

GENEVA TOWNSHIP SYNOPSIS 11/11/08

Present: Board & 15 residents.

Approved: Reg. Mtg Mins.; Treas. Rpt. Electrical permit Fees; Sheriff Contract 2009. **Oaths** of office were taken by board.

V.B. Sheriff Dept - Kyle Romeo - - 84 complaints covering 11 arrests; 9 citations issued; 14 criminal complaints; traffic stops, verbal warnings, misc. other. **Code Enforce:** Blight & junk vehicle complaints being pursued as time

S.H. Airport Snow removal by Exterior Site Services; MDOT grant covering crack sealing paved areas. 14 wait list for hangers; Necessity hearing confirms access to properties for appraisals on tree removal. Offer made on Monitor Mold property adjoining airport.

S.H. Emerg. Oct.: Geneva had 14 calls; 5 fire; 9 amb; Authority 135 calls; 46 fire; 89 amb. YTD- 1460 calls; 436 fire; 1024 amb. **Training:** Radiological training at Palisades; Florey VFIS drivers training certified; Hosier is certified. Paramedic training on 12 leads on heart patients. Class A foam on Engine 3 worked well. 22 SHAES personnel responded to fire. MSP Fire Marshall, Leroy & Oppenheimer continue to be great help in this on-going investigation. Thank You to Entergy for Grant \$7,500; purchase new rope rescue equipment & dive gear. Dive Trailer has been ordered. Minivan in service. 2008-9 MDOT snow plowing of trunk lines is being limited. Casco Fire Station: Site plan finished, plan to present Dec. Casco planning commission meeting. Discussion on financing availability with USDA Rural Development for building & equipment grants. Review of 2009 SHAES budget with 3.68% cost increase to SHAES members. Participating in Kawasaki Mule program through Vanderzee Motorplex. M-43 Detour - Contractor has continued to keep SHAES personnel abreast of closures & routes through construction area for emergency vehicles.

S.H. Hospital Book Fair - Dec 3 & 4 Lobby of Hospital. Public is invited to participate, MI Harvest Food Gathering - Supplying We Care food pantries with 5440# of food \$395 cash; 1,385 from Health Science Dept. of VBISD. Shoreline Wellness & Rehabilitation Ctr 1st Anniversary - Celebration 12/1-6 Watch for details; Healthy Holiday Cooking Class Nov 19 6pm @ Wellness Ctr; Kids Camp - Sat. 11/29 @ Wellness Center - 639-2949 for info; **S.H. Hosp. Auxiliary - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED 637-5271 #2203** All areas of hospital need volunteers. Make a difference in someone's life & be a Volunteer.

S.H. Senior Service -Tai Chi for Arthritis @ 12:30 Tues @ Warren Ctr; Annual Medicare Part D Review Nov. 25 @ 1:30 pm. Computer Skills: Seniors learn MS word; email; internet banking; Call 637-3607 for more information. Bonnie Fatio presentation :Secrets to Building AgeEsteem well received.

Road Commission: Larry Hummel - Many projects will remain open until 2009 as their may be some grade work needed on shoulders, etc. Noted: shoulders on 8th Avenue paving are already washing with recent rains.

Safe Intersection grant application for CR 687 & CR 388 could be received for 2010 funding, currently on national list. Funding would be a 90% grant/ 10% local match. **CR 380 Reconstruction:** CR 681 to 60th Street 2009; 60th to 64th Street 2010; 62nd to 66th Street 2012; 66th to M-43 2013; Black River Bridge replacement scheduled for 2010. 22nd Avenue rebuild needs electric poles removed from road bed, pending I & M. **CR 384-68th Street Intersection** - St Lgt: Consumers located light out of specs, working to have light properly & further up the grade. **Black River Heritage Trail** Easement granted by B. Basic for intersection construction, included entrance to river for trail. Est cost \$12,000. Larry will work with Twp on procuring funding, pending completion 2009.

Gingerman Raceway - Jillian Schnitta & Patty Knapp reported berm on spectator hill (NE corner) has been seeded & stabilizing. Track extension SE corner is 1750' long; 36' wide, completion 4/10; Berm will then be constructed on SE corner. Gingerman noise readings taken with cycles were at 65 dcb.

Bame Swamp Drain: Parman met with Popp's & Primmer on areas of concern. Joe Parman assured and guaranteed that work will be done properly. Twp. requested, again, a different contractor.

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