

GENEVA TOWNSHIP SYNOPSIS 10/11/11

Present: Bd: Whaley, Gumpert, Primmer, Orr, Olney, & 18 residents.

Approved: Reg. Mtg Mins. Treas. Rpt. Election inspectors; Bgr/SH Heritage Trail-V.B. Cty. Rd Comm Maint agreements; Contract -VB Sher. Dept, 2012.

V.B. Sheriff. Dept - 90 units; 11 assaults; 5 Larceny; 5 alarms; 10 accidents; 23 Gen. Assists, 10 BOL; 9 del. minors. Code Enforce - CR 687 clean up pending; CR 681 legal pending.

S.H. Airport: Upgrade restrooms; Replace metal gate; B-25 provided many rides, inc. airport emp.

S.H. Emerg Sept. Geneva 23 calls; 2 fire; 21 amb- Auth 162 calls; 42 fire; 120 amb. App'd: Amend 2011 budget Income & Expense for Night Shift Office Assistant. Stryker amb cot & stair chair at \$12,646.07. Zoll AED at \$1,432.95. AFG 20% SHAES match of \$25,022.40 for county wide radio upgrade. Training: Rope rescue by Dawn Florey & Shawn Smith on Kal-Haven Trail. Joint extrication training w/Bangor Fire Grants: Rec'd \$7,000 from Albemarle Foundation, funds used to pay for water tap at Sta 3. Applied for: 2011 AFG grant for 56 new SCBA's 3 RIT Packs & new breathing air compressor valued at \$421,901. Letters by Levin & Upton to FEMA on SHAES behalf. Recruitment: 5 students attending Firefighter 1 & 2 class. Hydrants Flush & inspects completed. Fire Training Tower Bangor Fire Board & SH Police have expressed interest to partner on project. Bangor Fire looking at donation toward construction. Other Ladder 1 repaired lights & outrigger cylinder by James Martin with considerable savings. Feasibility study on consolidation of joint services. Nov. 10 - OSHA Consultant will be here to review operation at no cost to SHAES. Paid on Call Assoc. earned \$966.05 for serving & cooking breakfast at American Legion. Columbia Twp status, four students in class & 3 or 4 are back on department. Williams St. reconstruction Dyckman to Eagle Street, total renovation including sewer/water lines, completion date Memorial Day, 2012. Safety Services will have access to area during construction. S. Beach construction & demolition of old water plant will be starting with spring completion. Reg Mtg Nov 2, 2011 at 8 a.m.

S.H. Comm. Hosp. VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - Several volunteer positions are available at SHCH, contact Dean @269-434-6566 for more information. **MAKE A DIFFERENCE, VOLUNTEER.** New providers: Dr. Pamela Cooper & Dr. Collin Killeen - Shoreline Internal Medicine 639-2777; Dr. Allen Caudill, Surgeon beginning 11/1 - call 639-2893; **Breast Cancer Awareness Month** - \$75 special during October, call 639-2828 for appointment. Harvest Food Gathering - Benefit to We-Care food pantries. Non-perishable food items can be dropped off at hospital. Childbirth education continues call 639-2700 for more information.

V.B. Seniors: No quorum at mtg. By-law review; \$2500 from RSVP for handicap ramps; Seeking permanent space in eastern V.B. Cty; Warren Center offices will remain in place.

Road Comm - L. Hummel - CR 380 Bridge comp. 11/17/11; Lacota Drain/road work - Response/fix within 30 days. CR 388/CR 687 Safe Intersection - resubmit in 2012. CR388/68th Safe Intersection sched. Jan 6 bid let, May start-July finish. 8th/68th drainage-68th cross tube fix pending; Speed Study - Lacota resulted in retaining 40 MPH. Study by MSP/Rd Comm. CR 380 proposal resubmit.

Lacota Post Office Closure - George Wallis - Scheduled for closure, PLEASE contact your US reps & senators with objects & reasons. Small post offices are economical & social anchors to our community.

Cty. Comm - County receives \$339,000 from State convention tax 1/2 to substance abuse program & 1/2 to general fund. MSU Ext. V.B. will have Ag agent; Youth Devel; Natural Res. at 80% funding; Solid waste county looking to do internally. Dog license fee increases for 2012 being reviewed. North court house entrance closed, security work on south entrance being reviewed.

Absent Voter Ballots: Call 427-7422 for more information.

Nov. 8 -School Elections: - S. H. school board election. Bangor - Bond issue Debt retirement currently at 2.8 mills - requesting additional 2.9 mills **.BE SURE TO EXERCISE YOUR RIGHT TO VOTE.** Polls Open 7 am to 8 pm, Tuesday, November 8, 2011.

Bridgette Gumpert, Clerk
Nancy Ann Whaley, Supervisor

