

Claybanks Township

September 25, 2017

TRUTH-IN-TAXATION HEARING

7:00 p.m.

The meeting was called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance by Clerk Mary Freye at 7:00 p.m. Members present: Lombard, Rabe, Eilers and Freye. Smith was absent with notice.

Dan Lombard made a motion to appoint David Rabe to moderate the meeting. Second by Brenda Eilers. All in favor. Motion carried.

The Truth-in-Taxation hearing was opened for public comment. There were questions from the audience, who were concerned their taxes were increasing 6.66%, which was part of the language published in the paper. They were advised this was not an increase in the voted millage. The hearing is a formality that allows the township to collect 6.66% more of the voted millage than if the hearing was not held. There were a few comments about road conditions and questions about the possibility of repairs in the near future. There being no further questions, the hearing was closed.

Mary Freye made a motion to propose approving the allocated operating millage of 1.2297 and the voted fire millage of .7378 at the September 25, 2017 special meeting. Second by Dan Lombard. Roll call vote: Rabe, yes; Lombard, yes; Freye, yes; Eilers, yes. Motion carried.

Adjournment – 7:12 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary A. Freye, Clerk