

Charter Township of Gun Plain

Special Meeting

September 18, 2013

A special meeting was called to order by Trustee Pearson at 7:00 pm. the following board members were present Meert, Morehouse, Kopka, Horton and Pearson. Absent Vandenberg and Moerman.

Approximately 5 guests were present.

New Business

Fracking Workshop with Hal Fitch from the DEQ State of Michigan.

Mr. Fitch explained that most of the active fracking is currently going on in the Kalkaska area and he explained that there is not a lot of request for permits at this time, things seem to be slowing down in Michigan.

The DEQ always tests the flow back water to determine if there is any radioactivity.

The DEQ has a website that has a lot of information on fracking, from permits pulled to data sheets on sites drilled and being drilled. **(Anyone wishing to gather more information should visit their website).**

DEQ feels our regulations in the State of Michigan are tougher than most states.

Motion to adjourn by Meert. Seconded. By Morehouse.