## MINUTES BILLINGS TOWNSHIP January 12, 2009

Meeting called to order by Supervisor Nephew at 7:00 P.M.

In attendance-all board members and 30 citizens

Agenda was approved on a motion by Kross, sec'd by Stacy All yeas, M/C

Minutes of 12-08 accepted on motion by Stacy, sec'd by Nelson, 12-17 by Nelson, sec'd by Kross All yeas, M/C

Motion to approve and pay bills made by Nelson, sec'd by Grell, Roll Call vote, All yeas, M/C

Fire Chief gave report concerning fire and rescue calls, and training, and green address signs being available for \$16.00 through the F.D. by contacting Clerk Stacy.

Dave DeGrand spoke about what should not be put into sewer system.

Larry Miller from G.C. Road Commission asked for citizens to contact him with any road problems.

Old business, Board discussed Special Assessments Roll and process for dropped assessment. New hardship form to be available in February, in time for the March Board of Review. Discussion of how partial payment of sewer assessment would be credited to payer's account.

Clerk asked for board approval for membership in MI Assn of Mun Clerks, and a motion made by Nelson, sec'd by Kross M/C Board discussed sending letters to all business associates and township board members outlining new policy that would require a reference number issued by Supervisor to be listed on invoice/bill or vendor would not be paid by Billings Twp. And bill would be the responsibility of person making call. All yeas, M/C Resolution to lower cost of variance review to \$125.00 effective Feb 1, 2009 made by Stacy, sec'd by Nelson, All yeas, M/C Board also voted to notify Zoning Administrator that any person who begins construction with obtaining correct permits will be charged the additional penalty making the cost for delinquent permits \$105.00 per incident, unless waived by the Billings Twp. Board.

Public comment concerned tax statements and special assessments, W-2s, problems with noise at night, new Assessor, interpretation of zoning

Board Comment regarding Audit, board reports, usage fees,

Meeting adjourned at 8:54 P.M>

Submitted by

Lynn Stacy, Billings Twp. Clerk Julia Nephew Billings Twp. Supervisor