SALEM TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING MINUTES January 15, 2007

Jim Pitsch called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Board Members present: Pitsch, Brower, Mays, Parmelee, Sebright

Board Members absent: none

Minutes from December 11, 2007 were approved as submitted by consent of the Board.

The bills for January were approved as submitted by consent of the Board.

County Commissioner Paul Van Eck was not present.

Mary Jones from the County Health Department explained how curbside recycling works.

Comments from the Departments of Planning and Fire.

Comments from the Public

Old Business

1. Salem Township Zoning and Assessing Issues were discussed but no motion was made.

New Business

- 1. Don Sebright moved and Brenda Mays seconded to issue a partial payment to Arnsman Septic Tank, Inc. in the amount of \$5,500 for reclaiming the Brenner Sand Mine back to farmland. Motion carried.
- 2. Alternate members to the Board of Review was discussed; up to two members can be appointed. Also, we will be getting paperwork for Asset Level Test for Poverty Exemption Guidelines.
- 3. Brenda Mays moved and Don Sebright seconded to table the Riparian Ordinance until February 12, 2008 so the Board has time to read over the material. Motion carried.
- 4. Earl Parmelee moved and Brenda Mays seconded reappointment of Fire Department Officers as recommended by the department: Assistant Chief—Larry Hildenbrand; Captain—Tom Dykstra; new appointment as Lieutenant—Brian Fisher. The Board requests a 6 month review for new appointment. Motion carried.

Public Comment: Assessor Bob Jones would be missed. Driveway for Library was discussed. Letter of resignation from Zoning Administrator and Assessor will be discussed at the next meeting.

Earl Parmelee moved and Don Sebright seconded to adjourn the meeting until February 12, 2008. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:10 P.M.

Betty Brower, Clerk