SALEM TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING MINUTES March 13, 2007

Jim Pitsch called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Board Members present: Pitsch, Brower, Mays, Parmelee, Sebright Board Members absent: none Minutes from February 2007 were approved as submitted by consent of the Board. Bills for March 2007 were approved as submitted by consent of the Board.

County Commissioner Paul Van Eck presented updates.

There were no comments from the following departments: Sheriff, Zoning, Planning, Fire and Ambulance.

Public Comment:

There were several comments regarding the possible rezone of the Southwest corner of 26th Street and 142nd Avenue from Residential to Commercial / Light Industrial.

Old Business

1. Options and prices for new computers for the township office are still being completed.

New Business

- 1. Don Sebright moved and Earl Parmelee seconded to table the Liquor Control Ordinance and Affidavit for Salem Township until next month. Motion carried.
- 2. Earl Parmelee moved and Don Sebright seconded to approve the Fire Works Permit for Sandy Pines Resort on the condition that the township receives the letter of approval from the Fire Chief. Motion carried.
- 3. Earl Parmelee moved and Don Sebright seconded to reluctantly accept the resignation of Alice Davis from the Planning Commission after having served so diligently for many years. Motion carried.
- 4. Brenda Mays moved and Earl Parmelee seconded to table a request from Allegan County 911 to change/add siren frequencies at a cost of up to \$150.00 per siren. The request will be tabled for one month pending further investigation. Motion carried.
- 5. Brenda Mays moved and Earl Parmelee seconded to begin Phase 1 investigation of old dump site clean-up after receiving 3 quotes, not to exceed \$2,000.00. Motion carried.

Public Comment:

More comments regarding 142nd Avenue and 26th Street rezone. Discussion regarding the possibility of turning the old dump site into a light industrial park.

Brenda Mays moved and Betty Brower seconded to adjourn until April 10, 2007. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:15 P.M.

Betty Brower, Clerk