## ST CHARLES TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES

## October 10, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Supervisor Ackerman, and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Members Present**: Supervisor Ackerman, Treasurer Adams, Trustee Buck, Trustee Levens. and Clerk Smith.

**Reading of the Minutes**: Motion by Trustee Levens, supported by Trustee Buck. Motion passed.

**Visitors:** County Commissioner Denny Harris, Jeanne Marcello, Reporter. Denny gave us a short update about the search for the Mosquito Control building.

**Supervisor Report**: Supervisor Ackerman updated the board regarding the Tri Township Fire Dept. need for a new truck.

**Treasurer Report**: Treasurer Adams provided reconciliations for tax account and all account balances. Board approved new trash removal amount per household to \$195.00. Motion to accept new amount made by Treasurer Adams, supported by Clerk Smith. Roll call vote: Supervisor Ackerman, yea. Clerk Smith, yea. Treasurer Adams, yea. Trustee Buck, yea. Trustee Levens, yea. Motion passed.

**Clerk Report**: Accounts reconciled and balanced. Available for board to view. Accounts balance with Treasurer Adams. Letter to Village Residents provided to the board for the merging of precincts.

Building Inspector and Assessor Reports: Report provided.

## Communications:

**New Business:** Trustee Buck brought to the boards attention the State of Michigan looking into taking over solar and turbine ordinances. Discussion regarding local vs state control. Board is somewhat divided on this issue. Supervisor Ackerman requested to table the discussion until November meeting.

**Bills**: Motion made to approve and pay the bills in the amount of \$ 52,079.30 for current bills due by Trustee Buck, seconded by Trustee Levens, motion carried.

**Adjournment**: Motion for adjournment made by Trustee Levens and supported by Trustee Buck. Meeting adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by,

Regina Smith, Twp. Clerk