

**COLOMA CHARTER TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES**  
**REGULAR MEETING**  
**September 8, 2021**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Supervisor Kenneth Parrigin called the meeting to order at 7:00pm . Supervisor Kenneth Parrigin, Clerk Sheila Hickmott, Treasurer Jim Fulton, Trustees Jerry Willmeng, Bryan Duffield, Kendyl Adams, and Lance Becht were present for the meeting.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Trustee Bryan Duffield .

**CONSENT AGENDA**

Treasurer James Fulton presented the consent agenda. Treasurer Fulton reported the finance committee met and approved the August 2021, expenses totaling \$183,923.95. Moved by Trustee Lance Becht, seconded by Trustee Jerry Willmeng, to approve the consent agenda and August 2021 meeting minutes. ROLL CALL VOTE: Parrigin, yes; Hickmott, yes; Becht, yes; Duffield, yes; Adams, yes; Willmeng, yes; Fulton, yes; ALL AYES. APPROVED.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

**POLICE DEPARTMENT:**

Police Chief gave his monthly report for August 2021, which included: 251 total complaints investigated, 53 arrest, 16 felony arrests, 89 traffic stops, 5,573 patrol miles, 151 Business Property Checks, and 7 property damage accidents. Chief Smigielski stated to the board that 2 new Tahoe's are now in service, the new body cams have arrived and Officer Ulleg is currently trying one out. The Chief also stated the police department is still actively looking to hire another police officer.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT:** Robert Howell spoke on behalf of the fire department and stated the chief's contract is still pending.

**CEMETERY BOARD:**

Trustee Duffield stated that the audit has been completed and was found in good standing. He also mentioned that Rory Bell and Jeff Krolzick helped when a grave needed to be dug. The cemetery board is no longer with TCF Bank, accounts have been switched over to Honor Credit Union.

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**PARKS & RECREATION:**

Tony Bertuca stated that all the signs for Watervliet in regards to the river were given to Watervliet to be put in.

**WATER ADVISORY COMMITTEE:**

Robert Howell stated the Whole Sale Agreement was submitted to the City on July 2, 2021. City of Coloma has hired Whitman and currently the Township is waiting for a response from the city.

Motion was made to approve payment in the amount of \$999.75 for the Paw Paw Lake Improvement Districts (SAPAC INVOICE-FAHEY-9-2-21 invoice # 60886 Moved by Trustee Bryan Duffield seconded by Treasurer Jim Fulton. ROLL CALL VOTE: Hickmott, yes; Becht, yes; Duffield, yes; Adams, yes; Willmeng, yes; Fulton, yes; Parrigin, yes. ALL AYES APPROVED.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Robert Howell gave an update on the Coloma Mobile Home Park site plan. 64 have been approved they are wanting to add an extra 11 sites. Alan Smaka is putting a cost together to add the extra sites. Treasurer Jim Fulton stated one site should be removed due to right-of-way.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Marijuana Ordinance, Supervisor Ken Parrigin appointed Trustee Bryan Duffield, Trustee Lance Becht, and Trustee Kendyl Adams to further look into the possibility of changing the Township stance on Marijuana.

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ADJOURNMENT

Trustee Jerry Willmeng, seconded by Trustee Lance Becht, made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:03 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Sheila Hickmott, Clerk

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Kenneth Parrigin, Supervisor

Date Approved \_\_\_\_\_