

**A.C.T. – N.O.W.**  
Advisory Community Team – Neighbors On Watch  
**COMMUNITY MEETING MINUTES**  
OCTOBER 20, 2014

Community Meeting was called to order by Chair Mary Link at 7:00 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by 35 members and guests in attendance.

**MINUTES**

- Bob Barber made a motion to approve the meeting minutes from the September 15, 2014 Community Meeting as published. Seconded by John Klein. All in favor, none opposed, motion carried.

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

- Billie Schuricht made a motion to accept the SEPTEMBER 2014 (3<sup>rd</sup> month of 2014-2015 Fiscal Year) Treasurer's Report as submitted by Bob Barber. Seconded by Margie Schwartz. All in favor, none opposed, motion carried.

Checking	\$ 1,915.90
Savings	\$ 285.13
MMA	\$12,262.66
<u>Petty Cash</u>	<u>\$ 283.34</u>
TOTAL	\$14,710.11

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- ACT NOW Annual Raffle "Get Away Package" tickets are available. \$10 each or 3/\$25. Drawing will take place on 11/17/14. First Prize is a Water Park Package (Value \$1,000), Second Prize is a Casino Package (Value \$750) and Third Prize is \$250 Cash.
- Annual Trunk or Treat & Haunted Trail will be on Halloween (10/31/14). Looking for trunk and trail participation. Great prizes for decorated trunks and \$300 cash prize for best decorated section of trail. Event begins at 6:00 p.m. and ends at 8:00 p.m. Registration and set up for trunks will be at 4:30 p.m.

- Scrap Metal Project is done for the year; will start back up in the spring. Raised just over \$2,000 for the season...Thanks to Stan Baysdell and Dave Blazejewski for manning the project!
- Township is looking for two volunteers to serve on the Parks & Recreation Committee, particularly for representatives from the West side of the lake. If you are interested in serving on this committee, please contact Gerrish Township Supervisor Frank Homola.

### **CERT**

Sharon Zacny announced that the group had recent call outs for service for the Firemen's Memorial Festival Parade, Walk to School Day and the RHS Homecoming Parade. Will need volunteers for Trunk or Treat on Halloween. Working on a training schedule for a Basic CERT training that will take place beginning in November. They will be on Saturdays and Sundays if anyone is interested, please let Sharon know.

### **GAP REPORT**

- N/A

### **SPEAKER/PROGRAM**

- Mary introduced guest speakers John and Dave from the Gaylord Weather Service who presented a 90 minute program on Winter Weather. They also had handout materials for becoming a weather observer and how to report your observations. They also reviewed last winter, which was one of the worst winters recorded in history and shared their expectations for the coming winter.

### **NEXT COMMUNITY MEETING**

- To Be Announced

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Julie Hill*

Julie Hill, ACT NOW Secretary