SOLON TOWNSHIP STAFF MEETING MINUTES

September 3, 2014

Solon Township Hall 15185 Algoma Avenue Cedar Springs, MI 49319 616-696-1718

CALL TO ORDER by Supervisor Ellick 10:00 a.m.

Present: Ellick, Austin, Gunnell, Gerhardt, Rideout, Poulsen, Doane, Drake

Absent: None

Assessor: Finished up on field work for reappraisals. Taking care of paperwork.

Zoning Administrator: absent.

Building Department: Few houses, pole barns going up. Couple of stop orders on houses where no permit was applied for.

Trustees: **Rideout:** nothing to report.

Gunnell: nothing to report.

Treasurer: Busy with Tax collections this week.

Clerk: Zoning Administrator average salaries from MTA survey. Proposals for cemetery driveway repair.

Fire Department: Chief reports that the generator sold for asking price. He requested meeting with the Fire Committee to discuss passage of fire millage. It has been scheduled for September 16th at 7:00 at the Hall. Reported on allocation of State fire training funds, which County used to plan 3 ff academy classes and 2 fire officer classes. Asked for update on repair of face of fire department building – supervisor waiting for quote. Shared report on: alarms, candidates, radio problem and repair of tender, furniture needs (chairs), renovation of offices.

Supervisor: Has received complaints on 16 Mile need for blacktop. He responds with funding issue explanation. Probable order for blacktop plans: 1) Albrecht; 2) 16 Mile; 3) Wiersma, mentioned Egner also. May be looking at cost of \$380,000/mile, more or less depending on engineering needs.

Discussion: Motion by Mr. Gunnell to call Special Board Meeting to meet with engineer on uses for the stable and what is needed to bring to acceptable code for public use, seconded by Mr. Rideout, motion carried 5-0. Will need to follow up with quote from contractor to complete needed updates, repairs and structural corrections.

Motion to Adjourn by Ms. Poulsen, supported by Mr. Ellick, carried 5-0. Adjourned 11:05. Submitted by Mary Lou Poulsen, Clerk

Next Meeting: October 1, 2014