

SEPTEMBER 24, 2009 MINUTES
LIBERTY TOWNSHIP WORKSHOP SESSION

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER by Mayor Inscho at 7:13 p.m.

SUNSHINE LAW COMPLIANCE

FLAG SALUTE

ROLL CALL - Mr. Petersen, Mr. Grover, Mr. Inscho and Ms. Reilly. Mr. Tibak and Mr. Fisher absent.

REPORTS:

Ms. Reilly noted that she was advised that Mr. Smith from Comcast will not be attending our Comcast Public Hearing on October 1, 2009 but is sending Molly Adams instead. She also gave information about Liberty Power to the committee. Mr. Grover will research this company and get back to the Committee.

Committeeman Mr. Petersen reported that the old soap factory building has been taken down by our DPW.

He also noted that he and Mr. Grover met at Sworthswood State Park to review the property and get ideas to replace the Lisbon Capri when it is torn down. They have been invited back for a full tour. Mr. Petersen suggested that perhaps he could get some members of the Recreation Commission, Open Space, Environmental and Land Use Board to attend. He stated that the township is just about ready to do some small scale demo of The Lisbon. The air conditioning will be removed. Mayor Inscho directed Ms. Reilly to write a letter to Mr. Thomas, President of the fire company to ask if they would be interested in the air conditioners from the Lisbon.

Mr. Petersen also noted that they will be documenting where the septics are located on the property of the Lisbon. He also wants to meet with folks from the Highlands to ask what we can and cannot do with the property.

Committeeman Mr. Grover reported that he has some ideas for a pavilion to be placed on the property.

Mr. Grover also said he is going to review our utility bills and will look into solar street lights.

DPW Supervisor Mr. Romanowitch reported that the old soap factory has been taken down. All of the metal and scrap was taken by Mr. Kuclarski and the wood was taken to the land fill.

Mayor Inscho – He noted that he attended a meeting with the Hope Court and due to budget cuts they will hold court three times a month instead of five. He said their budget is currently \$5,532 in the negative. He is suggesting that we look into joining the Knowlton Court and will research this idea.

He suggested the Committee review the letter from the Highlands asking us to adopt a Green Acres, Water Supply and Floodplain Protection resolution.

PUBLIC DISCUSSION

Mike Doyle of the Recreation Commission asked for some information he needs to make arrangements with the folks who will be conducting the background checks. He needs the short form of standing that we are a non profit organization and a term letter showing we are tax exempt. Ms. Reilly will confer with Kevin Lifer in reference to question and get back to Mr. Doyle.

He also noted that Mrs. Tibak will arrange Community Day again for next year. Mayor Inscho noted that she did a terrific job this year and was glad to hear she volunteered again for next year!

RECYCLING ORDINANCE DRAFT: The Committee reviewed the drafted Ordinance made some changes. Mr. Skoog will be given the draft to review.

FALL CLEAN UP – This will be conducted from November 2 thru November 14, 2009. This year our clean up will entitle homeowners to one voucher for a free trip to the Warren County Landfill. Vouchers will be available at the municipal building from 8:00 am. until 4:00 p.m. Mondays thru Fridays and on Wednesdays from 8:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. during the month of October, 2009.

HALLOWEEN TRICK OR TRICK HOURS: It was decided that the hours for trick or treat will be October 31, 2009 from 4:30 pm. Until 7:30 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion made by Mr. Inscho, seconded by Mr. Petersen with roll call unanimous to adjourn said meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Willa L. Reilly, RMC
Municipal Clerk/Administrator