

**YANKEE SPRINGS TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

Special Board Meeting with Barry County Road Commission

Thursday, January 11, 2018

5:00 p.m.

**Yankee Springs Township Hall
284 N. Briggs Rd., Middleville, Michigan 49333**

MINUTES

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Meeting called to order at 5:05 PM by Supervisor Mark Englerth.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Roll Call: Jansma, J. Lippert, Englerth, Michael Boysen, VandenBerg. (All Present).

Staff Present: Frank Fiala (also the Chairman of the Barry County Road Commission).

Visitors: (4) from the BC Road Commission: Brad Lamberg- P.E. Managing Director,
Doug Peck – Engineer, **Dave Dykstra** – BCRC Commissioner, **David Solmes** - BCRC
Commissioner.

Brad Lamberg gave a powerpoint presentation covering items such as: Speed limits, signs, road funding, extra funding, countywide paved road backlog, PASER system (Pavement Surface Evaluation and Rating), 2017 Township contribution: gravel (crushed), gravel (grizzled), chloride, asphalt hot mix, slag seal, subdivision slag seal, fog seal, centerline paint, edgeline paint, crack seal, reconstruction.

Doug Peck reviewed the Primary and Local Paved Road Condition Reports (now in alphabetical order), including Subdivisions. Recommendation Report noted as well. Pavement marking and dust control noted.

Y.S. Twp. Expected Average Annual Maintenance Expense was reviewed by B. Lamberg.

Funding discussion took place involving gas tax, special assessments, and millages. Regarding a resolution to funding issues, many townships in West Michigan are taking this issue head on.... Allegan County, Calhoun (Pennfield Twp.), Kalamazoo (Kalamazoo Twp., Texas Twp.) millages were noted.

S. VandenBerg referred to a recent ZBA meeting in which a resident needed to put in a road to county specs in order to give lots off of the road to her grandchildren. Discussion took place.

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion by J. Lippert with support from Jansma to adjourn at 6:30 p.m. Approved by all.
Motion Carried.

Respectfully submitted:
Deb Mousseau
Recording Secretary 1.11.18

Date: _____

Approved : Feb. 8, 2018

Janice C. Lippert, Township Clerk

CALL TO ORDER

**PLEDGE
ROLL CALL**

ADJOURNMENT

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