

FREEDOM TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Draft Minutes of the Regular Meeting
September 14, 2010, 8:00pm

1. Call to Order/Roll Call

Supervisor Weidmayer called the meeting to order at 8:00PM.
Members present, Weidmayer: Haeussler, Alexa, Huehl, absent: Schaible

2. Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Approval of Minutes: Moved by Huehl Support by Haeussler to:
Approve the August 10th, 2010 Township Board minutes. Motion carried by all Ayes. CARRIED

4. Treasurer's Report: Moved by Alexa supported by Huehl to: Approve the August, 2010 Treasurers report.
Roll call vote was unanimous. Aye: Alexa, Haeussler, Huehl, Weidmayer Nay: none CARRIED

5. Communications: Dale Weidmayer's term is up on the PDR county board. MTA on the road is in October. The Jackson Citizen patriot had a nice write up on our Freedom Township resident Ray Berg, on his involvement in the Manchester area. Dollars in sense program being held Sept. 15th in Chelsea, Dale Weidmayer and Jennifer Alexa are attending. The township will get quotes for a generator for the town hall.

6. Public Comment: A resident gave pipeline information to the township board about spills in the United States.

7. Reports:

Planning Commission report: PC had a public hearing August 12th for the county park expansion and the boundary adjustment for the Guenther property. PC had a board meeting September 2nd. A full copy of the PC minutes is available through the clerk's office.

Ordinance Enforcement report: – a person inquiring about purchasing property in Freedom Township wondered if there was an ordinance about chemicals being sprayed. The Farmers Advance news stated that the state is going after the wild boar problem. Washtenaw county had the second highest kill rate for boars.

Zoning Inspector report: – 2 zoning for the month, one at 14010 Bethel Church garage and the other at 4354 Fletcher for a bedroom/bath addition.

Clerks report: Gearing up for the November 2nd election. Will meet next week with the township insurance company.

8. Unfinished Business: none.

9. New Business:

Several inquires about the lawn not being mowed at a resident on Pleasant lake road, a letter has been sent to the resident the deadline for the lawn to be mowed is September 20th.

SWWCOG had a presentation from Washtenaw County Sheriff Jerry Clayton; Freedom Township will have to consider the options in the next few years regarding police patrol in the township.

A decision on fire runs about the curve on Fletcher road, there has been several accidents on the curve and that curve is the line between Manchester fire department and Chelsea fire department.

10. Warrants: Moved by Huehl supported by Haeussler: To approve warrants 8970-8997 void 8993, 8994.

Roll call vote was unanimous.

Aye: Huehl, Alexa, Haeussler, Weidmayer nay: none CARRIED

11. Public Comment: none.

Adjourned at 9:18 p.m. Jennifer Alexa, Clerk, Freedom Township