

A regular monthly meeting of the Gilmore Township Board was held on May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022, at the Gilmore Township Hall.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Gibbs, McConnell, Marshall, Lasher, Silker

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** None

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA:** A motion was made by Gibbs and seconded by Marshall to approve the agenda with one addition. All ayes being heard the agenda was approved.

**RECOGNITION OF GUESTS:** Tom Anderman spoke. He is running for the 92<sup>nd</sup> seat of the House of Representatives.

**PREVIOUS MINUTES:** A motion was made by Silker and seconded by McConnell to approve the April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022 meeting minutes with one correction. All ayes being heard the motion carries.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** The Treasurer circulated a copy of the report and read it aloud. A motion was made by McConnell and seconded by Silker to approve the treasurer's report in the amount of \$19,061.93 with check numbers 9050-9076. All ayes being heard the motion carries.

**NEW BUSINESS: A.** May election update. The Clerk stated that the election went smoothly with a very low turnout. There was roughly a 10 percent voter turnout.

**B.** Township hall rehab/ cemetery building. The Clerk stated that he had been in touch with the builders who had provided a quote for the roof repair on the east side cemetery building. A decision will be made at the June meeting on which company to have repair the roof. Also the Clerk was in contact with a company who can prepare a drawing with plans for the township hall project.

**C.** Wahl Lake property, there was discussion held on the Wahl Lake property. Several residents on the lake spoke in opposition to developing a small park at this property. Gibbs stated that he had spoken with the county and had their support and would reach out to EGLE to see what actions needed to be taken to develop a small park at Wahl Lake. Several community members have expressed interest in this project.

**NEW BUSINESS: A.** Road maintenance projects. Gibbs stated that the road contracts were signed and returned to the county. Brining was scheduled for the later part of May.

B. Cemetery fence, Gibbs stated that he had been contacted by families that have relatives buried in the cemetery. It appears that people driving in the cemetery have been turning short with their vehicles and driving over grave sites. Gibbs will place some simple roadside reflectors for now to hopefully deter this problem from happening. If this does not deter the problem a more permanent solution may be needed.

**OFFICER'S REPORT:** Gibbs stated that the Farwell Boy Scout Troop would be helping with the placement of flags on Veterans graves on the 21<sup>st</sup> of May. Lasher stated that the report was filed for the use of ARPA funds.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:** There were concerns from the residents with the new garbage collection company GFL.

**ADJOURNMENT:** A motion was made by Gibbs and seconded by McConnell to adjourn the meeting at 8:33 p.m. All Ayes being heard the meeting was adjourned.

Thomas G Gibbs, Clerk, ~~un~~approved minutes May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas G Gibbs", written in a cursive style.