

Delaware Township Board Meeting

September 14, 2023 – 5:30 PM

Those in attendance were as follow:

Rick Fain	Board President
Kim Logan	Board Secretary
Marilyn Schenkel	Board Member
Debbie Driskell	Township Trustee
Sarah Krause	Township Clerk
Mike Reuter	Financial Consultant

ITEMS OF BUSINESS

1. Call Meeting to Order
 - a. Rick Fain called the meeting to order at 5:37 and The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.
2. Adoption of Minutes - Action
 - a. August 24, 2023- Kim starts motion to approve Marilyn seconds, Rick motions all in favor, unanimous approval.
3. 2024 Budget – Public Hearing- Open
 - a. Mike Reuter- Presentation on Budget Report's – No action required
 - i. 6 year non-farm personal income growth factor
 - ii. LIT 2024 10.6%
 - iii. Assess Valuation- 4% total growth for Township
 - iv. General Fund trends
 - v. Bond debt length example
 - vi. Fire fund- balancing and gaining interest
 - vii. Rainy Day fund
 - viii. Property Tax rates
 - b. Take action- October 12th 2023
 - c. Budget hearing- closed
4. Public Works Projects- Report-
 - a. Hired bond council- Brian Bosma
 - i. Possibly Park and Recreation related- could require a petition
5. Trustee Announcements-
 - a. Thanked Rick for efforts on the bicentennial celebration at Conner Prairie
 - b. December 12th, 2023- Delaware Township Birthday Celebration
6. Old Business- none
7. New Business-
 - a. Conference is coming up for September 17-20th, 2023
8. Next meeting on October 12th, 2023
9. Adjourn
 - a. Kim motioned to adjourn; Marilyn seconded. All members agreed.

Kim Logan, Board Secretary Kim Logan

Rick Fain, Board Member Rick Fain

Marilyn Schenkel, Board Member Marilyn Schenkel

ATTEST: Debbie Driskell, Township Trustee Debbie Driskell