

Nelson Township Board Meeting
2 Maple Street
Sand Lake, MI 49343
Municipal Building
Tuesday, September 12, 2023
5pm

The Supervisor called the meeting to order at 5pm, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance
Present: Britton Hoffman DeJong. Absent Austin George. There were three people in the audience.

Approval of Agenda: A motion by DeJong and supported by Britton to add under New Business

- Prisoner of War/Missing in Action Recognition Day:
- Fall township cleanup
- MTA Retreat
- Rental of Library pole barn
- Patten Monument

Motion passed unanimously.

Minutes for August 8, 2023, and Closed session minutes for 8-8-2023 were reviewed and approved as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

Financial Report: No report presented.

Accounts Payable: Britton with support by DeJong approved the disbursements of funds as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

Public Comment: None

Reports

Zoning and Enforcement: on file in the clerk's office

Fire Departments: reports received by SLFD and CSFD. Hazmat Refresher Class training is scheduled Sunday, October 15, 2023, held at the Municipal Building in Sand Lake.

Roads: No report

Library: General circulation is up 34% over last year.

Kent County Drain Commission: Proposed Invoice received.

Correspondence: None

New Business

- a. Security cameras, Election Drop Box and Early voting wages. Discussion only.
- b. L4020 DeJong, with support Britton approved Township Property Tax Rates for 2023.
Motion passed unanimously.
- c. Fall Township Cleanup: Will be scheduled at the budget workshop meeting.

- d. MTA Retreat: DeJong, with support by Britton approved Zoning Administrator to attend and cover all expenses. Motion passed unanimously.
- e. Rent Library Pole Barn: A Sand Lake Chamber member approached the supervisor on renting the library pole barn. No board action taken.
- f. Patten Monument: Britton, with support of DeJong approved requesting a quote from Patten Monument for the broken headstone from the previous storm. Motion passed unanimously.
- g. Prisoner of War/Missing in Action Recognition Day: DeJong, by resolution The Trustees of Nelson Township will perpetually acknowledge the 3rd Friday of September as "Prisoner of War/Missing In Action Recognition Day". Support Britton. Motion passed unanimously.
- h. Unfinished Business: None

Adjournment: Without objection, the township board adjourned at 5:29 pm.

Laura Hoffman, Clerk
Nelson Township