

November 13, 2008

1. Supervisor Moore called the regular meeting of the Leighton Township Board to order at 7:30 p.m.
2. Members present: Moore, Nieuwenhuis, Troost, Haveman
3. Members absent: Martin
4. Minutes of October 9, 14, and 29 were approved as presented.
5. Fire Chief VanPutten reported on monthly training activities at the department.
6. The Building Inspector reported 4 new home permits in October.
7. There was no public comment.
8. Motion by Haveman, support by Nieuwenhuis to pay the current listed bills. Roll call vote. Yeas: Haveman, Nieuwenhuis, Troost, Moore Nays: None Absent: Martin Motion carried.
9. Resident Fred Spica appeared before the board to request that the board amend the outdoor furnace ordinance to allow him to place one on his property in Green Lake Ridge. Motion by Haveman, support by Troost to deny the request. Motion carried.
10. Motion by Nieuwenhuis, support by Troost to approve the request of the assessor for 400 additional hours of help to complete the sketching project. Motion carried.
11. Motion by Haveman, support by Troost to approve the appointment of Paul Hendriksma to the Board of Review. Motion carried.
12. Bids to replace a water heater at Station #2 were opened. The bid of Action Plumbing was \$1305.00 and the bid of Cherry Valley Plumbing was \$1545.00. Motion by Haveman, support by Troost to accept the bid of Action Plumbing. Motion carried.
13. Motion by Nieuwenhuis, support by Troost to table action on an amendment to the zoning ordinance as it pertains to wind energy, solar panels, and various other changes. Motion carried.
14. Motion by Nieuwenhuis, support by Haveman to appoint Char Troost to the Ambulance Board. Motion carried.

15. Char Troost expressed the boards thanks to Spencer Moore and Ron Haveman for their service during the last 4 years.
16. Motion by Haveman, support by Troost to adjourn. Motion carried.
17. Meeting adjourned.

Mary Lou Nieuwenhuis
Leighton Twp. Clerk