**GILFORD TOWNSHIP**

TUSCOLA COUNTY

NOVEMBER 9, 2017

**MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

Meeting called to order at 7:30 P.M., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Board members present: D. Strasz, Treasurer; R. Haines, Clerk; A. Goss, Trustee. K. Houghtaling, Trustee and J. Stockmeyer Supervisor absent. R. Haines presided over meeting.

Order of agenda was approved.

**Public Comment**: RR crossings on Garner Rd. and VanGeisen Rd. are very rough. Suggestion to call toll free number found at crossings. Yield sign at Hickey Rd. and Garner Rd. needs to be replaced with stop sign.

**Minutes of the Previous Meeting**: Motion by A. Goss , second D. Strasz to approve minutes. Motion approved.

**Treasurers Report:** Motion by R. Haines, second by A. Goss to approve the treasurers report. Motion approved.

**REPORTS: Supervisor:**

Update on proposed garage. Landplan Inc. report on Master Plan/Ordinance review. Discussion on security system bid, will continue discussion at December meeting. Reese Fire had 2 medical and 1 fire run in October. Maker Rd. work postponed until 2018. Drain Commission letter update on M-138 work for 2018.

**Treasurer**: No new correspondence.

**Clerk:** Report of suspicious person in township. Keep doors locked at all times, **Call 911.** All Election Inspectors have received training on new equipment. Motion by A. Goss, second by D. Strasz to approve payment of bills. Motion approved.

**Trustees:** MTA medical marijuana conference report.

**Ambulance Representative:** 6 runs in September.

**Fire Department Representative:**  Fairgrove Fire had 1 run in September, 3 runs in October. October 9 Fairgrove meeting report: new recruits, Tech center to train/demo on cars. Reese fire meeting report: Election of officers.

**Zoning Administrator:** No October permits issued, 1 Livestock complaint .

**Public Comment:** None.

Motion by R. Haines, second by D. Strasz to adjourn at 8:56 P.M. Motion approved.

Robert L. Haines

Gilford Township Clerk