

Escanaba Township meeting held, August 10, 2009, at the Township Hall.

Supervisor Kevin Dubord called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. and led in the Pledge of Allegiance. Other Board members present: Clerk Patricia Beauchamp, Treasurer Linda Trombley-Robitaille, Trustee Alfred Gareau, and Thomas Rymkos. The audience had eight in attendance.

Treasurer Trombley-Robitaille presented the Financial Report

General Account Bay Bank	\$ 512.50
General Account Saving (191 51)	237,137.73
General Account Saving (129 78)	299.80
General Account C/D's	54,183.79
Building Fund C/D's	471,344.80
Water Fund C/D's	68,798.79
Liquor Law Savings	4,059.43
Liquor Law C/D's	15,876.65
Cemetery Savings	3,020.33
Cemetery C/D's	10,500.00
Land Acquisition C/D's	18,735.60
Fire Department C/D's	37,749.05
T & A Fund	28.90
Summer Tax Checking	12.65
Summer Tax Saving	193,088.42
Winter Tax Checking	5.23
Winter Tax Saving	11.54

Clerk Beauchamp moved to accept the Financial Report as presented, seconded by Trustee Rymkos. Motion carried.

Communications and Commission (what was spent in Escanaba Township this past year), Michigan County Road Commission, MTA Faxes, Chamber of Commerce, UPPCC, Public Service Commission, .

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Unfinished Business. Magnuson from Marinette who has an abandoned home in Lake Bluff Estates signed a contract with Bittner Construction to tear down the home.

LaBumbard blight issue went in front of the judge and LaBumbard brought pictures to show the improvements he made. The Judge gave him another week to make more improvements.

Treasurer Trombley-Robitaille will go to the bank and get the loan set for the special assessment for Bluff Drive in Lake Bluff Estates. The loan will be \$18,000.00 for twenty years (5 residents will pay for a full lot at \$245.00 a year and 1 resident will pay for a ½ lot at \$122.50 a year).

The Supervisors 14 point review went well for his assessing.

Supervisor Dubord thanked Barry King for the nice job at the pavilion and township hall for repairs he did for us.

Supervisor Dubord talked to Rob VanEffen from the Road Commission. The only work to be completed on County Road 416 20th Road at this time is the seeding on the edges of the road.

Mr. Meyers up in Lake Bluff Estates will be putting up a 4 foot fence between his property and Lynches. A few trees will be taken down for the fence but will be on his property. Mrs Lynch is not for this at all.

New Business The township land off 0.8 Lane, ten parcels is ready to sell. An ad will be put in the Action News (wooded lots by the high school, 622 ft deep X 156 ft wide and power is available) and a sign will be put at the end of the road with the lot arrangement.

The Board is looking at a parcel in Lake Bluff Estates to have a tot lot and a voting area. This lot is for sale for \$35,000.00. A public hearing will take place September 14, at our next month meeting. A letter will be sent to residents that are within 300 feet of this area.

Trustee Gareau moved to reimburse Brad Barron for his mileage to Ensign Township for his firemen's training at a cost of \$150.00. Trustee Rymkos seconded this motion. Motion carried.

Trustee Gareau moved to donate \$450.00 to the firemen for a family picnic, seconded by Clerk Beauchamp. Motion carried.

Public Comments.

Trustee Gareau moved to pay bills, seconded by Treasurer Trombley-Robitaille. Motion carried.

Trustee Gareau moved to adjourn at 8:42 p.m., seconded by Treasurer Trombley-Robitaille. Motion carried.

Patricia J. Beauchamp

Escanaba Township Clerk