

## **APPROVED WORK SESSION MINUTES**

The Grass Lake Charter Township Work Session was called to order on Tuesday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> at 8:45 a.m. Board members Stormont, Clark, Loveland, Bray, Lesinski, Harshbarger present. Absent: Zenz. Also Assessor Diane DeBoe

The Kenneth Huhman property was discussed. The letter had been sent out and the deadline for response is Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>. Loveland is to call and set up a time to view the property with Huhman.

The LDFA 60 days from the hearing will be on October 14, 2008. We can then send all information to the State. An LDFA board will then need to be appointed. This board is to consist of 1 County Commissioner, 1 from Jackson Community College, 2 from the Grass Lake School District and 7 members at large. The terms for the board members would be 4 years.

We again discussed the 1% administrative fee to add on to property taxes. However, we need to check with Michigan Townships Association as to the proper procedures.

Stormont stated that he would like to see us add another \$ 30,000 to the Fire Vehicle Replacement Plan.

The original land in which the Fire Station was built on was purchased by the Townships General Fund. Clerk to contact our Auditor to see if the Fire Fund can pay this back to the General Fund.

Sewer extension on East Michigan Avenue for the Ganton Retirement Campus was again discussed.

The office hours of the Township was presented. After discussion, Clark moved to have the hours on Monday from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., with the office being open during noon hour, but closed on Friday, with this becoming effective on September 29, 2008, supported by Lesinski. Motion carried by Voice Vote.

Stormont again brought up the Warrior Trail road, but no real decision can be made at this time. However, the school is to be monitoring the students for driving on Warrior Trail.

Work Session adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

James Stormont, Supervisor  
Marjorie A. Clark, Clerk