

**Charter Township of Gun Plain
Special Meeting
April 9, 2009**

A special meeting was called to order by supervisor Vandenberg at 7:00 pm. the following board members were present Moerman, Meert, Vandenberg, Morrison, Corbin and Kopka.

Also present was approximately 6 guests.

Cop Grant

Cop Grant the board discussed the cost of contracting another deputy from Allegan County, utilizing the grant for three years the four year would be 100% cost to the township, also the next question was, and do we have the need for another deputy in Gun Plain Township.

The board also discussed if we went ahead with the grant and share a deputy with another township, would we want to purchase our own car or use a county car? Vandenberg has been in contact with the City of Plainwell's to see what rate they would charge us to use their officers' the board will hold another special meeting after we receive all the information needed to make a final decision. The next meeting will be held April 14, 2009

BSA Software

Meert and Morrison went to Otsego Twp to look at the software, Vandenberg has scheduled a meeting on April 30, 2009 for BSA to come in and show the board members the program.

Fee Changes for 2009/2010

The fee rates will be presented to the board at the May 7, 2009 for approval.

Joint Recreation Contract

Vandenberg has read the contract and has a couple of items he would like to address with the administration before signing the new contract.

Cemetery Help

Corbin motioned to hire Steve Tish. Morrison seconded. Motion carried.

Battery Drop off

Morrison would like to build a covered drop off box for the residents to put their used batteries in; Kopka voiced his concerns that people would put trash in the box.

Siren Map

Corbin presented the board with a map showing the location of existing sirens and placement of new ones when we get the funding, Corbin asked if the board was interested in matching funds to erect new sirens, the board told him they were.

Sewer Study

The sewer is completed Vandenberg will provide the board with a copy of the results.

Adjournment

Meert motioned at 9:26 pm to adjourn. Seconded by Kopka. Motion carried.