

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF MONITOR
SPECIAL TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

August 23, 2021

The Supervisor called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Members present: Spencer, Ferguson, Arnold, Pike, Brandt, McCulloch,
Members absent: Walsh –arrived at 6:13 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all.

Also present: R. Sheppard, Attorney

Public input opened at 6:02 p.m. No one spoke.
Public input was closed at 6:02 p.m.

Chief Kramer addressed the board regarding the difficulty recruiting new fire fighters. Only 4 students applied for the fire academy last year. Also, the increase of fire department runs over the years. He explained how a fire district is setup and that the property becomes that of the district and is no longer owned by the township. How we still assist for mutual aid. How the Kelly schedule works with the current 24 hr. on and 24 hr. off schedule. The work that the department does – maintain the vehicles, the station, respond to runs, hydrants, etc. How the work load keeps increasing. The full-time schedule was copied for the board. Chiefs current schedule was discussed. He wants to eliminate working the weekend from his monthly schedule. The board will discuss the addition of a new fire fighter at budget time. A receptionist job description was given to the board.

Motion by Brandt supported by Walsh to adjourn at 6:55.
Motion carried.

Linda K. Ferguson, Clerk