

## Hanover Township Board Meeting

Wednesday December 4, 2024

A meeting of the Hanover Township Advisory Board was called to order at 6:00p.m. followed by Prayer offered by Charlie Kortokrax and the Pledge of Allegiance recited by all in attendance.

Roll call as follows: Board members present were Richard Niemeyer, President, Marilyn Kaper, Secretary and Charlie Kortokrax, Vice President. A Quorum was established.

Also in attendance were Trustee Kevin Toth and Terri Blagojevic and Beth Tate staff members.

Charlie made a motion to approve the minutes from the November 6, 2024 minutes

### **Old Business:**

Fire Contracts for 2025- Trustee Kevin Toth stated that the Town of St. John approved the 2025 contract for services. He is still waiting on the Town of Cedar Lake. He stated that he had been in contact with the town attorney and the board president from the Town of Cedar Lake, they are asking for an increase amount for the 2025 contract. The board discussed the matter and would like to set up a meeting with a few members of the Cedar Lake Town Council to discuss this matter further.

### **New Business:**


Fire Department Reports were given to the board for review.


2025 Salary resolution was presented Charlie made a motion for a 5% increase in wages for all staff and elected officials. Richard seconded the motion. All in favor 3-0 motion carries.

### **Any and All**

Kevin stated that our office has experienced mail fraud with a United Healthcare check that was mailed out by our office and the check was intercepted at some point before it was received by United Healthcare. Our office has notified that bank, Cedar Lake Police and the postmaster.

Marilyn made a motion to adjourn the meeting Charlie seconded the motion. All in favor 3-0 motion carries.

  
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Richard Niemeyer, President

  
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Charlie Kortokrax, Vice President

  
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Marilyn Kaper, Secretary