

**SHERMAN TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING**  
**10/16/2006**

MEETING HELD AT: Sherman Township Hall, 3550 N. Rolland Road, Weidman, MI 48893  
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All Board Members were present

Supervisor Sides called the meeting to order at 8:00 pm

Garry Dutcher made a motion to approve minutes of September 18, 2006, Darrel Metcalf seconded, motion carried

Garry Dutcher made a motion to approve the payment of the bills as presented, Jane Chaffee seconded, motion carried.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Thayne Sides checked with Stan Shaner on our snowplowing and the rate will remain the same as last year.

Darrel Metcalf reported JCCA considers the \$1000.00 we previously paid as a membership fee so we will not be getting that back.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Garry Dutcher made a motion to have Denise get 1 or 2 more estimates on drives at Sherman City Cemetery and award to the lowest bidder not to exceed \$4200.00, Darrel Metcalf seconded, motion carried.

Darrel Metcalf made a motion to have Richard Schmidt go ahead with marking out the Sherman City Cemetery, Jane Chaffee seconded, motion carried.

Denise Livermore made a motion to appoint Louise Smith, Richard Moreau, Dan Mills, Fred Hartway, Shauna Livermore as election inspectors – Denise to serve as chairperson, Darrel Metcalf seconded, motion carried.

Darrel Metcalf made a motion to have Dave Livermore run new phone lines in the township hall, Garry Dutcher seconded, motion carried.

Darrel Metcalf made a motion to give a \$2.00 per hour raise to the deputies of the Marshal's Office, Garry Dutcher seconded, motion carried.

Discussion was held about the school possible changing to collect school tax in the summer.

Discussion was held in regards to the Village of Lake Isabella adding recycle tax to the winter tax bills.

Discussion on amounts due for fire operations. Jane transferred \$28,600.00 for payroll and we need a check for JDS public Safety for \$46,623.19 for our share of the upfront costs for the new pump

Thayne Sides made a motion to amend our budget be adding \$8000.00 to our cemetery line item, Jane Chaffee seconded, motion carried.

Darrel Metcalf made a motion to adjourn, Denise Livermore seconded, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 9:45 pm.

Respectfully Submitted By:

Denise M. Livermore, Clerk.