

**PLATO TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING MINUTES  
PLATO TOWN HALL  
NOVEMBER 16, 2009**

**Board Members Present:**

**Trustees: Jack Jablonski, Philip Nomellini, Heather Wallace, Ron Straub**

**Supervisor: Kathleen Swanson**

**Highway Commissioner: Joe Hulke**

**Assessor: Janet Roush**

**Reported by: Rich Parsons**

Topic	Discussion	Action
Call to order		Supervisor Swanson called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.
Pledge of Allegiance		Pledge of Allegiance was said.
October 19, 2009 meeting minutes.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes were approved.</li> </ul>	Trustee Wallace motioned to approve the minutes with a second by Trustee Nomellini. Minutes approved – 5 ayes 0 nays
Supervisors Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Supervisor Swanson to evaluate IDNR for grant monies.</li> </ul>	
Treasurer's Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Park - \$3,113.24</li> <li>• Road &amp; Bridge - \$194,035.03</li> <li>• Township - \$160,752.44</li> </ul>	Trustee Jablonski motioned to approve with a second by Trustee Straub. Approved – 5 ayes 0 nays
Highway Commissioner's Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The trucks will be ready tomorrow after the plows are on.</li> <li>• Bills expected include a bill for spray liners.</li> <li>• The "98 Ford will need a new floor next year.</li> </ul>	
Assessor's Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The township needs a new picture for the web site</li> <li>• Notices for assessments are in the mail. Trustee Jablonski queried Assessor Roush on the process and the equity.</li> <li>• Farmland assessments are up.</li> <li>• A request for a monthly budget report.</li> </ul>	
Informational Items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Al Price and Supervisor Swanson have determined that something has been jammed in the Depot lock. Trustee Straub will examine it.</li> <li>• There are lights out at the park - parking lot and flag pole.</li> </ul>	

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Action Items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li data-bbox="444 86 1175 153">• Assessor budget - Needs to replace a PC. proposal to move monies from "Salaries" to "Office Supplies."</li>   <li data-bbox="444 600 1175 814">• Township door - Jason Mueller provided an estimate for repair. Discussion ensued re; hardware details, labor, does it meet the criteria, manufacturers warranty, labor guarantee, certificate of insurance, references. Supervisor Swanson will e-mail the questions to Jason. Table until next month.</li>   <li data-bbox="444 856 1175 924">• Levy - Clerk parsons reviewed the data for a 5% increase.</li> </ul>	<p data-bbox="1208 86 1533 331">Motion by Supervisor Swanson to move \$1,600 from Salaries to Capital Equipment with a second by trustee Wallace. 4 ayes and 1 nay. Motion passed.</p> <p data-bbox="1208 373 1533 552">Trustee Jablonski requested to have "assessor" on next months agenda under "Informational Items."</p> <p data-bbox="1208 852 1533 1283">Motion from Trustee Nomellini with a second by Trustee Wallace for a 5% increase for the township and the Road &amp; Bridge. Roll call cote: Trustee Jablonski - No Trustee Nomellini - Yes Trustee Wallace - Yes Trustee Straub - No Supervisor Swanson - No Motion failed.</p> <p data-bbox="1208 1325 1533 1755">Motion by Supervisor Swanson for a 5% increase for the R &amp; B with a second by trustee Jablonski. Roll call vote: Trustee Jablonski - Yes Trustee Nomellini - Yes Trustee Wallace - Yes Trustee Straub - Yes Supervisor Swanson - Yes Motion passed.</p> <p data-bbox="1208 1797 1533 1938">Motion by Supervisor Swanson for a 3% increase for the Township with a second</p>

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<p>Citizen Comments</p> <p>Approve payment of Township Bills.</p> <p>Adjournment</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li>   <li>• Meeting adjourned at 8:33 PM.</li> </ul>	<p>by Trustee Straub. Roll call vote: Trustee Jablonski - Yes Trustee Nomellini - Yes Trustee Wallace - Yes Trustee Straub - Yes Supervisor Swanson - Yes Motion passed.</p> <p>Motion by Supervisor Swanson for a 0% increase for the Cemetery with a second by trustee Straub. Roll call vote: Trustee Jablonski - Yes Trustee Nomellini - No Trustee Wallace - Yes Trustee Straub - Yes Supervisor Swanson - Yes Motion passed.</p> <p>Clerk Parsons will e-mail the dollar amount increases to the group.</p> <p>Motion by Trustee Wallace and a second by Trustee Nomellini. Approved - 5 Ayes 0 nays.</p> <p>Motion by Trustee Jablonski and a second by Trustee Straub. Approved – 5 ayes 0 nays</p>
Approval	Supervisor:	Kathleen Swanson
	Member of Board:	Jack Jablonski
	Member of Board:	Phil Nomellini
	Member of Board:	Ron Straub
	Member of Board:	Heather Wallace
	Clerk:	Rich Parsons