

**ROSE TOWNSHIP  
REGULAR MEETING  
MAY 10, 2021**

The Rose Township Board held their regular meeting May 10, 2021. Meeting was opened by Supervisor Aaron Gemmill with the pledge to the flag at 7:00 pm.

**ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS:** Present – Kelli Collins, Aaron Gemmill, Amber Kreiner, Shelley Maleski, April Kangas.

Absent – None.

**MINUTES:** Minutes of the last regular meeting were accepted. **Motion by Kangas to accept the minutes as presented. Second Maleski. Motion voted and carried.**

**CORRESPONDENCE:** Nothing.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

Cemetery – Republic has set a dumpster at the cemetery which will be dumped as requested. Some dead trees at the cemetery need removed. Kreiner will get an estimate.

Collection Center – Chris Roth will replace the shingles on the shed during regular work hours. He has shingles which were donated for free.

Township Hall – Jon Heaton no longer wishes to clean. Crystal Harlin has accepted the cleaning position. Randy Short gave an estimate for removal of old cement, trees, and installing new cement for the outside patio. Due to the high cost it was discussed to have Short do the removal and get an estimate from Tom Kangas to replace the cement with pavers when he does the other landscaping as contracted. Kreiner will get with Short to see if he is interested in just the removal. Kangas will get an estimate for the pavers from Tom Kangas.

Fire Department – One of the damaged trucks is back on the road.

Roads – Deposit was mailed.

MTA – Nothing.

Library – Nothing.

Litter and Zoning – Blight continues to be an issue. Due to our current ordinance not really allowing us to enforce blight it was discussed to abolish the current ordinance and have all blight regulated by Ogemaw County. Gemmill will contact the county to see if they can regulate blight if we abolish our ordinance. Discussion was tabled until next month meeting.

**TREASURERS REPORT:**

General - \$243,201.76

Road - \$257,148.68

Fire - \$233,277.46

Moth - \$54,692.54

Oak Road - \$6,018.64

Ogemaw Road - \$988.05

Tot. Bal - \$795,327.13

Tot. CDs - \$241,780.67

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

Bid from J & Son Services received for tree removal at Collection Center for \$300. **Motion by Maleski to contract J & Son Services to remove trees at the Collection Center for \$300. Second Kangas. Motion voted and carried.**

Gemmill advised the Gypsy Moth Spraying mapping is complete and a contractor has been secured to spray the end of May due to cold conditions and not enough foliage yet on the trees. A total of 993 acres for \$38,727 will be sprayed in 2021. An ad will appear in the local newspaper.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Collins presented the 2021 Tax Rate Request. **Motion by Collins to accept the 2021 Tax Rate Request as presented. Second Maleski. Motion voted and carried.** Collins will mail a copy to Equalization.

**BILLS:**

Bills were read in the amount of \$16,781.61 beginning with voucher number #31081 through voucher number #31120. **Motion by Kangas to pay all bills as read. Second Maleski. Motion voted and carried.**

**Motion by Maleski to adjourn the meeting at 7:33 pm. Second Kreiner. Motion voted and carried.**

Respectfully Submitted,

Kelli Collins  
Clerk