



Solon Township Hall  
15185 Algoma Avenue NE  
Cedar Springs MI 49319

**Minutes of the Budget Meeting of Solon Township  
March 19, 2019**

**Meeting called to order** by Supervisor Robert Ellick at 7:30 P.M.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Members present:** Robert Ellick, Art Gerhardt, Fred Gunnell, Mark Hoskins, and Mary Lou Poulsen.

**Members absent:** none.

**Public Comment on Agenda Items:** none.

**Purpose of the meeting: to approve the annual township budget and determine the tax rate for fiscal year 2019/2020**

Public hearing having taken place March 19, 2019 after published notices as required by law, a Motion was made by Poulsen to adopt the budget as follows:

*(Estimated revenues to General Fund of \$941,811;  
General Fund appropriations of \$941,811; which includes:  
transfer from General Fund to Street Fund of \$200,000;  
transfer from General Fund to Fire Capital Fund of \$20,000;  
transfer from General Fund to Fire Operating of \$88,045*

*Estimated revenues of Fire Operating Fund from millage - \$85,000*

Motion seconded by Mr. Hoskins. Budget adopted 5 - 0.

**Public comment** – G. Skelonc & S. Skelonc regarding miscellaneous budget information and thoughts on Planning Commission dealings with ordinances.

Fire Chief Drake regarding budget information, equipment purchase requests and wage increase request. Firefighter McDonald offered assistance on WIFI and other technological items, firefighter John Nix on 16 Mile Road paving need and flooding problems.

**Adjourn** A motion to adjourn was made by Gerhardt and seconded by Poulsen.

Motion carried 5 - 0. Meeting adjourned at 8:37 pm.

Mary Lou Poulsen  
Solon Township Clerk