

Approved July 11, 1978



Birch Run Township

8411 Main St.
Birch Run, Michigan 48415

PROPOSED MINUTES BIRCH RUN TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING JUNE 13, 1978

The June meeting was called to order at 7:35 p.m. by Supervisor Laurence Courtney. Also present were Clerk Marcia Strong, Treasurer Edgar Scharrer and Trustees Roger Foster and Alvin Block.

Minutes of the regular May meeting were read by Clerk Marcia Strong. A motion to approve the minutes as read was made by Foster and supported by Block. The motion passed unanimously.

The following bills were read by the clerk:

Water Fund #1		
George Schmunk	pipe, T and elbow	134.43
General		
Saginaw County Fire Chiefs Assn.	dues	5.00
Birch Run Park Board	park development	3,000.00
Kevin Raquepaw	mowing cemetery 84, 105, 70	259.00
Glen Harris	mowing cemetery 84, 133, 70	287.00
Rubie Morse	mowing cemetery 70, 105, 70	245.00
U.S. Post Office	treasurer's envelopes	83.00
H.F. Kerns	cemetery care salary	175.00
Kevin Courtney	park and township property maintenance	24.00
Michigan Township Association	dues	605.00
Saginaw Valley News	notices--zoning \$5 board \$23.75	28.75
Typewriter Exchange	clerk's supplies	8.65
U.S. Post Office	300 2 cent stamps	6.00
Print a Print	clerk's envelopes	20.90
Laurence Courtney	install electric service cemetery	30.00
Laurence Courtney	supervisor's car allowance	150.00
Consumers Power Co.	utilities 174.55 street lights 354.87	539.42
Michigan Bell	township center 20.71 fire dept. 18.07	38.78
Judd Insurance	workmen's comp balance	289.54
Schmitzer Hardware	cemetery maintenance 24.23	
	township maintenance 8.95	
	fire dept. supplies 3.14	36.32
Harry Sargent	cemetery care	80.50
Charles Parker	cemetery water pump	100.00
Bader Brothers	cemetery maintenance supplies	13.65
Wickes Lumber	cemetery pipe	399.50
Conlee Oil	fire dept. gas 23.28 township gas 4.76	28.04
Tottens Marathon	fire dept. gas and oil 33.13	
	fire truck repair 26.59	
	cemetery gas 6.10	65.82
Peter Payette	fire dept. equipment	1,110.00
Village of Birch Run	twp. share daytime officer	228.00

People's Garbage	May landfill	589.16
National Fire Protection	code books	26.75
Don Bailer	one planning meeting chairman	25.00
Fred Sellenraad	one planning meeting secretary	25.00
Alvin Block	one planning meeting	15.00
Gary Hutchinson	one planning meeting	15.00
Jim Dorr	one planning meeting	15.00
Frankenmuth Florist	Memorial Day Flowers	225.00
Whitehead Music Service	July 4 song books	63.72
Oswald Schmitzer	fire truck repair 46.70 meeting 5.75	52.45
Russel Muehlenbeck	fire truck repair	15.00
Art Doll	twp. center maintenance	161.00
Ed Cusick	appeals board meeting	20.00
Don Bailer	appeals board meeting	15.00
Rod Foster	appeals board meeting	15.00
Mel's TV Service	fire dept. equipment	9.98
Arnold Scharrer	28 inspections	280.00
Wickes Big Acre	cemetery flowers	11.54
Russell Muehlenbeck	fire dept. meeting	14.00
Edgar Scharrer	\$2 stamps, \$135 writing permits	137.00
Ed Schmitzer	electrical inspections	30.00
Saginaw Publishing	construction cards	7.05
CABSE	insurance endorsements	42.00
Kevin Courtney	township labor	12.00
	general fund total	9,677.52

A motion to approve payment of the bills as read was made by Foster, supported by Block. The motion passed unanimously.

A motion to amend the budget to spend Federal Revenue Sharing Funds on roads, drain at large, ditching, cemetery and roadside mowing rather than on the health center/library was made by Foster and supported by Block. The motion passed unanimously.

The supervisor informed by board that necessary bonding will require a change in the contract. A motion by Scharrer, supported by Block approved this \$1074 increase. The motion passed unanimously.

A motion to approve the addition of drinking fountains to the medical center/library via change in contract with Wolgast was made by Foster, supported by Scharrer. The motion passed unanimously.

The board discussed and will not approve the village request to use surplus funds for fencing at the pumping station because the estimated cost was excessive and the fence was only on three sides of the property.

The supervisor reported that the township areas which have fire hydrants will have a revised fire rating and consequently lower rates on insurance.

A motion to release C. Creed and William May from water contracts with no refund of deposit was made by Strong and supported by foster. The motion passed unanimously.

The supervisor reported that the Saginaw County Township Officers Association will meet in Birch Run at 7 p.m. on the 28th of June.

Minutes of the May Planning Commission meeting were read.

An authorization for change in the street lighting contract was presented by the supervisor. A motion to approve was made by Block, supported by Foster. The motion passed unanimously.

A motion to adjourn was made at 8:55 by Foster, supported by Scharrer. The motion passed unanimously.

Marcia Strong, clerk
Birch Run Township