

**Bangor Township Meeting  
November 14th, 2023**

The regular meeting of the Bangor Township Board was held at the Bangor Township Hall on November 14th, 2023 at 7:00pm. Board Members present were Michael Sullins- Supervisor, Amanda Karr- Clerk, Sandra Karr- Treasurer, David Houdek- Trustee and Regina Hoover- Trustee.

Opened meeting at 7:00pm  
Pledge of Allegiance.

The minutes of the Regular meeting of October 10th 2023 approved by consent.

**I. Reports:**

**A. Clerks Report**

1. 12 Receipts totalling \$28,340.27
  2. Bills
    - a) Vouchers 9054-9078 totalling \$28,340.27
    - b) Motion to approve vouchers 9054-9078 totalling \$28,340.27
- Motion: Sandra Karr Second: Sullins

Sullins: Yes Sandra Karr: Yes Amanda Karr: Yes

Hoover: Yes Houdek: Yes

Supervisor declared motion passed

The November special school election went well with no hiccoughs.

Financial Statements are available.

**B. Treasurer's Report**

Sandra brought to the board's attention that she's looking at higher interest rates for the Township funds.

1.	Bangor Banking Center Super Multiplier	\$332,927.84
	Interest Earned	\$76.28
	Bangor Banking Center Municipality	\$40,736.41
	Interest Earned	\$8.71
	Bangor Banking Center Tax Checking	\$13,483.71
	Interest Earned	\$5.09
	Bangor Banking Center Cemetery Fund	\$12,293.65
	Bangor Banking Center Fire Escrow	\$3.30
	Bangor Banking Center Police	\$1,432.76
	Bangor Banking Center ORV	\$100.41
	PNC Bank	\$243,146.16
	Interest Earned	\$2.13
	Huntington Bank	\$306,417.85

Interest Earned	\$78.05
Huntington Bank #2	\$360,386.19
Interest Earned	\$91.81
Consumers Credit Union	\$253,781.21
Interest Earned	\$237.57

- C. Sheriff's Department- Deputy Torres reported that there were 35 calls for the month of October. He recommends a flashing yellow light by Wood School and the school signs need to be updated. Blight properties are still being addressed.
- D. Fire Board- Chief Babcock reported that there were 59 calls in the month of October with 10 calls in the Township of Bangor which brings the year to date calls to 497. The command vehicle has been sold back to the dealership for 47 thousand dollars and that money was put towards the purchase of a Chevy Silverado. The ABB Fire board is working on updating their policies.
- E. County Commissioner- Mike Chappel reported that the County Road Commission approved the Domestic violence Coalition Agreement for 2023-2024, the Van Buren Conservation District Agreement 2023-2024, and an office of Community Corrections Grant Application in the amount of \$160,531.44.
- F. Road Commission- W.C. Askew reported that the Road Commission is working on boom mowing, ditching and cross tubes. Recommends calling Bret Witkowski about updating Wood School road signs.
- G. Senior Services- The end of the fiscal year is approaching, the board is working on the budget for 2024.
- H. Supervisors Report- Gave thanks for Amanda Karrs work as Township Clerk, the board is sad to see her go, she taught them a lot.

**III. Unfinished Business**

- A. Motion to approve a contract with Taplin Group LLC for Asbestos removal at the old Bangor Township Hall located at 41559 63rd St for the cost of \$9,351.00  
Motion: Hoover      Second: Houdek  
Sullins: yes, Amanda Karr: yes      Sandra Karr: yes,      Houdek:yes,  
Hoover:yes  
Supervisor declared motion passed

**IV. New Business**

- A. Motion to approve payment of \$100 for MEC Fiber Optic internet hookup fee.**  
Motion: Amanda Karr      Second: Hoover  
Sullins: yes, Amanda Karr: yes    Sandra Karr: yes,    Houdek:yes,  
Hoover:yes  
Supervisor declared motion passed
- B. Motion to approve the Road Commission program sheet #497.2905 in the amount of \$9,211.81**  
Motion: Sandra Karr      Second: Houdek  
Sullins: yes, Amanda Karr: yes    Sandra Karr: yes,    Houdek:yes,  
Hoover:yes  
Supervisor declared motion passed
- C. Motion to approve the Supervisors spending of not more than \$1500.00 for new computers for his office.**  
Motion: Sandra Karr      Second: Houdek  
Sullins: yes, Amanda Karr: yes,    Sandra Karr: yes,    Houdek: yes,  
Hoover: yes  
Supervisor declared motion passed
- D. Motion to renew a CD with Huntington Bank for 9 months at the rate of 4.5% Interest. The amount of funds applied to this CD will be \$266,613.57**  
Motion: Amanda Karr      Second: Hoover  
Sullins: yes, Amanda Karr: yes    Sandra Karr: yes,    Houdek:yes,  
Hoover:yes  
Supervisor declared motion passed
- E. Motion to contact all banks which have Bangor Township accounts to remove Amanda Karr as a signer from all Bangor Township bank accounts.**  
Motion: Sullins      Second: Houdek  
Sullins: yes, Amanda Karr: yes    Sandra Karr: yes,    Houdek:yes,  
Hoover:yes  
Supervisor declared motion passed
- F. The Bangor Township board discussed the potential need for a Solar Ordinance.**

**Opportunity for Public Comment: No comments from the public**

**Meeting Adjourned 8:08pm  
Respectfully Submitted  
Amanda Karr  
Bangor Township Clerk**