

## Sciota Township Board Meeting – June 9, 2014

(draft minutes)

The June 9, 2014 meeting of the Sciota Township Board was called to order by Supervisor Matthews at 7:00 pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was given by all. Members present were Supervisor Matthews, Clerk Koerner, Treasurer Schuman, Trustee Reed and Trustee Thelen. Guests present were Deanna Turner, Dave White, Hank Cross, George Stevenson, Bill Nash and Mike and Diane Dowler.

After correction of the spelling of a name, the minutes were approved on a motion by Schuman, seconded by Thelen and passed. Koerner moved to accept the treasurer's report and place it on file. Reed seconded it and the motion passed.

Commissioner report: J. Bartz had vehicle problems and was unable to attend.

Public comment: George Stevenson, candidate for the 35<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit Court, introduced himself and told of his experience in the field.

Board reports: Matthews reported that the brine was complete in the township and a good job was done on the asphalt in the subdivision. Koerner shared correspondence and reported that a representative from Burnham and Flower will be here in July to answer any questions the board might have. Eric reported that he had appointed Deanna Turner to be his deputy. She was sworn in at the end of the meeting. Reed introduced Bill Nash. He had invited him to talk on fireworks since permits for Class B displays have to be approved by the township. Mr. Nash explained the difference between Class B (needs permit) and Class C (doesn't need permit). He also gave other information about fireworks and emphasized that the first rule in fireworks is safety. Thelen questioned the cemetery upkeep. He thought the grass was quite tall on Memorial Day.

Zoning permits:

PZ14-0074 William & Jody Roethele 6141 Meridian Rd. Accessory storage shed  
PZ14-0090 Timothy & Lynn McGarry 8383 Woodbury Rd. replace roof over patio

The board would like to thank Marilyn Baumgras and her granddaughters for placing the flags on veteran's graves this year and in the past. Thank you!

Emergency Services: Hank Cross reported 188 fire and rescue runs so far this year. There will be a discussion on Victor Township wishing to maybe contract with the LSW. The next meeting of the LSW is June 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm.

Old business: None

New Business: Diane Dowler reported that the July board of review meeting will be July 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Schuman moved to pay bills. Thelen seconded it and the motion passed.

8862	MTA	\$297.00
8863	Phillip Matthews	647.45
8864	Lucille Matthews	109.26
8865	Nancy Koerner	668.75
8866	Floyd Koerner, Jr.	109.26
8867	Eric Schuman	624.95
8868	Kimberly Palmer	109.26
8869	William Thelen	109.26
8870	Mike Reed	109.26

8871	Diane Dowler	773.92
8872	Eric White	43.88
8873	Accident Fund Insurance	755.00
8874	Consumers Energy	32.68
8875	BS&A Software	1,750.00
8876	Twin Oaks Mowing	375.00
8877	MTA	1,034.65
8878	Burnham and Flower Agency	2,998.00
8879	Eric Schuman	25.72
8880	Laingsburg Postmaster	46.00
8881	John Hancock Life Ins. Co.	526.18

Koerner moved to adjourn. Thelen seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 7:58 pm.

Nancy Koerner, clerk