Heath Township Meeting Minutes August 9, 2021

1. Call to order

The regular monthly meeting of the Heath Township Board was called to order by Supervisor Ron Jones at 7:00 p.m. on August 9 at the Township Hall. Misti opened with prayer.

2. Roll call

Supervisor Ron Jones, Treasurer Misti Lindholm, Trustee Hilda Boerman. Absent Clerk Missy Harvey. Trustee Bill Harvey.

- 3. Approval of minutes from last meeting Previous months minutes were approved.
- 4. A motion made by Hilda and supported by Misti for extra paving for 2022: Scenic Dr., Fairlane Dr., Spring Brook Drive, and Bayou Ct. \$190,000.00 recommended by the Road Commission. Unanimously approved. Motion passed.
- 5. Allegan County Road Commission recommends abandoning 42nd Street, South of 131st. motion made by Hilda supported by Misti to let them know the Board had no objections. Unanimously approved. Motion passed.

6. New Business

a) A resident in Heath Township inquired if Hutt Sand Mine was still operating and wanted to know how wide a private road needs to be. Hilda will contact PCI and report back to the Board.

7. Reports

a) Jim Storey, County Commissioner gave his monthly report: County Commissioners are still deliberating on how to spend the American Rescue Plan grant money. They would like to use it for Broadband and are also awaiting final wording on how the monies may be spent.

Broadband work group will have their first meeting this month.

Allegan County Road Commissions response to a complaint regarding the use of ORVs on county roads used by horses, The horse people were not happy with ordinance passed by the county and were afraid there would be accidents, The ordinance has been in effect only a couple of weeks and there have not been any accidents or other complaints. Horses and cars have been sharing roads for a long time. ORV use is restricted to just a few roads and they need to be licensed and follow speed laws. The ordinance will stand.

8. Bills

Motion made by Hilda supported by Misti to pay township bills. Unanimously approved. Motion passed.

9. Adjournment

Motion made by Misti supported by Hilda and unanimously supported to adjourn at 8:05 p.m.

Minutes submitted by Trustee Hilda Boerman.