

March 10, 2020

Dora Township annual meeting and election was held at the Vergas fire hall.

Meeting was called to order at 8:10 PM by deputy-clerk Mike Kratzke.

The pledge of Allegiance was said.

Sandy Antonsen was elected the moderator.

The minutes were read for last year's annual meeting by deputy clerk Mike Kratzke.

Norb Benke moved to accept the minutes, Joe Gerold seconded, motion carried.

Treasurer Hans Hanson gave the treasurer report for 2019. Dave Antonsen moved to accept the Treasurer's Report, Gerald Gorentz seconded, motion carried.

Joe Gerold gave the report for the CDH-Vergas Fire Department, there were 94 calls of which 10 EMS and 5 fire calls were located in Dora Township. There are currently 18 members on the Rescue squad and 25 firefighters. They are looking for more volunteers to be involved.

Dent Fire Department had 2 calls that they responded to in Dora Township. They are also in need of volunteers as they have had some calls that they were not able to respond to. Perham EMS ended the year with a loss as they exceeded their budget by 18 percent due to overtime, because of the shortage of workers. They are looking at either buying a building and remodeling or building new as they are growing out of their current location.

Daryl Haarstick gave the road report, roads are good to excellent shape. 415th Street and 425th street have had to have some repairs done due to heavy truck traffic. Soland Rock and Gravel has been doing our road maintenance and snow plowing and will continue to. We are working on doing some spraying for weeds in our ditches to take care of the ones not killed by mowing. Dust guard will continue to be used on roads where dust or washboards become problems.

Gerald Gorentz moved to keep the tax levy for 2021 the same as the 2020. Daryl Haarstick seconded the motion, motion passed.

Neighbor to Neighbor shared about the services that they offer the community.

Norb Benke moved to allow the board to set what they would donate to different community organizations. Gerald Gorentz seconded the motion, motion passed.

Norb Benke moved to Leave to the boards discretion to gift a retiring board member. Gerald Gorentz seconded the motion, motion passed.

David Antonsen moved to set the Annual Meeting at the backroom of the CDH-Vergas Fire Hall at 8:15 on March 9th 2021. Joe Gerold seconded the motion, motion passed.

Dave Antonsen moved to adjourn, Hans Hanson seconded the motion, motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 8:50

Canvassing board met afterwards

3 year Supervisor term
David Antonsen received 67 votes
There were no write-ins.

David Antonsen was declared elected Supervisor

2 year Clerk
Michael Kratzke received 65 votes
There were no write-ins.

Michael Kratzke was declared elected Clerk.

Michael Kratzke, Clerk

Sandy Antonsen, Moderator
