

**OFFICIAL  
CATO TOWNSHIP  
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

DATE: 07.29.24

TIME: 6:00pm

309 S Lincoln, Lakeview MI

**IN ATTENDANCE**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Supervisor, Brandi Clark-Hubbard	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trustee, Marcy Myers
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Treasurer, Darlene Rushmore	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trustee, David Behrenwald
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clerk, Ginger Imhoff	

**Pledge of Allegiance** Clark-Hubbard

**Meeting called to order** 6:02pm

<b>Approval of Agenda</b>	Motion	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ayes	Nays
	Myers	Rushmore	5	

**Public Comment** none

**New Business**

**Attorney Approval** PA 233 – Renewable Energy - becomes effective one year after the legislation was signed which is coming up Nov. 29, 2024. It has been suggested, by MTA, that townships look at PA 233 now and review what compliance with the regulatory process looks like and to determine what course of action, if any, makes sense.

Motion to have attorney, Leslie from Foster Swift, come to the Aug. 12 <sup>th</sup> meeting to answer questions and explain available options.	Motion	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ayes	Nays
	Imhoff	Behrenwald		

Roll Call	Clark-Hubbard	x
	Rushmore	x
	Imhoff	x
	Myers	x
	Behrenwald	x

Motion Passed 5-0

**Tree Removal** There is a dead maple tree, behind the Community Center, that is a safety concern and should be removed. Quotes to remove the tree w/stump removal:  
Bunker Tree Service \$950  
Imhoff Forestry \$800

Motion to approve removal of the dead maple tree and stump by Imhoff's Forestry at a cost of \$800 with proof of insurance and W-9. Other quotes received to possibly remove additional trees. No action taken.	Motion	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ayes	Nays
	Myers	Rushmore		

Roll Call	
Clark-Hubbard	x
Rushmore	x
Imhoff	x
Myers	x
Behrenwald	x

Motion passed 5-0

**Public Comment** 1 comment received related to trees

<b>Adjournment</b>	Motion	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ayes	Nays
Meeting adjourned 6:21pm	Myers	Behrenwald	5	

Ginger Imhoff  
Cato Township Clerk