

# TOWNSHIP OF SALINE

COUNTY OF WASHTENAW

SALINE, MICHIGAN 48176

*JAMES C. MARION \* SUPERVISOR  
KELLY L. MARION \* CLERK  
JUDY M. GORDON \* TREASURER*

*ROBERT L. PREHN \* TRUSTEE  
ROBERT J. MARION \* TRUSTEE*

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1. The Regular Meeting of the Saline Township Board was called to order by Supervisor Marion on December 8, 2014 at 7:30PM at the Saline Town Hall, 5731 Braun Road, Saline, MI 48176.
2. Members present: Supervisor Marion, Clerk Marion, Deputy Treasurer Luckhardt, Trustee R. Marion and Trustee R. Prehn. Treasurer Gordon was absent. Eleven other citizens were present.
3. Mr. Robert Prehn led the Pledge of Allegiance.
4. Mr. Robert Marion moved, supported by Mr. Robert Prehn that the agenda be approved as presented.
5. Mr. Robert Marion moved, supported by Mr. Robert Prehn, that the consent agenda be approved as presented.
  - a. Approve minutes from November 10<sup>th</sup> regular meeting
  - b. Receive Clerk's budget, Financial Report
  - c. Approve accounts payable for November in the amount of \$11,837.45
  - d. Approve November payroll in the amount \$5,396.07
6. Citizens were offered a chance to address the Board regarding items not already on the agenda. No citizen comments.
7. Washtenaw County Road Commission Arkona Rd Bridge – Roy Townsend addressed the Board and township residents as to the future plans for replacing the Arkona Rd Bridge. There were many comments, questions and concerns from the residents; at this point the plan for the Bridge is to be determined. Mr. Townsend explained there are three different ways in which the bridge could be replaced; timber bridge, multi plate or concrete box. WCRC will be required to pull permits from both the MEDQ and WCWR and follow state and local requirements. The cost of the bridge will be a 50/50 split between the Township and WCRC, estimated cost of bridge is around 200,000; currently no federal funds available. If the engineering process is started asap the completion of the bridge should be in 2015. A **MOTION** was made by Mr. R. Prehn and supported by Mr. R. Marion that the township allocate 10,000 towards the engineering of the bridge in order to establish the best way to replace the bridge. The 10,000 is half of the cost to start the engineering, WCRC is responsible for the additional 10,000. Ayes 4 Nays 0 Mrs. J. Gordon was absent.
8. Board of Review Oath 2014/2016 term. A **MOTION** was made by Mr. Robert Marion and supported by Mr. Robert Prehn to appoint the following to the Board of Review; Tom Hammond, Taylor Jacobson, David Bohnett and William Wiedmayer as alternate. Ayes 4 Nays 0 Mrs. Gordon was absent. All members of the Board of Review were sworn in by Clerk Marion.

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9. Supervisor's Report
  - a. Sheriff's Report- Several traffic violation however no major incidences.
  - b. 425 Meeting with the City of Saline- moving forward with regards to the property on Michigan Ave that Saline Ventures is working on developing.
  - c. Dan Cabage- Gravel pit inspections to take place before the end of the year.
  
10. Trustee Report – My Way Trucking addressed the Planning Commission with regards to a property located at Michigan and Dell; at this point they will have to apply for a Special Use Permit for their intended use of the property (trucking). Saline Ventures has completed their site plan however the sewage study being conducted has not been completed; at this point the project is on hold with the Planning Commission until the study is complete.
  
11. Zoning/Building Administrator Report- working on the clean up of the falling down buildings throughout the township.
  
12. Fireboard Report- There's a Toy's for Tots drop off at the Fire Department. Budget meeting in January.
  
13. No Township Hall Manager Report
  
14. No Board Member Comments
  
15. The meeting adjourned at 8:30 pm.

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Kelly L. Marion  
Saline Township Clerk

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James C. Marion  
Saline Township Supervisor

**CERTIFICATION**

I, the undersigned, Kelly L. Marion, the duly qualified and elected Clerk for the Township of Saline, Washtenaw County, Michigan, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of the proceedings taken by the Township Board of said Township at a regular board meeting held on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2014.

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Kelly L. Marion  
Saline Township Clerk