

Avon Township
Special Meeting regarding Road project on 165th.
May 21, 2009
Avon City Hall

The special meeting was called to order by Renee Smith, township clerk at 7:00pm. We began the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Board members present; LeRoy Gondringer, Steve Saupe, Ken Mergen, Richard Bresnahan, Adam Ripple (township attorney)
Also present: Jeff Lange, Mike Slough, Bill Skay, Ray Schmitt, Kevin Locnikar, Kit Blattner, Gordy Smith, Michael Shay, Sam Barrett.

Gondringer nominated Ken Mergen to moderate the meeting. No other nominations were heard.

Adam Ripple explained the purpose for the meeting. According to the law, before beginning a road project where property owners where land areas may be altered or used in construction, we must conduct a public meeting to inform residents of the project and any changes of his property which will affect the land owner.

The construction of a cul-de-sac on the north end of 165th will alter several properties there. Township feels the cul-de-sac is needed for the school bus and other vehicles that turn around there. The road will be safer if the turnaround area is provided. A discussion followed by those present with board members answering questions.

Ken Mergen called for the vote. Results, should the township go ahead with this project? Yes had 4 votes. No had 7 votes. Motion was defeated. Engineering data will be filed for future reference when the project comes up again.

Motion by Jeff Lange to adjourn.