

WAKEFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD

SPECIAL MEETING

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 2018

Supervisor Cox called the special 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; Joan Dalman, Treasurer; Trustee Jim Spencer.  
Absent: Trustee Jerry Niemi.

BRIEF PUBLIC COMMENT: None

BUDGET/GOALS FOR 2018-2019

GOALS were discussed first for the 2018-2019 budget year such as continuing to provide support to all current and future business in Wakefield Township; concentrating on opening the ATV trail near Old US-2; devoting township funds and working as partners with the Gogebic County Road Commission to pave portions of North County Rd. 519 and Indianhead Mountain Rd., along with chip sealing about 1 mile of Old US-2 to preserve existing blacktop; working with Xcel Energy and Northern Natural Gas in the construction of a gas pumping station on East M-28; working with GogebicRange.Net and Merit Inc. to bring high speed internet to Wakefield Township in early summer 2018; continuing work on developing a Master Plan for the township with emphasis on citizen involvement and brevity of the Plan; upgrading electronic office equipment; replacing doors and insulating more areas of the township hall, along with replacing some of the furniture; replacing road signs entering the Township.

BUDGET: Supervisor Cox had the proposed 2018-2019 Wakefield Township budget up on the projector screen and went over the budget items line by line with input from the board members as to what items needed to be increased/decreased, etc.

EXTENDED PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING: Tuesday, February 6, 2018 at 5:30 PM.

ADJOURNMENT: With no further business to come before the board, A MOTION was made by Lake, supported by Spencer, to adjourn at 11:41 AM. Motion carried.

MANDY LAKE, CLERK OF WAKEFIELD TOWNSHIP