

PIERSON TOWNSHIP
Community & Economic Growth Committee Meeting Minutes
21156 W. Cannonsville Rd, Pierson, MI 49339
March 11, 2021 at 3:00 pm

The Open Meetings Act, as amended by Public Act 254 of 2020, extended the authority for public bodies to conduct electronic “virtual” meetings for any reason through March 31, 2021.

- I. Meeting Call to Order: 3:05pm
 - a. Pledge of Allegiance
 - b. Roll Call:
Present: Schroeder, Coffin, Burkholder, Becker-Fountain Absent: Rockburn, Duffy, Lecceadone
- II. Approval of Meeting Agenda:
Motion: Becker-Fountain 2nd: Coffin Aye: All Nay: None
- III. Approval of February 11, 2021 Meeting Minutes
Motion: Coffin 2nd: Becker-Fountain Aye: All Nay: None
- IV. Public Comments
- V. New Business:
 - a. Kathi Coffin is resigning from the committee - We thank her for her service!
 - b. Committee meeting pay: June, July, August, September (4 per year by board motion on February 16, 2021/committee to reduce to 5 as changes occur).
- VI. Open Items:
 - a. **Clean-Up Projects (2021)**
 - i. **Saturday, April 17 – Friday, April 30, 2021**
 - ii. Get bags, pokers & tote by April 8 meeting/Soft roll out to community and emailing to school leaders for group challenges (Becker-Fountain)
 - iii. Tire Drive Info (need dates/participate with existing drives)/Rockburn
 - b. **Community Garden: Moved to Parks & Recreation**
 - i. Discussed with guest Janet Moore some fundraising ideas to present at April Parks & Recreation meeting with CE&G assist.
 - c. **Farmer’s Market (2021): Pierson Township Farm & Artisan Market**
 1. New logo/signs
 2. Invite Vendors for Schedule & Brain-Storming! (April 8 @3pm)
 3. Boosters/TC Events
 4. Application updated for 2021
 - d. **Classes & Events**
 - i. Survey for FB/Community
 1. Exercise class instructor for Wednesday night class 4pm- 5pm (Becker-Fountain to follow up) – “suggested donation to Parks & Recreation for use at Township Hall/insurance required.
 - e. **Water-ways/Mapping (2022)**
 - f. **Zoning** (Orvin/Lance/Dan): no change/update

- VII. Board Approval requests
 - a. Committee would like to see if Township could purchase a projector for use in classes and events.
- VIII. Public Comments
- IX. Next Meeting: April 8, 2021
- X. Adjournment: 4:25 pm