

# *Inwood Township Regular Meeting Minutes*

## *For December 16, 2013 Submitted January 15, 2014*

Pledge of Allegiance was said

Meeting was called to order at 7 p.m. by Kelly Silkworth, Supervisor

Board members present were: Kelly Silkworth, Kelli Stapleton, Cindy Watchorn, Bryan Landis and Bruce Spaulding. Absent: None

Accepted previous meeting minutes as presented by the Clerk. Motion C. Watchorn Support: B. Landis. AIF M/C.

Accepted the Treasurers report as presented by Treasurer. Motion: B. Spaulding Support: K. Stapleton AIF M/C.

### **Old Business**

None.

### **New Business**

Update on the millage. If we have the election in February we would not get any money from it until December. Kelly is checking on a possible loan to cover the payments until the tax money would come in.

Cemetery Sign removal

Kelly is calling Polly Nedeau to do this.

2014 budget: UPCAP for the mowing again this year. Scott Dekyser is doing the plowing for \$50 per time.

Plow truck update. The truck we are supposed to be getting with the plow bracket was not correct and this truck is going to Hiawatha. Matt is checking with Hiawatha about possibly switching the truck we are getting with the one that they are getting.

BOR training in Escanaba sending all 3 BOR members. Motion C. Watchorn Support B. Landis AIF M/C.

Gail is going to start getting any supplies needed for cleaning of the hall from Hiawatha Chef Supply.

### **Fire Dept./EMS**

The fire department has responded to 1 structure fire and 1 accident in past month.

Matt stated that the fire marshal states that we have to have visibility vests for the department and he is requesting 8 vests for \$103.60. He also requested 3 pairs of gloves for extraction at \$27.95 per pair, glass cutting saw for \$135.95, fire gloves for \$164.85 for 3 pair, a small hallagen

bar for \$68.95, and a truck axe for \$67.95 for a total for everything of \$625.15. All of these items will be marked Inwood FD. Motion: B. Landis Support: C. Watchorn AIF M/C

Matt also stated that he applied for a grant in June and he was awarded a 50/50 grant up to \$3250. He is asking the board to match \$1625 to take advantage of the maximum grant. Motion: C. Watchorn Support: K. Stapleton AIF M/C.

**Correspondence**

None.

**Public Comment**

Pleased that we are looking into building a new town hall.

**Transactions**

Approved the payment of outstanding bills in the amount of \$9,208.60 and deposits of \$1,318.93. Motion: C. Watchorn Support B. Landis AIF M/C

Motion made to adjourn the meeting was made at 7:40 by C. Watchorn. AIF

**Others present for the meeting at the Inwood Township Hall, Cooks, MI were:** Randy Watchorn and Matt Silkworth.

*Submitted by  
Kelli Stapleton  
Inwood Township Clerk  
Approved By:*

*Approved on January 15, 2014*

*Supervisor:*\_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk:*\_\_\_\_\_

*Treasurer:*\_\_\_\_\_

*Trustee:*\_\_\_\_\_

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