

CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP MONTHLY MEETING

JULY 11, 2011

PRESENT: BOARD SUPERVISORS JIM FRIDSTROM, JOHN ERLANDSON SR, DALE ANDERSON
TREASURER RAMONA NASTROM, CLERK DARRELL VOSIKA
ROAD SUPERVISOR HAROLD REINHART (EMPLOYEE)

LOCATION: CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP HALL LOCATED ON THE ISANTI COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

1. CHAIRMAN JOHN ERLANDSON SR. CALLED THE MONTHLY BOARD MEETING TO ORDER AT 7:00PM
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG WAS RECITED.
3. APPROVAL OF THE **MINUTES** OF THE **JUNE 13, 2011** MONTHLY BOARD MEETING.
M/S – JIM FRIDSTROM / DALE ANDERSON (VOTE 3-0) TO APPROVE THE MINUTES.
4. **TREASURER’S REPORT** WAS PREPARED AND PRESENTED BY RAMONA NASTROM.
A CHECK WAS RECENTLY RECEIVED FROM THE COUNTY FOR THE AMOUNT OF \$228,227.82
THAT IS NOT REFLECTED IN THE TREASURER’S REPORT
M/S – JIM FRIDSTROM / DALE ANDERSON (VOTE: 3-0) TO APPROVE THE REPORT.
5. SCHEDULED BUSINESS
 - A. **SAFEASSURE ADVANTAGE** – REPRESENTED BY: JAMES C PETERSON, CEO
(FOUNDED: 1997) JONATHAN BEAUE, REP
200 SW FOURTH STREET (TEL: 1-800-920-SAFE)
PO BOX 756
WILLMAR, MN 56201
THE COMPANY WAS ASKED BY THE BOARD TO COME AND PRESENT THEIR PROGRAM
ON OSHA – SAFETY REGULATIONS AND LAWS.
THE COMPANY AS PART OF THEIR PROGRAM WAS WILLING TO DO A **FREE** BASELINE
CHECK AUDIT.
MOTION: TO HAVE THE COMPANY DO A FREE BASELINE CHECK AUDIT
M/S: JIM FRIDSTROM / DALE ANDERSON (VOTE: 3-0) TO ACCEPT
6. NEW BUSINESS AT PUBLIC REQUEST
 - A. **GOPHER BOUNTY** – CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP RESIDENT PRESENTED 4PR GOPHER FRONT
FEET AT \$2 / PR (GOPHER) KARSTON KUTNEY
35191 XYLITE ST NE
CAMBRIDGE, MINNESOTA 55008
 - B. **ALABAMA STREET** – DISCUSSION WAS HELD
A NUMBER OF RESIDENTS WERE IN ATTENDANCE WITH CONCERNS REGARDING A
LETTER FROM CAMBRIDGE CITY ON THE FUTURE STATUS OF ALABAMA STREET
(SEE COPY OF LETTER FILED WITH THE MINUTES).
 - C. **FANNY LAKE ROAD** – GREG KIRCHBERG WAS PRESENT WITH SOME CONCERNS
REGARDING PREVIOUS TALKS WITH THE TOWNSHIP.
 1. WANTED TO KNOW THE STATUS OF THE “NO PARKING” SIGNS ON FANNY
LAKE ROAD.
 2. “DEAD END ROAD” SIGN – IS TOO FAR UP THE ROAD BEFORE BEING SEEN

HAROLD TO GET A LIST OF REGULATIONS AND JOHN WILL GO WITH HIM TO REVIEW THE SITUATION.

7. ROAD BUSINESS

A. **HAROLD REPORTED:**

i) **DUSTGARD** - COMPLETED

ii) **MOWING OF ROAD DITCHES** – COMPLETED

iii) **TREE DAMAGE IN ROAD RIGHT OF WAY RESULTING FROM STORM**

AREAS OF CONCERN ARE AS FOLLOWS: SKOGMAN LAKE ROAD
328TH AVE
ROCHESTER ST

MOTION: TO CONTRACT TO A MAX OF \$5000 WITH KNUDSON TREE SERVICE OR A TREE SERVICE OF CHOICE TO REMOVE TREES THAT HAROLD WOULD DETERMINE DANGEROUS.

