

**Fremont Township Minutes**  
**March 11, 2010**

The regular meeting for the Fremont Township Board of Trustees was held on March 11, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. at the Fremont Twp. Hall. Board members present: H. Wymore, A. Holbrook, I. Barrons, J. Meyer, and J. Welke. Guests: 12

**MINUTES:**

Without objection or correction the February 11, 2010 minutes were approved. Motion made by I. Barrons, seconded by J. Welke – motion carried.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

A Resident who lives on Waterman Rd. wants to know when they will get their road fixed. Another Resident wondered if we had an update on the Wingert's Tax Tribunal this resident also noticed that the IRS changed the mileage reimbursement rate to 50¢ and the townships is 50.5¢. J. Meyer also stated that a Resident has talked to her about why we do not fly the flag at the hall and also would like center lines put on North Lake Road.

**CLERK REPORT:**

Planning Commission Secretary pay – Motion made by J. Welke, seconded by I. Barrons to eliminate the \$8.50 per hour for the Assistant Planning Commission Secretary and pay the Planning Commission Secretary a flat rate of \$75 per meeting – motion carried.

Election Workers Pay – motion made by J. Welke, seconded by I. Barrons to increase the Election Inspectors pay to \$9 per hour and the Chairperson to \$10 per hour (same rates as School Elections) – motion carried.

Budget – Motion made by J. Welke, seconded by I. Barrons to approve the 2010/2011 Budget. Roll call vote: I. Barrons-yes, J. Welke-yes, H. Wymore-yes, A. Holbrook-yes, J. Meyer-yes. Motion carried.

**COMMISSIONER TOM KERN:**

Commissioners will be voting on whether or not the Road Commission Board positions should be appointed or elected. The Commissioners will also be discussing ways to cut the budget.

**TREASURER REPORT:**

Treasurer balance was \$83,503.23 as of February 28, 2010. Motion to accept treasurer report by I. Barrons, seconded by J. Welke – motion carried.

**SUPERVISOR REPORT:**

Cemetery Report – VFW will no longer do the foundations for the headstones. Stuart Thornton has said that he will do the foundations. The cost will be 22¢ per square inch.

Trailer House on Snover Road – owner has sent a letter stating that he will have it removed by the end of April.

Conference on April 21<sup>st</sup> in Lansing – Board members should let H. Wymore know if they want to attend.

Board of Commissioners would like to use the Hall for their May 25<sup>th</sup> meeting at 6 p.m.

County Drain Commissioner Report – Zoning Administrator must give a copy of all building permits to the Drain Commission.

Road Report – County will place reflectors on the Stop signs on the corners of Saginaw & Mertz and Saginaw & Leix. Received a bid from the Rd. Commission for the gravel on O'Brien Rd. We will wait to get an updated cost using gravel from Stuart Thornton's property. Chip & Seal – A sample of this can be seen on Darbee Rd. off of 138. H. Wymore checked into using inmates to do some brush clearing on our roads. The Twp. would be required to have a permit from the Road Commission as well as furnish insurance, equipment and a portable toilet.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Grant requested for the bicycle path from Fulton to the Industrial Park was turned down.

EDC meeting tomorrow night in Vassar.

Website – The Tuscola ISD will do a website for the township for \$125 per year.

June Meeting – Motion made by J. Welke, seconded by I. Barrons to move the meeting to June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

H. Wymore has had several people ask him about renting the Hall. He thinks we may want to think about renting it out. The board decided to table this for now.

**BILLS:**

Motion to pay the bills made by J. Meyer seconded by A. Holbrook – motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

All meetings are held the second Thursday of every month at the Fremont Township Hall located at 4850 Mertz Road (M-24) at 7:00 p.m. All public is welcome to attend.

Amy Holbrook, Fremont Township Clerk