

**TOWNSHIP BOARD**

ERIE TOWNSHIP  
Erie, Michigan

Regular Meeting  
(Workshop)  
January 23, 2009

Supervisor William Frey at the Township Office, 2065 Erie Road, Erie, MI, called the Regular Meeting (Workshop) January 23, 2009, of the Erie Township Board to order at 1:00 PM. The roll was called and Pledge of Allegiance said.

**CALL TO ORDER-  
ROLL CALL-  
PLEDGE OF  
ALLEGIANCE**

Bill Frey, Supervisor	Present
Cindy Baum, Treasurer	Present
Jolene Upchurch, Clerk	Present
David Cousino, Trustee	Present
Michael Grodi, Trustee	Present

Purpose of the meeting is to inform newly Elected Officials of the 2008-2009 Budget at the request of Trustee Grodi.

Treasurer Cindy Baum discussed the 2008-2009 Budget. Every department and line item in each department was discussed. Several questions from residents were answered about bond payments and what the Township is committed to for several years in the future.

**2008-2009 BUDGET**

Assessor Dan Smith gave a presentation on why he will need a reappraisal extension and discussion was held.

**ASSESSOR  
EXTENSION**

Discussion was held on the Police Millage Language for the upcoming May Election. Clerk Upchurch stated that it is not cost effective to put the Police Millage on the May ballot because putting the local issue on with the school election; the Township would be responsible for the total cost. Also new voter I.D. cards would have to be sent out informing all voters the change in the polling place which would add more cost. Discussion was held on putting the millage on the August Ballot.

**POLICE MILLAGE**

Upchurch moved, supported by Baum to adjourn the meeting at 3:30P.M. Motion carried, all in favor.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Respectfully submitted,

Jolene Upchurch  
Erie Township Clerk

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