

SOMERFORD TOWNSHIP  
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Bill Laney, Chairman  
James Moran, Vice Chairman

Amanda Knowles, Fiscal Officer  
Brian Knowles, Zoning Inspector  
David Jeffers, Cemetery Sexton

The Somerford Township Trustees met in regular session on Wednesday, December 8, 2021 at the Somerford Township Hall located at 91 St Rt 56 NW with the above members present. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

Fiscal Officer Amanda Knowles then asks the trustees to review the minutes from the November 2021 meeting. Chairman Laney makes a motion to accept the meeting minutes. Vice Chairman Moran seconds. The motion is carried. The December 2021 bills and payroll are then reviewed. Chairman Laney makes a motion to approve the bill pay. Vice Chairman Moran seconds and the motion is passed. Ms. Knowles then presents the Trustees with the Temporary Appropriations for fiscal year 2022. Vice Chairman Moran makes a motion to adopt these Temporary Appropriations and Chairman Laney seconds motion. A roll call vote was called and resulted as follows: Vice Chairman Moran-yes, Chairman Laney-yes. Motion was passed at this time. A public notice will be placed in the paper to inform the public of the Appropriation measures. Ms. Knowles then discusses the information that the Trustees received regarding the chip/fog sealing that needs done on Markley Road. The information was received from the Madison County Engineer's Office. After review and discussion, Mr. Moran makes a motion to go ahead with Markley Road work. Mr. Laney seconds and the motion is passed at this time.

Brian Knowles, Somerford Township Zoning Inspector, states that Dave Hughes informed him that the solar project is not subject to zoning regulations. Kelly Mans involved down south and can reach out to him if further information is needed. Mr. Knowles reports that he will start taking photos of the Frank Ward property to document lack of change. He will notify Mr. Ward that these are the next steps. The Food Truck property needs a variance to put a building on their property. A special meeting for this as well as two other lot splits will be scheduled with the Board of Zoning Appeals.

Cemetery Sexton, Dave Jeffers, then inquires about the cemetery equipment. After further discussion, a motion to move forward with the equipment purchase is made. Mr. Laney moves this motion, Mr. Moran seconds and the motion is passed. Also, at this time, Mr. Moran thanks Mr. Laney for all of his hard work and dedication over the years and acknowledges the great things he has done for our community.

Being no further business to be discussed at this time, the meeting was adjourned at 2007.

Respectfully submitted:

Amanda Knowles, Somerford Township Fiscal Officer

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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James Moran, Vice Chairman