

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR GEORGETOWN TOWNSHIP UTILITIES COMMITTEE MEETING HELD July 10, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 9:52, after the Township Board meeting was adjourned.

Present: Gary Veldink, Ryan Kidd, and John Schwalm, members; Robert Blitchok, Township Superintendent, Justin Stadt, Assistant Superintendent, Joel Hanenburg, DPW Director
Absent: None

#230710-01 – Approval of Minutes of the Previous Meeting

Moved by Kidd, seconded by Gary Veldink, to approve the minutes of the [June 12, 2023](#) meeting.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

#230710-02 – Communications, Letters and Reports

A. Sidewalk Request-[Susan Honaker](#)

A discussion took place to install a sidewalk down Bauer Road from 20th Avenue going east to Meadowbrook.

Denied by committee, as the cost for installation would be significant with high banks and soil conditions.

B. Sidewalk Request-[Kim Sorelle](#)

A discussion took place to install a sidewalk down Taylor/Cottonwood to 12th ave/Taylor. There are only a few areas that do not have sidewalks. Staff to gather work with the Ottawa County Water Resource and Township contracted engineers about correcting the water issue first.

#230710-03 – Blendon Payback Remittance Discussion

Discussion took place over the history on the Blendon Account.

Moved by John Schwalm, seconded by Gary Veldink, to close the Blendon Payback account and remit the balance less cost of the Hidden Ridge Lift Station (\$60,500) for a total \$238,713.48 to Blendon Township.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

#230710-04 – Public Comment

Members of the public were present; no public comments were made.

#230710-05 – Other Business

Discussion of Goals

Discussion took place.

#230710-06 – Adjournment

Moved by John Schwalm, seconded by Gary Veldink, to adjourn the meeting at 10:30 p.m.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.