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Osceola Township Special Meeting Minutes
Budget Work Session/Special Meeting
March 18, 2024, 5:15 PM

The special meeting of the Osceola Township Board was called to order by Supervisor Mark Halkola on March 18, 2024, at 5:28 PM at the Osceola Township office Board Room. Board members present were Mark Halkola, Christa Gardner, Christina Gardner, Aaron Janke, and Don Wareham.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Motion by Wareham, supported by Christina Gardner to approve the agenda, as presented. AVIF

Public Comment: Public comment opened at 5:29 PM. No public comment was offered. Public Comment closed at 5:29 PM.

Budget Work Session Began:

- a. FY 2023-2024 Final Budget Amendments: After discussion on each budget, the following was offered:
 - a. Motion by Wareham, supported by Janke to approve the amendments to the General Fund, OT Utility, TC Utility, and Mason Wastewater budgets. Roll call vote: 5 yea, 0 nay. Motion passed.
- b. FY 2024-2025 Budgets – discussion, meeting schedule, public hearing - Discussion began on the FY 24-25 budgets, using the final FY23-24 budget as a template.
 - a. Motion by Janke, supported by Wareham for the next work session to take place on Monday, March 25, 2024, at 5:15 PM, and for the Public Hearing and Special meeting to take place on Wednesday, March 27, 2024, at 6:15 PM. AVIF
 - b. Additional ideas to consider in building the GY24-25 budget were: elections, streetlights, DPW fund/budget, storage expansion, ballpark water access and storage, paving and goosenecks on Elm, planning for future gooseneck replacement, storm water drains (5th and Fir, among others), Main Street needing work, possibility of a future township hall/fire hall, backhoe, sidewalk projects, dump trailer for maintenance, ARPA funds.

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Adjourn: Motion by Christa Gardner, supported by Christina Gardner to adjourn at 6:29 PM. AVIF