

# **RICHLAND TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

**AUGUST 8, 2023**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Brian R. Frederick, Supervisor                      David Earley, Treasurer  
Renee R. Herhold, Clerk    Brian Beckrow, Trustee  
Susan K. Neuenfeldt, Trustee

**CALL TO ORDER:** The regular meeting of the Richland Township Board of Trustees was called to order by Supervisor Frederick at 7:00 P.M. with the Pledge to the Flag.

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA:** Motion by Susan Neuenfeldt, second by Brian Beckrow, to approve the Agenda as printed. Unanimous voice vote. Motion carried.

**MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS:** Motion by Renee Herhold, second by Susan Neuenfeldt, to approve and file Minutes from the regular meeting held July 11, 2023, along with the special meeting held July 18, 2023, as written. Unanimous voice vote. Motion carried.

**BILLS:** Motion by David Earley, second by Renee Herhold, to pay the bills as listed, a total of \$442,583.98. Roll call vote Neuenfeldt, yes; Beckrow, yes; Earley, yes; Frederick, yes; Herhold, yes. (5) Yeas, (0) Nays. Motion carried.

**REPORTS:** Motion by Renee Herhold, second by Susan Neuenfeldt, to receive and file the reports as listed. Unanimous voice vote. Motion carried.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** None.

**OLD BUSINESS -** None.

**ZONING:** None.

**NEW BUSINESS -**

**RESOLUTION R-2023-10, HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN:** Motion by Susan Neuenfeldt, second by Brian Beckrow, to adopt Resolution R-2023-10, approving the Saginaw County Multijurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan, identifying mitigation goals and actions to reduce or eliminate long term risk to people and property in Richland Township from the impacts of future hazards and disasters during the plan period (2023-2028), authorizing Clerk Herhold to sign Resolution R-2023-10 on behalf of Richland Township. Roll call vote Beckrow, yes; Earley, yes; Frederick, yes; Herhold, yes; Neuenfeldt, yes. (5) Yeas, (0) Nays. Motion carried.

**SET PUBLIC HEARING POLICE/FIRE MILLAGE RATES:** Motion by Brian Beckrow, second by Renee Herhold, to set the Public Hearing for Tuesday, September 12th, 2023, at 6:30 p.m. to establish the millage rates for police and fire protection for the 2023 winter tax roll for operations during the 2024-2025 fiscal year, authorizing the Manager to publicize as required. Unanimous voice vote. Motion carried.

**PART TIME POLICE OFFICER:** Motion by Susan Neuenfeldt, second by Brian Beckrow, to employ Ethan Thompson as a part time Police Officer. starting Wednesday, August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Unanimous voice vote. Motion carried.


**POLICE PROMOTION:** Motion by Susan Neuenfeldt, second by Brian Beckrow, to promote Patrol Officer Christopher Goldman to Sergeant, effective August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Unanimous voice vote. Motion carried.

The Board, Manager, along with those present, celebrated Patrol Officer Christopher Goldman's promotion to Sergeant with the swearing-in ceremony conducted by Police Chief Jack Doyle.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** None.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Motion by Susan Neuenfeldt, second by David Earley, to adjourn. Unanimous voice vote. Meeting adjourned – 7:13 P.M.

Respectfully submitted by:

  
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Renee R. Herhold                      Richland Twp. Clerk