

Banks Township Board Special Meeting
June 28, 1993

held at the Banks Township Hall, Ellsworth, Michigan

1. The meeting was called to order by the Supervisor Daniel Wieland at 7:00 PM. Board members present included Supervisor Wieland, Clerk Donna Heeres, Treasurer Jacob Veenstra, Trustees Peter VanderArk and Gary Strange. Also present Jerry Rasmussen and Jerroll Drenth.
2. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss plans for the Watrous property, namely development of a parking area for the Township Hall and public parking for the businesses.
3. The building was burned down June 22 by the Fire Dept as part of a training exercise. The debris has been disposed of and the site somewhat leveled. Discussed removal of several bushes and trees and placement of a driveway into the lot. Rasmussen reported that guardrails may be available from the Village.
4. Jerroll Drenth will draw up a proposal to allow as many parking spaces as possible on the site with access from Harris Street only and steps up to the Township Hall.
5. MOTION VanderArk, Heeres, CARRIED to have Strange contact Richard Tessmer to work out an arrangement to exchange half of driveway behind his building for the small portion behind the barber shop.
6. Strange to contact Charlevoix County State Bank and Art Bowen, owner of the Barber Shop about proposals.
7. Rasmussen agreed to contact Consumers Power Company about placing power lines underground and removing the pole.
8. Need to get bids for paving of the lot.
9. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted,



Donna L. Heeres, Clerk