

03-08-2022 DRAFT

Florence Township Annual Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 8:00. We started the meeting with the pledge of allegiance. Cory Gagnon from the sheriff's department gave a report on what is happening in the county. Ben Boege was elected moderator. The clerk read the minutes of last year minutes. Motion made and second. Passes. The 2021 Audit report was presented. There was a motion made and second to approve as presented. The motion passed. The 2023 proposed budget was presented. HPC is asking for \$5500.00 in their budget. Motion made and second to change the black top budget to \$200,000. The motion passed. The General fund is \$77,555, The Road and Bridge fund is \$371,850 and Fire and ambulance fund is \$35,000 for a total levy of \$484,405. -0.2% motion made and second to approve amended budget. The motion passed.

Friends no report

Planning commission-We are working on revising our comprehensive plan. Revising our web page. We are working on short term rental ordinance.

HPC- we have been busy updating information we have about the historic district and keep historic registry current. We are looking at 70 homes.

Parks-We have been working hard on the new playground by the ball field. Raised over \$32,000 for the park. Still working on Valhalla Park removing invasives and replanting native grasses and plants. Sportsman club donated a lot of work and money towards new park equipment. We have a new dock coming this summer donated by the sportsman's club.

There was a motion made and second to donate \$1000.00 to the Goodhue County Fair. The motion passed.

Set gopher bounty \$1.50 motion made and second to keep it.

Set date and time 3-7 and meeting at 7:00 March 14th 2023. The motion passed.

Election results Jim McIlrath 68 Brent Urbach 56 dave Harvey 1 Jody mcIlrath 1 vote Sue 124 votes.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:10.

Respectfully submitted

Susan M. Eisenmenger, Clerk