The Margaretta Township Trustees met in regular session on December 15, 2016. Present were Mr. Bias, Mr. Riesterer and Mr. Pooch.

Mr. Bias moved, seconded by Mr. Riesterer to approve the minutes from the December 1, 2016 meeting as presented by Fiscal Officer Mary Ann Lindsley. Voter: all ayes.

Mr. Riesterer moved, seconded by Mr. Bias to approve and sign warrants 15680-15730 and eft's that were submitted for payment by the Fiscal Officer. Vote: all ayes.

Mr. Bias moved, seconded by Mr. Riesterer to accept the financial reports submitted by the Fiscal Officer. Vote: all ayes.

Chief Johnson gave his Fire Dept report. There was a discussion on Mike Frado's current employment status. Mr. Frado is currently a paid-on call firefighter and should be paid quarterly at the pay scale of the paid on call Firemen.

It was mentioned that we offered to renew our current contract with Bay View.

Chief mentioned that they are doing interview with candidates for lieutenants.

Mr. Bias moved, seconded by Mr. Riesterer to approve the vacation request for Rob Street for January 16, 18, & 20th 2017. Vote: all ayes

Mr. Riesterer moved, seconded by Mr. Riesterer to approve a 1 year continuation of our current contract at the current rates with Bay View Village from January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017. Vote: all ayes

Tom Johnson gave a brief zoning report. There are some issues with the Hoty Building on SR 101. Tom mentioned some issues that are being resolved.

Mr. Jim Neill gave a Cemetery/Road Dept report. Jim submitted a vacation request for Matt Studer.

Mr. Riesterer moved, seconded by Mr. Bias to approve the vacation request for Matt Studer for December 23, 27, 28 29 & 30, 2016. Vote: all ayes.

The Trustees discussed wages and benefits for the employees for 2017.

Our organizational meeting for 20917 will be held on December 23, 2016 at 1 p.m.

Mr. Bias moved, seconded by Mr. Riesterer to adjourn. Vote: all ayes

The meeting adjourned at 9 p.m.