

April 4, 2018

The special meeting of the Supervisors of Franklin Township was held in the Franklin Township Municipal Building, was called to order by Chairman Dennis Howard at 1745 hours. The Pledge of Allegiance was said by all. Present were Supervisors James Sachar, Steven Walker, Daniel Netzler, Robert Simonelli and Dennis Howard and Secretary Ramona Junkins. Visitors present: Karl Ebert and Cindy Weston.

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS

None

REVIEW BIDS:

Bids were reviewed for the purchase of a new truck. Bids for 550, 450 and 350 were reviewed with a total of 16 different quotes to review.

In discussion it was mentioned the Backhoe is also being used to do road inspections.

Daniel Netzler made a motion to purchase the 2013 Chevy Silverado 3500 1-Ton Pick-up from Summit Township in the amount of \$25,000.00. Robert Simonelli seconded. Passed by unanimous roll call vote. Carried.

James Sachar made a motion to put the Ford F450 truck and plow with a bad oil pan, broken left front spring and fuel leak out for bid along with the 383 Massey Ferguson with mower listing them As-Is, Where - Is. The Massey Ferguson has a bad clutch, bad brakes and bad transmission. Steven Walker seconded. Passed by unanimous roll call vote. Carried.

The Roadmaster Daniel said he is in need of adding some part time people to the work list for the road crew. Consent was unanimous to go ahead and add more part time people to the work crew if that is what is needed.

Tractor: The Tractor was delivered last week. Joe used it Monday for a couple hours and it broke down. Walsh offered to look at it but it would cost \$2.65/mile plus \$122 an hour to come diagnosis the problem. It was decided the Tractor was going to cost a lot to diagnose then repair so Walsh Equipment came and picked up the tractor today to take it back. They have agreed to give all the money back to the township for the purchase of the tractor. Dennis Howard made a motion to accept the Walsh Equipment verbal offer and go for a refund. Steven Walker seconded. Passed by unanimous roll call vote. Carried.

Walsh Equipment came across a used Tractor from Green Township when delivering their new one. Walsh Equipment has delivered it to Franklin Township to look at and see if we would like to purchase the Tractor directly from Greene Township. All the maintenance records and owner's manual have been delivered along with the Tractor (Massey Ferguson) also. It was decided to work with the Tractor and see if there are any complications and discuss it at the upcoming Supervisors meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

None

Dennis Howard moved to adjourn. Daniel Netzler seconded. The meeting adjourned at 1911 hours.

Ramona Junkins, Township Secretary