

**DAVISON TOWNSHIP  
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING  
March 11, 2019**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Supervisor Tim Elkins, Clerk Cindy Shields, Trustees Matthew Karr and Travis Howell

Attorney David Lattie

Chief of Police Rick Freeman

Deputy Chief of Police Gerald Harris

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** Pat Miller

**OTHER PRESENT:** Roberto Acosta

**CALL TO ORDER**

The special meeting of the Davison Township Board of Trustees was called to order at 6:00 pm to discuss the Police Special Assessment.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Police Special Assessment Discussion**

Tim passed out a worksheet with the totals per taxable value and what a 5%, to 7.5% increase or a 25% to 40% would be for the residents and the commercial/businesses with the conversion.

Mr. Lattie said that since the law had changed we have to convert the flat fee to the millage rate. He said that a larger difference between commercial and residential can be made. The millage rates per parcel will be different, but being that it is really based on police service per the township he feels this is the fairest way to assess.

There was discussion about how the commercial and residential areas would be effected with the conversion and what the fairest way to spread the allocation was. Also increasing the Police Millage and when the best time would be to propose it on the ballot. It would not cost the taxpayers anything if it was done during the November, 2020 election. It was decided to put the conversion table into effect.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The special meeting was adjourned at 6:17 pm.

Submitted

Approved

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Cindy K. Shields, Clerk

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Timothy W. Elkins, Supervisor