The regular meeting of the Eldred Township Supervisors was held on January 4, 2021 at the Eldred Township Building.

Call to order by Chairman Greeley. The meeting was opened with a salute to the flag. Roll Call: Caldwell, Ross, Greeley present.

## **Public Comment:**

1. Laird Raybuck asked who oversaw calling out workers after hours to remove snow. The Roadmaster has this duty as done in the past and after hours are compensation time. Laird asked if it were possible to have a night shift, if there was no weather going on in the morning, they could go out at night instead. There is no possible way to do a shift like this as the workers each have their bus routes that are mandatorily done every weather affiliated day. The Township does not have the money to hire two separate crews.

Motion by Ross second by Greeley that the minutes and treasurer's report be unanimously approved as presented. Vote: 3 Ayes. Motion Carried.

**TOTAL RECIEPTS:** \$11,281.59 **TOTAL EXPENDITURES:** \$48,207.50

Motion by Ross second by Greeley that payment of invoices in the amount of \$37,512.50 be approved. Vote: 3 Ayes. Motion Carried.

Motion by Ross second by Greeley that payment of the payroll for the month of December in the amount of \$10,694.76 be approved. Vote: 3 Ayes. Motion Carried.

**Road Master's Report:** There has been a lot of rain and ice/snow to maintain. Replaced an oil line in International. Currently have a key issue that is being worked on -an International that melted the key switch. Paul Ross acquired his CDL on January 7, 2021. He has done all that is required in his 90 days to be hired for the full-time position.

## **Unfinished Business:**

- 1. Still looking into Berkheimer for an answer on tax questions.
- 2. Truck is still waiting on Minich Trucking for 4-wheel drive to be put in.

## **New Business:**

- Motion by Greeley second by Caldwell to send Supervisor, Lawrence Ross, to PSATS
   Convention 2021 that is already paid for due to cancellation of 2020 due to Covid-19. Vote:

  3 Ayes. Motion Carried.
- 2. Motion by Caldwell second by Greeley to send Secretary, Kelly Ross, to PSATS Convention 2021 that is already paid for due to cancellation of 2020 due to Covid-19. Vote: 3 Ayes. Motion Carried.
- 3. It was agreed that all workers get a 3% cost of living raise in previous meetings.

## **Other Supervisors Comments or Concerns:**

- 1. Skidder issues on Ferguson Rd Ed Kerchinski Logging. Will investigate damages.
- 2. Soybean oil this year for Rds. or corn oil. If we decide on corn oil, we need to get paperwork done to purchase. May stick with soybean due to the price not being worth the extra hassle.

Chairman Greeley adjourned meeting at 1:35 p.m.

The next regular meeting will be held on March 2, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. at the Eldred Township Building.

Secretary Kelly Ross