SPRINGVALE TOWNSHIP May 11, 2021 REGULAR BOARD MEETING

The Springvale Township Board met in regular session on Tuesday, May 11, 2021, 7:30 PM, at the Springvale Township Hall, 8198 East Mitchell Road. There were seven visitors present.

CALL TO ORDER 7:30 PM by Township Supervisor, Randy McCune.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL by Pat McCune, Clerk

Randy McCune, Supervisor	Springvale	Becky Fettig, Trustee	Springvale
Dawn DeRue, Treasurer	Springvale	Kyle Ulrich, Trustee	Springvale
Patricia McCune, Clerk	Springvale		

Special Guest

Val Meyserson, Petoskey District Library

Annual Report, open since June 2020, 50% reduction in in-person activity, circulation only down 20%. Very positive presentation of successful accommodations to serving the public during the pandemic. Many to stay in place.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

Approval of April 2021 meeting minutes and the following: Motion to approve Becky Fettig seconded by Pat McCune, all approve.

Payment of bills:

Clerk and Treasurer's Report: 80% of tax info restored from 2020, Dawn DeRue. Status of revolving fund issue, asked by Pat McCune.

VERBAL REPORTS

Ordinance Enforcement Officer (OEO): Three cases resolved. Residents seem committed to the process of cleaning up.

Fire Dept. Report: Randy McCune reports 2 grass fires. Memorial sign for fire hall reviewed and tentative approval moved by Becky Fettig, seconded Dawn DeRue final vote in June. Alice Conrad objects.

Lake Issues Report: Joel Kato, data report presented and how to access it online. Bill Shorter also presents pertinent information, comments on increase in cold fronts and wind speeds. Dave Harris will have a rise and fall gauge on Pickerel Lake.

Emmet County Report: Bill Shorter, Covid 19 in decline.

OLD BUSINESS

Website: Is live, time to fill it up. Lake levels can be linked to website.

Volunteers: Planning committee needs help. Bill Clutter and Jim Schantz are interested working for the township boards or committees.

NEW BUSINESS

Cemetery issues: Duane Dunshee is put forward as new sexton. Kyle Ulrich makes the motion, Dawn DeRue seconds.

Emily Self(assessor): Help for computer systems. Quote submitted. Current company is not able to supply the expertise required for assessments and taxes and integrations. Val Meyerson submits positive reference for quote. Becky Fettig makes a motion to accept the quote. Pat McCune seconds that quote is acceptable. Roll call vote all agree. Emily will confirm particulars.

Comments from the floor: Audience members present: Mary Netzski,

Rich Ginop pavement of Maxwell Road Randy will work with him on it.

Alice Conrad corner fence of Curtis is damaged, recent trees planted against ordinance for cemeteries, ordinances are posted at the cemetery.

Comments from Board:

Dawn is working on newsletter needs info promptly, May 25
Adjournment 8:50 Becky Fettig makes the motion, Dawn DeRue seconds.
Respectfully submitted, Pamela Rambow, Springvale Township Deputy Clerk
Springvale Township Clerk

Approved by Springvale Township Board on _____