

SALEM TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING MINUTES
June 8, 2010

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

Board Members present: Pitsch, Brower, Buckleitner, Sebright, Boyles

Board Members absent: none

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Minutes from May and Bills for June were approved by consent of the Board.

County Commissioner Paul Van Eck presented an update from the County.

Ms. Marge Baker, candidate for Allegan County Circuit Court Judge, introduced herself and answered questions.

Judge William Baillargeon, candidate for Allegan County District Court Judge, currently is the District Court Judge spoke briefly and answered questions

Comments and updates from the Departments of Planning, Fire, and Ambulance

Public Comment: none

Old Business: none

New Business:

1. Don Sebright moved and Sheila Buckleitner seconded to appoint Lynette Wagner as alternate to Salem Township Board of Review. Motion carried.
2. Sheila Buckleitner moved and Randy Boyles supported to grant a Fireworks Display permit to Sandy Pines Resort. Motion carried.
3. Don Sebright moved and Randy Boyles supported to continue the American Tower Lease. Motion carried.
4. Don Sebright moved and Randy Boyles supported to set the following Work Session dates: Budget Work Session for June 15, 2010 at 8:00 AM; Joint Work Session with Planning Commission for June 17, 2010 at 7:00 PM. Motion carried.
5. Randy Boyles moved and Betty Brower supported to allow Fire Department \$24,500 to make small item purchases for the new Fire Truck. Motion carried.
6. Don Sebright moved and Randy Boyles supported to allow improvements to the Shoemaker Drain as recommended by the Allegan County Drain Commission. Motion carried.
7. Randy Boyles moved and Sheila Buckleitner seconded to remove the following Firefighters from probation to full Firefighter status as recommended by the Fire Department: Mark Brookhouse, Dan Kipen, Steve Smith, and Adam Mays. Motion carried.

Public comment: A suggestion was made regarding the creation of a monthly Senior Program to be held in the Township Hall.

Betty Brower moved and Sheila seconded to adjourn the meeting at 8:40 PM. Motion carried.

Betty Brower, Clerk