

GENEVA TOWNSHIP SYNOPSIS 6/14/11

Present: Board, & 20 residents.

Approved: Reg. Mtg Mins. Spec. Mtg Mins.; Treas. Rpt., Deposit Resol. James Davis, Sexton appointed.

V.B.Sher. Dept - 59 units; 9 assaults; 5 Health/Safety; 12 Gen Assists, 9 BOL. **Code Enforce:** Fleetwood Dr-Blight left. 68th Demo underway; CR 380 issues pending. Brown C/U Order mailing.

S.H. Emerg. May Geneva 27 calls; 2 fire; 8 amb - Auth 113 calls; 27 fire; 86 amb. **Keith Olson retired May 30, 2011 after 22 years of service to SHAES.** Brian Montgomery, Firefighter/Paramedic, thanked board for support with funding for paramedic classes, full time as of June 13, 2011. Included in 2011 capital budget: App;d Amb. bid publication to replace Sqd 1, 15yr. old unit. Purch (3) RIT bags used for rescue of trapped firefighter. Purch copy machine - sta. 3. Training: Wise & Marsala conducted joint water safety training w/SHPD & SHAES; Owen Ridley trained staff on NIMS 300 & 400; Tour city water plant, good place for training for SHAES; Marsala & R. Ridley training on fire extinguisher systems. 6th Grade Camp - Paul & J.D. Quinn, Marsala & Wise taught campers fire extinguisher operations & safety. Grants: AFG: Air packs - denied - resubmit for 2011. **Recruitment of Paid on Call Firefighters actively being pursued.** Requires 280 hours of training. 9-1-1 Dispatch - Three leg circuit working from Van Buren, waiting for Allegan to get hooked up. Dispatch procedures being written. Fire Radio Grant - Bids with July open includes all new radios. 3-1-1 call Ctr is being worked out for city "NON-EMERGENCY" calls when dispatch center in South Haven closes. Veh. Maint - Serviced Sta. 2 generator & mower; air bags on Sqd. 3; tires/brakes on van; Rear pancake on ladder 1; Sqd 2 front tire. Emergency vehicles tires cannot be repaired, must be replaced. ISO - June 22. Ron Ridley getting ready for survey. June 22, Western Fire Chiefs Mtg at Lake MI College. **Leadership Award given to Jerry Sajewski.**

S.H. Comm. Hosp. Shoreline Brochure in mail. S.H. Foundation fundraiser funds used for promoting health & health related item. Cooper Clinic, Bangor, State Insp. of Rural Health facilities. Certified & passed with flying colors. Dennis Palgen, Covert Rep, retiring with 12 years service; Georgette Peterson with 10 years. S.H. Auxiliary reviewed 12 scholar apps. Three awarded to S.H. Sch. students, 2 Pre-Med 1 nursing. Red Cross Blood Drive June 29 @ Peace Lutheran Church 06341 Blue Star Hwy, S. H.

Make A Difference & be a volunteer. Call 637-5271 #2203

Rd Comm - Hummel & Stein - Discussed: 8th Ave/68th St. water flow; CR 681-Lacota drainage problems; CR 380 Blk River Bridge - Milbocker & Sons; pre-const. mtg next week, work could begin shortly thereafter. Geneva offer on cost share on CR 380 upgrade still pending; Safe Intersections: 62nd & CR388 completion by July 19. CR687/CR388 -Aug bid let, Fall work; Blk River Heritage Trail access at CR384/68th St. Grant is 50/50 & can be in-kind donations.

Cty Comm: State not closing state parks this year. July 10-16 is Road Rage Awareness Week. Cty. received clean audit. A+ Bond rating; 911 tax going to \$1.50 July 1 on phone bills. **9-1-1 DO NOT TEXT TO 9-1-1 it will not go through.** Casino revenue after 1st year of operation Cty. Bd Chair & Dist.4 Cty Comm will rep Cty on revenue board. Slot machine revenue 10% distribution - 8% to state; 2% to Casino Revenue board.

Entergy- 2011-2012 Emergency Preparedness Books have been mailed. **Be sure to read contents, updated annually.**

Bridgette Gumpert, Clerk
Nancy Ann Whaley, Supervisor