

**RUTLAND TOWNSHIP
ROAD DISTRICT BUDGET HEARING
MAY 10, 2016**

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The Rutland Township Board held the Road District Budget Hearing at 8:36pm in the Township Hall for the purpose of discussing and voting on the proposed Road District Budget for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2017. Board members present were Supervisor Sanders, Clerk Carlsen, Trustees Schuldt, Bulmahn, Payson, and Eaton. Also present were Assessor Siers and Road Commissioner Schultz.

A motion was made by Trustee Payson and seconded by Trustee Schuldt to open the Road District Budget Hearing. Vote: Voice vote. All ayes, 2016-05-01 motion carried. Discussion ensued on the Road District Budget Appropriation Ordinance #RU2016-02 with Trustee Payson noting that the Road Budget was decreased by \$59,000. The Road Commissioner explained that almost every line item has been decreased and there will be no equipment purchase this year. He also stated that much road paving is needed as many of our subdivisions are 25-30 years old. This year we will be paving Binnie, Combs, & Timber Ridge Roads and a smaller area as well. Powers Road paving from Freeman to the Huntley line is also needed in the near future. Salaries were lighter this year due to the milder winter. There being no further discussion or questions, **a motion was made by Trustee Schuldt and seconded by Trustee Eaton to approve the Road District Budget for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2017 in the amount of \$472,700.** Vote: Roll call vote. Schuldt, Eaton, Payson, Sanders, Bulmahn. 2016-05-02, motion carried.

A motion was then made by Trustee Bulmahn and seconded by Trustee Payson to adjourn the Road District Budget Hearing for the fiscal Year ending March 31, 2017 at 8:44pm. Vote: Voice vote, all ayes. 2016-05-03, motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Charleen Carlsen Rutland Township Clerk

Margaret Sanders, Supervisor

Steve Schuldt, Trustee

John Payson, Trustee

Fred Bulmahn, Trustee

Ray Eaton, Trustee

