P.M. The reorganizational meeting is set for Thursday April 1, 2021 at 6:30 at the Askov Community Center. The regular April Board meeting of supervisors will be called to order immediately after the reorganization meeting is adjourned. Public is welcome to attend.


The 2022 Annual Election and Meeting will be held on Tuesday 3/8/2022 with the election being from 5 to 8 pm, and Annual Meeting will begin once election process is complete.

Gary Stitt adjourned the meeting at 8:34p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,



Anne M Stitt
Clerk



Gary P Stitt
Moderator