

WAKEFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD

SPECIAL MEETING—GOALS & BUDGET WORKSHOP

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, 2020, AT 10:00 AM

Supervisor Cox called the Wakefield Township Board meeting to order and lead those present in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

ROLL CALL: John Cox, Supervisor; Mandy Lake, Clerk; Jim Spencer, Trustee. Absent: Joan Dalman, Treasurer; Jerry Niemi, Trustee.

BRIEF PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

BUDGET/GOALS FOR 2020-2021

GOALS were discussed first for the 2020-2021 budget year and were split into two categories: High Focus Goals, and the Continuation and Completion of Previous Goals. The High Focus Goals include three phases of expanding internet service, first to the North side of Thomaston, then on to the Southern and Eastern ends of the Township, and lastly to provide office space in Township Hall to lease to companies and individuals. Goals to continue and to complete include providing support to all current and future businesses in the Township; devote township funds and work as partners with the Gogebic County Road Commission to continue road projects throughout the Township; complete work on the Master Plan; blacktop the west area of the Township Hall parking lot.

BUDGET: Supervisor Cox had the proposed 2020-2021 Wakefield Township budget up on the big screen and went over the budget items line by line with input from the board members as what items needed to be increased/decreased, etc.

EXTENDED PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING: Tuesday, February 4, 2019 at 5:30 PM.

ADJOURNMENT: With no further business to come before the board, A MOTION was made by Spencer, supported by Lake, to adjourn at 11:10 AM. Motion carried.

MANDY LAKE, CLERK OF WAKEFIELD TOWNSHIP