

**CHIPPEWA TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MINUTES
of the
JUNE 10, 2015
AGENDA MEETING**

The Chippewa Township Board of Supervisors held their monthly Agenda Meeting at 8:30 a.m. on Wednesday, June 10, 2015 . Present were Supervisor Jim Bouril, Supervisor Nancy Lamey, Supervisor Mark Hoenig, Manager Mark Taylor, Code Enforcement Officer Dawna Pella and Administrative Assistant Cindy Clark.

Chairman Bouril brought the meeting to order.

VISITORS

Chief Berchtold was present.

MANAGER

Township Manager Mark Taylor had the following items for discussion or action:

1. Emergency Management:

Manager Mark Taylor feels that Emergency Management should be moved to the Fire Department building. It is now located in the far corner of the lower level of the Municipal Building. The Manager said he has spoken to both Emergency Management Coordinator Kevin Whipple and Chief Graham about this move. He thinks it would be better if it was located at the Fire Station and that there would be better communication with the Fire Department. He asked Kevin Whipple to see what is needed at the Fire Station in order to accommodate this move. He said they have done renovations and they have a training room. The Manager said that he needs to check into the telephone system there. Right now the Fire Department building's phone system is not part of the Municipal Building's phone system. He said there is equipment in the present room in our building that could be utilized if it was moved to the Fire Station.

2. Amendment to Ordinance 247:

Manager Taylor provided everyone with a copy of the present Ordinance 247 and the proposed amended one. He said he tried to simplify things. He asked Attorney Verlihay to look it over to see if it is ready to be advertised.

3. Change of days and times for leaf and brush collection site:

Manager Taylor said some Chippewa residents have a problem with the days and hours that the collection site is open. He suggests making a change on July 1st. He would like to add a day and change the hours. The new days and hours on July 1st would be: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from noon to 8 p.m.; Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. From November 1st to December 7th the hours would be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. The employee at the site will be distributing memos prior to July 1st to let residents know that changes in the days and hours will be taking place soon. Chairman Bouril said that residents who buy permits could be asked what hours are best for them to help us decide what hours it should be open in the future.

4. Veterans Park Update:

Trees have been removed and two front ponds are built. A larger pond on the west side of the property will be built now. Over half of the top soil has been removed. Things are moving along well and are on schedule. He said he meets with the foreman a few times each week. He may place a street department employee at Veterans Park, if possible. The gas line issue has not been settled yet, but Manager Taylor feels that if it needs to be relocated, the Township will not have to pay for it. He said hopefully the electric will be on soon.

MANAGER'S MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Manager Taylor provided the Supervisors with a traffic study done on Oakville Road. He has had contact with a resident there who is concerned about speeding cars. He gave some of the statistics to the Supervisors. He asked the Chief for crash reports from that area. He said ultimately PennDOT will make the decision about what is done in that area. Supervisor Hoenig said that people are very thankful when the sign is placed on their road.

SUPERVISORS' BUSINESS

Chairman Bouril asked about reports on hazardous waste and Manager Taylor said that he does provide these reports to the Supervisors.

ADJOURNMENT

With nothing further to come before the Board, the Agenda Meeting was adjourned at 8:50 a.m.

Secretary

Chairman