A regular monthly meeting of the Gilmore Township Board was held on Wednesday, March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022 at the Gilmore Township Hall.

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

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** None

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA:** A motion was made by Gibbs and seconded by Marshall to approve the agenda. All Yeas being heard the motion carries.

**RECOGNITION OF GUESTS: None** 

**PREVIOUS MINUTES:** A motion was made by McConnell and seconded by Marshall to approve the February 9th, 2022 meeting minutes as presented. All Yeas being heard the motion carries.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** The Treasurer circulated a copy of the Treasurer's 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 \$14,119.48 with check numbers 9002-9021. All Yeas being heard the motion carries.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** A. Election update. Gibbs stated that election training has been completed by 9 election workers at this time. A motion was made by McConnell and seconded by Silker to install the ballot drop box on the porch at the township hall at a cost of \$150.00. All Yeas being heard the motion carries.

**B.** Township hall rehab/expansion. A discussion was held on options for building improvements at the hall. Lasher received notification from the state that the township would not be able to sell the Wahl Lake property.

**NEW BUSINESS:** A. Fire millage renewal. The ballot language was submitted to the county to be placed on the August ballot.

- **B.** March Board of Review. Lasher stated that there was an increase in taxable value from 52 to 56 million.
- **C.** Budget hearing/workshop. Date and time for the workshop is the  $17^{th}$  of March at 5:30 pm. Date and time for the hearing is the  $24^{th}$  of March at 5:30 pm. The election commission will also meet on the  $24^{th}$  of March after the budget hearing.
- **D.** Property tax assessment. The increase in the property tax assessment for the wind turbines went from \$14.5 million to approximately \$30 million.
- **E.** Independent audit. The Board discussed the audit that is to take place this year. There is an increase in the cost this year to \$4900.00.

A Gilmore Township election commission meeting was held on March  $24^{th}$ , 2022 at 5:50 pm.

Members present: Gibbs, Lasher, Marshall

A motion was made by Lasher and seconded by Marshall to approve the election workers for the May 2022 election. Sandy Grendel-Democrat, Sandy Westphalrepublican, Colleen Vogel- Republican, Ann Silker-Democrat, Gary Silker-Democrat, Cristian Gerow-Republican, Jeanine McGowan-Democrat, Bernadine Lasher-Democrat, Tom Gibbs-Republican. All yeas being heard the motion carries.

A motion was made by Lasher and seconded by Marshall to adjourn the meeting at 5:51 pm. All yeas being hear the meeting adjourned.

Thomas G Gibbs, Gilmore Township Clerk, Rapproved election commission minutes, March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022.