

July 10, 2008

1. The regular meeting of the Leighton Township Board was called to order at 7:30 p.m. at the township hall.
2. All members were present.
3. Minutes of June 12 and June 24 were approved as presented.
4. The Fire Chief reported on a busy month with 5 fires and many weather related incidents.
5. Motion by Troost, support by Martin to approve Travis Masselink as a probationary Fire Fighter pending background check and physical. Motion carried.
6. The Planning Commission reported 3 items for the month. Altra Products was referred to the Board of Appeals for site plan; Thomas Nyugen will pursue a home occupation rather than a rezone at this time; and Cherpes home occupation was approved.
7. The Building Inspector reported 1 new home permit in June.
8. Public Comment: Kevin Cronin, circuit court judge candidate, addressed the assembly.
9. Jack Suess questioned the township had liability insurance for personal use of township equipment. Moore will look into.
10. Motion by Martin, support by Haveman to approve the listed bills. Roll call vote. Yeas: Martin, Haveman, Troost, Nieuwenhuis, Moore
Nays: None Motion carried.
11. Mary Martin appeared to ask that should the township decide to sell the pick up truck that she donated to the township, she would like to have first opportunity to purchase it.
12. Motion by Troost, support by Nieuwenhuis to set the library millage at 1.05 mills. Motion carried.
13. Assessor Laura Stob requested assistance for updating the record cards by converting sketches to the computer starting with approximately 100 hours at \$12.00 per hour. Motion carried.
14. Motion by Haveman, support by Martin for adjournment.

Meeting adjourned.

Mary Lou Nieuwenhuis
Leighton Twp. Clerk