

**CORWITH TOWNSHIP REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**  
**8170 MILL STREET, VANDERBILT, MI**  
**April 6, 2022**

The meeting opened at 7:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance. Board present were Pat Coultres, Lori Bush, Vern Kassuba, Tom Kellogg and Debbie Whitman.

Others present were Paul Liss, Kris Powell, Terry Massy, Judi Jarecki and Kim Morley.

Treasurer's Report given by Bush showing balances for the month of March as follows: general fund \$417,468.57 and tax collection \$19,312.25. Motion by Coultres, with support by Whitman, to approve the minutes, bills and acknowledge the Treasurer's and Liquor Law reports. Roll call vote: Coultres – yes, Bush – yes, Kassuba – yes, Whitman – yes, Kellogg – yes.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:** Terry Masse thanked Vern for handling of PRE. Kim Morley, candidate for State Rep for 105<sup>th</sup> District addressed the Board.

**REPORT FROM COUNTY COMMISSIONER:** Commissioner Liss reported on the gypsy moth spraying of 190 acres in Heart/Fawn lake area. New phone system started a week ago at the courthouse. Opioid lawsuit – should start seeing funds sometime in May. 3 millage renewals – Park/Rec, EMS and Recycle. EMS and Park in Aug and Recycle in Nov.

**ZONING/ASSESSING:** LD 042-002-100-180-00 VK recommended approval of LD. Motion by Whitman, with support by Kellogg to approve LD 042-002-100-180-00. Motion carried 5-0. BOR – 1 protest taken care of. Will be researching to see if can do a percentage on hardship exemptions.

**CEMETERY:** nothing to report.

**TWP PROPERTY:** nothing to report. (fence and irrigation to be checked on)

**WASTE TRANSFER:** Clean Up Day 4/23 – Vern, Pat, Debbie will work.

**FIRE/RESCUE:** Coultres reported that the department is one member down.

**SCHOOL:** Whitman reported the Board approved the Support Staff contract and Principals contract.

**PLANNING COMMISSION/PARKS & REC:** Planning reviewed the request from Otsego County on Section 21.21 and 21.46. Motion by Kellogg to recommend approval of text changes with stipulation that “or” be changed to “and”. Supported by Kassuba. Motion carried, 5-0.

**ROADS:** Kassuba talked with the Road Commission Manager and road foreman recently. He hopes to see Badgley Road and Airport Road intersection bids hopefully. Seal coating needed discussed.

**2021-2022 4<sup>th</sup> QUARTER BUDGET REPORT:** No action required.

County Township Association – Kassuba reported that Covid reporting more detailed than what thought. Encouraged to have each township attend.

Meeting adjourned at 8:11 p.m.

Debbie Whitman  
Corwith Township Clerk