

SALEM TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING MINUTES  
April 13, 2010

James Pitsch called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited. James Pitsch read the Child Abuse Prevention Proclamation: Making April Child Abuse Prevention Month.

Board Members Present: Pitsch, Brower, Buckleitner, Sebright

Board Members Absent: Boyles

Candidate for the U.S. Congress Nicolette McClure introduced herself and spoke briefly and answered questions.

Allegan County Emergency Management Director Scott Corbin presented the Township with a Certificate of Appreciation for Salem Townships' outstanding performance and assistance in the 2010 Palisades Nuclear Drill.

Comments from the Departments: Fire and Ambulance

Comments from the public: none

Old Business: none

New Business:

1. Don Sebright moved and Sheila Buckleitner seconded to approve the recommendations of Gary Paquin from the Salem Township Transfer Station. Motion carried.
2. Betty Brower moved and Don Sebright seconded to approve the appointments of Boyd Berens and Kim Pitsch for a 3-year term to the Planning Commission. Motion carried.
3. Sheila Buckleitner moved and Betty Brower seconded to adopt Resolution for Pay Raises of Township Officials for 2010. Roll Call Vote: Sebright-Yes; Brower-Yes; Pitsch-Yes; Buckleitner-Yes. Absent-Randy Boyles. No-None. Motion carried.
4. Sheila Buckleitner moved and Don Sebright supported to reverse Hall Kitchen License and get a day permit as needed.
5. Don Sebright moved and Betty Brower supported to change the office day from Friday to Thursday. Commencing on June 1, 2010 the township office will be open on Tuesday and Thursday from 9am-noon and 1-4 pm. Motion carried.
6. Don Sebright moved and Sheila Buckleitner supported to add link to Salem Township Web site for Angel food Ministries- with conditions. Motion carried.
7. Don Sebright moved and Betty Brower supported to accept the bid from H.A. Irish Tree Service to remove dead and damaged trees from the Cemetery. Motion carried.
8. Don Sebright moved and Sheila Buckleitner supported to move forward with application of fertilizer and weed killer to the Park. Motion carried.
9. Sheila Buckleitner presented a Property Tax Report.

Public comment was taken- cemetery discussed

Motion to adjourn by Don Sebright and seconded by Betty Brower. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:25 PM.

Betty Brower, Clerk