**Unapproved Minutes**

**MORTON TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING**

**Tuesday, July 11, 2023, 9:00 AM Morton Township Hall, 290 West Main Street, Mecosta MI 49332**

**Call to Order/Pledge by Supervisor Klumpp at 9:00 am Roll Call: Mark Klumpp, Maureen Wolfe, Jeff Ratledge, Yo Bellingar and Stephanie McNeal were present.**

Five public citizens present **Public Comments:** None.

**Reports:**

1. Joe Lisuzzo, Recreation Committee: Update township recreation plan.
2. Seth Lattimore, Assessor: July Board of Review is July 19, 2023, at 3:00 pm.
3. Cory Zandstra, Building and Zoning: Building permits are at a high volume right now. Kilkenny dangerous building sale fell through.
4. Allen Sutherby, Fire Chief: Awarded another grant, 74 calls in June.
5. Joe Lanz, Fire Administrative Committee: Meeting held on June 29, 2023. Recommended to put Lexipol proposal on agenda for July 18, 2023, meeting.

**New Business:**

Priority Health: Possibly changed to another provider for supplemental insurance.

Recreation Plan Update: Covered in reports section.

Zoning Ordinance – Roadside Stands, Special Use Permits: Discussion

Fire Department Staffing: Discussion about additional daily staffing and administrative assistance.

Forest Pines Internet: Residents asked for help with internet access in the Forest Pines Subdivision.

**Unfinished Business:**

Office Hours: Agenda item for July 18, 2023, meeting.

Farmers Market: No vendors. Leave sign up.

Township Hall Entrance Doors Proposal: Agenda item July 18, 2023.

Kilkenny Dangerous Building: Moving forward with enforcement.

New Water Well: Installed.

**Reports:**

1. Mark Klumpp, Supervisor: Received petition from 16 homes on Round Lake that did not get sprayed for Gypsy Moths.
2. Maureen Wolfe, Treasurer: Summer tax collection has begun. Need to approve an additional $5000 for library’s LED light project.
3. Stephanie McNeal, Clerk: No report.
4. Jeff Ratledge, Trustee: Planning Commission is having a special meeting July 12, 2023, at 5:30 for a work session to develop by-laws and to generate an RFP for the Master Plan. Regular meeting is July 19, 2023, is a public hearing with several agenda items.
5. Yo Bellingar, Trustee: No report.

**Public Comments:** No report.

**Adjourn:** 12:14 pm