M/S: DALE ANDERSON / JIM FRIDSTROM (VOTE: 3-0) TO ACCEPT

iv) **353TH AVE & CO RD 14 – WATER PROBLEM**

\$347 TO REMOVE TREES (KNUDSON TREE SERVICE)

\$1000 TO REDO DITCHES (LEAF CONSTRUCTION)

MOTION: TO DO \$1500 IN ROAD IMPROVEMENTS AND TO GET RELEASE(S) FROM LAND OWNERS

M/S: JIM FRIDSTROM / DALE ANDERSON (VOTE: 3-0) TO APPROVE

v) **CELLPHONE** – HAROLD NEEDS A NEW TOWNSHIP CELLPHONE TO CHECK ON CONTRACT FROM THE OLD PHONE

vi) **TRACTOR TIRE** – HAROLD HAD TO REPLACE THE FRONT TIRE ON THE TRACTOR USED FOR MOWING DITCHES.

vii) **BACKUP ALARMS ON TRUCKS** – THE BACKUP ALARM HAS BEEN INSTALLED ON THE FORD 1TON
STILL NEED TO INSTALL ON MACK TRUCK

viii) **CENTERPOINT ENERGY** – NOTICE WAS RECEIVED FOR THE PROPOSED INSTALLATION OF NATURAL GAS MAINS FOR VIRGINIA HEIGHTS DR EXTENSION PROJECT TO START JULY 25, 2011.

B. ROAD CONSTRUCTION: **NAPLES STREET** – STEVE HASS - **TABLED**
VICKERS STREET – LEAF CONSTRUCTION - **TABLED**

C. **LAWN SERVICE** - RECEIVED INSURANCE FROM RICK'S LAWN CARE
3062 379 AVE. NE
STANCHFIELD, MN 55080
320-396-2509 (HOME)
763-742-9854 (CELL)

8. OLD BUSINESS

A. **TURNAROUND AGREEMENTS** – BEING WORKED ON (**TABLED**)

B. **CRISTEL TACK** – DALE PRESENTED A **RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS** FORM SIGNED AND DATED BY CRISTEL TACK. THE TOWNSHIP WILL PROVIDE THREE (3) LOADS OF

MATERIAL FOR THE BUILDING OF A BERM (THE RELEASE IS FILED WITH THE MINUTES).

9. OTHER NEW BUSINESS

- A. **APPLICATION TO CONDUCT EXCLUDED BINGO** – SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION POST 290 TO CONDUCT BINGO AT THE ISANTI CO FAIR (7/20 – 24/11)
THE TOWNSHIP HAS NO STATUTORY AUTHORITY TO APPROVE OR DENY AN APPLICATION (MINN. STAT. 349.213, SUBD. 2).
THE ACKNOWLEDGMENT WAS SIGNED BY THE CHAIRMAN

10. OFFICERS REPORTS

- A. **CLERK** - DONATIONS FOR 2012 STATUS – TABLED
STATUTORY AUTHORITY FOR THE VARIOUS REQUESTS NEEDS TO BE CLARIFIED
MINNESOTA STATE DEMOGRAPHER – 2010 CENSUS COUNTS
APRIL 1, 2010 COUNTS: TOTAL POPULATION 2,379
HOUSEHOLD POPULATION 2,371
OFFICE OF THE STATE AUDITOR – RECEIVED A LETTER ON THE STATUS AS A RESULT OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT SHUTDOWN
IRS INCREASES MILEAGE RATE ALLOWANCE TO 55.5 CENTS PER MILE (EFFECTIVE 7/1 THROUGH 12/31/11)
- B. **TREASURER** - NONE
- C. **SUPERVISORS** – NONE

11. REPORT OF ISANTI COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION – JIM FRIDSTROM – ON THURSDAY MEETING (7/14/11) THEY WILL BE TALKING ABOUT PRIVATE DIRT TRACKS

12. REPORT OF ISANTI COUNTY BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT – RAMONA – NONE

13. NOTICES: TOWNSHIP LEGAL SEMINAR – JUNE 16TH OR SEPTEMBER 8TH, 2011 9AM-4PM
ALBERTVILLE CITY HALL
SEPTEMBER 22, 2011 AT 7PM FOR REGISTRATION – MAT DISTRICT 7 MEETING
ANOKA RAMSEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE (CAMBRIDGE CAMPUS)

14. OTHER BUSINESS:

- A. HAROLD REQUESTED TO USE THE GRADER AT THE ISANTI CO FAIR TRACTOR PULL FOR GRADING OF THE PULL COURSE – GRANTED BY BOARD

15. MOTION MADE TO PAY THE BILLS

M/S: JIM FRIDSTROM / DALE ANDERSON (VOTE: 3-0) APPROVED

16. MOTION MADE TO ADJOURN AT 8:50PM

M/S: JIM FRIDSTROM / DALE ANDERSON (VOTE: 3-0) TO ADJOURN

DARRELL VOSIKA
CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP CLERK

JOHN ERLANDSON SR.
CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP CHAIRMAN