

**BALTIMORE TOWNSHIP MINUTES – REGULAR MEETING**  
**November 13, 2007**

PRESENT: Supervisor Richard VanSyckle, Treasurer Jennifer McKeever, Clerk Penelope Ypma, Trustee James Rhodes, Trustee David Soya.

Meeting called to order at 7:04 p.m. by Supervisor VanSyckle.

Pledge of Allegiance

**GUESTS:** Dave Bellingar, Ted Hartleb Agency, gave an insurance presentation.

Steve Tackitt, Health Officer, for the Barry-Eaton Health Department, gave a presentation on the regulations for evaluation and maintenance of on-site systems and on-site drinking water wells. In addition, Mr. Tackitt reported that flu shots are available by calling Barry County Health Department at 945-9516.

**ASSESSOR'S REPORT** – Mr. McKelvey gave an updated report regarding his reporting to the State Tax Commission, stating all reports have been submitted. In addition, treasurer McKeever reported she would need the 2007 tax rolls by Saturday, November 17, 2007. Mr. McKelvey reported the delay is due to him not receiving warrants until after the election held last week.

**COMMISSIONER'S REPORT** – Mr. Jeff VanNortwick presented a report from the commissioners' meeting. Mr. VanNortwick thanked voters for their support regarding Charlton Park. In addition, the finance committee approved reimbursing \$1000.00 to all precincts for the special election held November 2007, regarding Charlton Park.

**LIMITED PUBLIC COMMENT** – Supervisor VanSyckle made a statement regarding limited public comment. He reported that there will be two times during the meeting to hear from the public. Once the board goes into session, it is preferred that there are no interruptions during that time. During public comment time, anyone wanting to speak will be recognized by the supervisor by raising a hand. Supervisor VanSyckle announced an apology received from the township resident who caused all the commotion at last month's meeting.

Resident complained of Mr. McKelvey, assessor, commenting to his 19 year-old daughter that their home needs to be finished. Supervisor VanSyckle will speak with the assessor.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS** - none

**NEW BUSINESS**

Central Dispatch Plan Review Committee - David Soya, trustee, appointed as committee member.

The board approved taking bids to do interior painting. Clerk Ypma will publish an ad in the newspaper.

**MINUTES:** Without objection or correction the October 9, 2007 minutes were approved. Motion made by Soya, supported by Rhodes. Motion carried.

**TREASURER'S REPORT** - Report provided. No discussion. Approved as read.

**PAY BILLS:** Moved by VanSyckle, supported by McKeever to pay bills as submitted. Check #'s 7995-8027. Motion carried.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

ATTESTED BY:

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Richard VanSyckle, Supervisor

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Date

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Penelope J. Ypma, Clerk

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Date