# ARTHUR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING MINUTES December 11, 2023 7:00 PM Township Hall 3031 S. Athey Ave, Clare, MI 48617

7:00 p.m. Meeting called to order by Clerk LaRose with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**ROLL CALL:** Present: Jerry Willford, Anna Sharp, Joy Kleinhardt, Janice LaRose

Absent: Matthew Bednorek

LaRose motioned to appoint Treasurer Sharp as moderator in Supervisor Bednorek's absence, seconded

by Kleinhardt

Voice vote: All "ayes" - carried

**AGENDA:** Willford motioned to accept agenda as presented; seconded by LaRose

Voice vote: All "ayes" - carried

# **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

November 13, 2023 Regular Board Meeting
 LaRose motioned to accept minutes as presented, Willford seconded

Voice vote: All "ayes" - carried

# **FINANCIAL REPORTS:**

Treasurer Sharp presented the monthly report on all bank account activity and projected general fund balance with current encumbrances, Profit & Loss and Balance Sheet for October NOVEMBER, and listing of checks from October NOVEMBER journal presented by Sharp.

Kleinhardt motioned to accept as corrected, Willford seconded.

Voice vote: All "ayes" - carried

**ACCOUNTS PAYABLE:** Clerk LaRose reviewed additional bills to be paid.

Willford motioned to pay bills presented, Kleinhardt seconded.

Voice vote: All "ayes" – carried.

# **PUBLIC COMMENT / GUEST SPEAKERS**

- Jack Kleinhardt yielded his time to the remaining speakers
- Middle Michigan Development/DTE
  - o Jim McBryde MMDC introduced Allison
  - o Jason Hannith with DTE presented solar

# **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

Insurance Rates: Sharp motioned to table to next meeting, LaRose seconded
 Voice vote: All "ayes" – carried

 Roads: Sharp motioned to table\_t-o next meeting, Willford seconded Voice vote: All "ayes" – carried

• ARPA funds: Sharp motioned to table to next meeting, Willford seconded Voice vote: All "ayes" – carried

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- 2025 Fire Contract
  - LaRose presented letter from Harrison Fire regarding higher rates fir-for 2026