MINUTES

WISE TOWNSHIP BOARD

10509 N LOOMIS STREET

November 17, 2022 7pm

PRESENT: DORIS METHNER, TRAVIS BURGESS, Shannon Penny, Darcie Bower, & Robert Moore

ABSENT:

The regular monthly meeting of the Wise Township Board, was called to order by Supervisor Robert Moore 7pm.

Pledge to the flag

Additions or Subtractions: Puddin Cannabis.

Consent Agenda; Minutes of previous meeting, land splits, payment of bills ($35,669.73) permits & treasurers report. Moved by Burgess to approve the consent agenda, supported by Moore. Vote 5-0 passed

Public Comments- opened at 7:03pm Closed at 7:03pm

Correspondence: Letter that C M Rubber Tech. has been sold.

Reports: Library- Nothing new. Fire Coleman- Nuisance calls from Coleman Fields, Cadet Program with the school for a training program for future firefighters. Election we had 535 voters processed that day.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

1. How to handle permits: Methner stated that we started this process to get our permits back in 2017, and we are no better off than we were before, we had a hearing in July and again they rejected our plan. The Code Authority has not been of any help, because they do not answer all the questions the state asked. They want to put part of the duties with permits issuing back on us. If they issue the permit then they enforce it. Moore suggested that we fine a different attorney either through MTA or check through Midland.

1. Cameras are here are going to install them? Cliff Thompson stated he had just installed cameras at his lot and they are better with more to offer then the ones we got. Still waiting for Moore to get a new phone to install the app.
2. Information on Columbarium Methner was thinking of one for our cemetery to help save burial lots. Each niche hold two (2) urns The Township would put up $28,000. For the purchase of the Columbarium the cost of base and the setting. They would sell each niche for about $1,800 plus the cost of a plaque to place on the door, plaques run $650 to 850 depending the style you order. The one the board looked at was 48 niches, maybe start with a smaller one like 24 niches.
3. December Board of Review, do we meet? Moore thought it would be better than not do one next year.
4. Puddin Cannabis: Drew Reiley was present to speak on his request to remodel the old Orr Building to grow indoor Marihuana, Burgess asked Methner if there were any permits available? Methner stated that the board had said they did not want any newer businesses so there were no permits. It would be up to the board to open the permits back up. Methner stated she was not in favor of doing that. Mr. Reiley had a rough draft of what he was proposing, Burgess asked if knew how much space he had, Reiley answered not really. He had one acre but he did not know where his property lines were. Methner stated that a survey would cost $1800 and suggested that he not spend anymore money on the project, since the board was not willing to open up for more permits.

Adjourned at 8:00pm

Submitted by Doris Methner,

Wise Township Clerk