



ECKFORD TOWNSHIP of CALHOUN COUNTY

•**August 16, 2010**

Fire Millage Public Hearing

Supervisor Rapp called the regular meeting of the Eckford Township Board to order at 7:00 p.m. Others in attendance were T. Baylis, K. Lawrence, K. Hinkley, R. Buskirk, A. & L. Blight, and S. Mobley. ABSENT: W. Cornell

The Fire Millage Public Hearing was opened by Supervisor Rapp. Copies of fire department facts were available to all.

Even though all the departments were great to work with over the last few years the costs keep going up and revenue sharing is going down. The township cannot afford to continue to pay for increasing services and costs without help from a millage.

Fredonia covers most of the western half of the township and the eastern side is split by Marengo Township and Homer fire dept. Homer and Fredonia have about the same number of calls.

A. Blight stated that Marengo Township may be asking for a small millage for the fire department too.

If the millage doesn't pass the township will have to cut a department. If the millage does pass we can keep all three (3) departments.

Supervisor Rapp adjourned the meeting at 7:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,

Kimberly Hinkley
Eckford Township Clerk

Bruce Rapp
Eckford Township Supervisor