

Minutes of the Bloomington Township Board

The meeting was called to order at 4:30 p.m. on February 9, 2023.

Board members present were Dorothy Granger, Barbara E. McKinney, and E. Sensenstein. Also present were Trustee Efrat Rosser and Deputy Trustee Lisa Myers.

AGENDA

Barbara moved to accept the agenda as presented. E. seconded; motion passed unanimously.

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

Barbara moved to accept the minutes of the January 3, 2023, board meeting as presented. E. seconded; motion passed unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS - None

NEW BUSINESS

Conflict of Interest Statement: Dorothy moved to accept the conflict of interest statement from Barbara E. McKinney. E. seconded; motion passed unanimously.

Annual Financial Report: The 2022 Annual Report for Bloomington Township was presented. A financial report for the previous year, it includes the "TA-7," the township assistance statistical report. Following discussion, Barbara moved to approve the 2022 Annual Report. E. seconded; motion passed unanimously. The information will be published in the Herald Times on Tuesday, March 7, 2023.

Secondary Employment: Lisa reported there are currently no employees with secondary employment, so no further action is needed.

Township Assistance Guidelines Draft: Efrat highlighted the minor changes to the guidelines. Discussion ensued. Action will be taken at the March meeting.

REPORTS

Trustee: Efrat reported that an anonymous staff survey was conducted regarding our COVID policies. We're reviewing that information and may make some tweaks to the existing policies.

Efrat discussed plans to distribute a mailing to all township residents to make them aware of the township services we offer, including our new Representative Payee Program. Discussion ensued.

Efrat communicated the plans for a staff retreat on March 2 at the library. The staff is also compiling a list of trainings they feel are needed or desired.

Efrat discussed her attendance of the Indiana Township Association (ITA) legislative conference in Indianapolis earlier in the week. She noted there are only a few bills under consideration that

would directly impact townships. Mention was made of an efficiency and effectiveness study of townships conducted by the ITA recently. We will attempt to locate that study.

Board: None

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:53 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, March 9, 2023.



E. Sensenstein, Secretary