

December 13, 2017

Present: Wade, J. Vickers, Eldred, Ward and Feazel.

Guests: None.

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Motion Vickers, support Ward to pay the following bills:

PAYROLL		14,229.44
CULLIGAN	SOFTENER MONTHLY FEE + SALT	25.00
QUILL OFFICE PRODUCTS	OFFICE SUPPLIES	156.03
STATE OF MICHIGAN	MAAO RENEWAL FEE - FEAZEL	175.00
CHASE	TREASURER MILEAGE	234.31
B & T EXCAVATING	CLEAN-UP DAY	240.00
POSTMASTER	STAMPS FOR TAX BILLS	588.00
ACCIDENT FUND COMPANY	TOWNSHIP - 46%	1,432.90
ACCIDENT FUND COMPANY	FIRE DEPT - 54%	1,682.10
CULLIGAN	SOFTENER MONTHLY FEE + SALT	25.00
DEB PARMELEE	HALL SUPPLIES	103.82
DEB PARMELEE	SUPPLIES	21.98
DRAINS AT LARGE-LESLIE TWP. #14	101-440-930.1	8,797.87
TRI-COUNTY WATER	WATER SYSTEM & SUPPLIES	15.00
CONSUMERS ENERGY - LIGHTING CONTRACT	10 00 10 5649 10	14.41
MMTA	MMTA 2017 DUES	50.00
RILEY'S APPARATUS SERVICES LLC	FIRE DEPT. REPAIRS	2,167.28
NORTHEAST MICHIGAN ASSESSORS ASSOCIATION		15.00
FAHEY, SCHULTZ, BURZYCH, RHODES PLC	ATTORNEY FEES	953.00
WOW BUSINESS	INTERNET PROVIDER	32.97
PLANNING AND ZONING	PLANNING & ZONING NEWS	380.00
MICHIGAN.COM	LEGAL NOTICES	48.84
MICHIGAN.COM	ELECTION NOTICES	239.16

MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION OF MUNICIPAL CLERKS	2018 DUES	120.00
CONSUMERS ENERGY	10 00 10 5649 10	469.50
QUILL OFFICE PRODUCTS	OFFICE SUPPLIES	145.75
MC&E/ELECTION SOURCE	ELECTION TESTING	600.00
AT&T	PHONE CHARGES	156.14
MICHIGAN ASSESSORS ASSOCIATION	MEMBERSHIP DUES 2018	100.00
MID MI ASSOCIATION OF ASSESSING OFFICERS	ASSESSOR CONTINUING EDUCATION & 2018 MEMBERSHIP DUES	50.00
CHASE	TAX SUPPLIES	325.23
CHASE	TREASURER MILEAGE	30.74
GRANGER	RECYCLING AND CLEAN-UP DAYS	2,445.00
SHERRY FEAZEL	CLERK MILEAGE, MEALS & PARKING	60.99
SHERRY FEAZEL	ASSESSOR MILEAGE, MEALS & PARKING	12.30
SHERRY FEAZEL	SUPPLIES	18.00
SHERRY FEAZEL	ELECTION SUPPLIES	72.50
TOTAL MAINTENANCE	LAWN & BUILDING MAINTENANCE	315.00
TOTAL MAINTENANCE	FIRESTATION LAWN & BUILDING MAINTENANCE	135.00
CHASE VISA	QUICKBOOKS ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION & POSTER KIT ANNUAL	697.99
CHASE VISA	ICE MELTER	130.00
ALERUS RETIREMENT SOLUTIONS		469.97
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MERS	PENSION	1,134.57
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Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried.

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Eldred presented a written report from the fire department that reviewed the activity for the last month.

There was no zoning or building report for the month.

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discussions will be added to the January agenda.

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A letter from the City of Leslie requesting a board member from the township join with other community leaders as a board member of the Leslie Area Chamber of Commerce to try and save the activities sponsored by the struggling chamber board.

Adjourned 7:27 P.M.

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