

***Heath Township  
Meeting Minutes  
October 2021***

**1. Call to order**

The regular monthly meeting of the Heath Township Board was called to order by Supervisor Ron Jones at 7:00 p.m. on October 11 at the Township Hall. Bill opened with prayer.

**2. Roll call**

Supervisor Ron Jones, Clerk Missy Harvey, Treasurer Misti Lindholm, Trustee Hilda Boerman, Trustee Bill Harvey.

**3. Approval of minutes from last meeting**

Previous months minutes were approved.

**4. Reports**

- a) Jim Storey, County Commissioner gave his monthly report:
  - Mask mandate has been brought back to school districts to decide on how to handle for each district
  - Redistricting is still in the works – Commissioner is changing for Heath to Dean Kapinga
  - Commission board will be talking about their new budget and hazard plan at their regularly scheduled meeting in October
  - Both the Broadband and Water Study groups are meeting regularly and making progress
- b) Hilda Boerman, Trustee, reported on Clean up day on Saturday October 9. It went great but was not busy. Only 3 dumpsters used.

**5.. New business**

- a) A resident in Heath Township told the board that her Aunt was buried in Riverside Cemetery but was not buried in a plot, but instead was buried on the other side of a family member in the grass walkway. This was noted by the board.
- b) The board noted the clarification on the cemetery ordinance given by the Attorney after review stating that to receive a resident rate for burial plots you need to be a voting resident in Heath Township.
- c) Misti Lindholm, Treasurer, requested to void 2 old checks. 1. #5160 dated 9/18/19 for \$11.52 2. #5198 dated 12-26-19 for \$4.68. Motion by Boerman with support by B.Harvey to void the checks as presented. All voted in favor. Motion passed.
- d) Discussion on having a survey done on both cemeteries to find the property lines and put in permanent markers. After doing so it would be nice to have the brush cut back to clean up the cemeteries. Motion presented by Boerman and supported by B.Harvey to hire 42 North to survey both cemeteries and put in permanent markers. All voted in favor. Motion passed.
- e) Discussion by the board to also clean up the brush in Schumaat Park.

**6. Zoning update**

- a) Boerman updated that the Planning Commission met in September and will meet again in October. The October meeting is an open meeting to discuss the language for the set backs for out buildings.

**7. Bills**

Motion by Boerman supported by Lindholm to pay township bills. Unanimously approved. Motion passed.

**8. Adjournment**

Motion by Lindholm supported by Boerman and unanimously supported to adjourn the meeting at 7:37 p.m.