

**CASCADE TOWNSHIP  
OLMSTED COUNTY – MINNESOTA  
BOARD MINUTES**

**November 3, 2008**

Members present were: Chairman Lenny Laures, Supervisor Arlen Heathman, Supervisor Harold Atkinson and Clerk\Treasurer Joe Vroman.

Guests present: Deputy Val Coe and Charlie Reiter, Olmsted County Transportation Planner

Call to order at 6:00 pm at The Calvary Evangelical Free Church Meeting Room. All in attendance recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Sheriff Deputy's Report:**

At 6:30pm, Deputy Val Coe updated the Board on her patrol activities for the past month. The Board discussed the proposed township parking ordinance. Deputy Coe stated that she will contact the Sheriff and County Attorney for their input on setting up a first warning notification.

**Township Board Continuing Business**

- The minutes from the October meeting were read by Vroman and were approved as read on a motion by Heathman, seconded by Atkinson, motion passed.
- Supervisor Heathman made a motion to pay the November Joint Powers bill of \$13,650.48 seconded by Atkinson, motion passed.
- A motion to pay the remaining bills was made by Atkinson, seconded by Heathman, all voted in favor to pay the total bills of \$18,528.41.
- Treasurer Vroman gave the financial report at the meeting. Beginning balance was \$218,269.19, which included the October checking interest of \$291.64; \$6,783.70 from State of Minnesota for Market Value Real Estate and Ag Credit. Checks written totaled \$18,528.41 for an ending checking balance of \$199,590.78. Motion to approve the treasurers report was made by Laures, seconded by Atkinson, motion passed.

**Township Board New Business**

At 6:45PM, Bonnie Moeckly of 503 Bluff Road NW appeared before the Board to request an additional driveway for their home to enter off Bluff Lane NW to allow for a second garage in the rear of their property. Discussion followed on this and the Board decided they would like to visit the site before making a decision on this issue. The Board will call to set up a meeting time to visit the property. That was fine with Mrs. Moeckly.

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At 7:10PM, Charlie Reiter, Olmsted County Transportation Planner gave a presentation on the progress and future plans for 60<sup>th</sup> Avenue NW from Highway 14 West to 75<sup>th</sup> Street NW. He also presented information on the 55<sup>th</sup> Street NE extension to Highway 63 North and Highway 63 North corridor improvement planning.

Motion by Atkinson to accept the 3 year proposal for Cascade Township audit from Smith-Shafer, this was seconded by Heathman, motion passed.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 pm

Motion by Heathman, Seconded by Laures, motion passed.

Submitted: Joe Vroman, Clerk