## MINUTES TOWN OF NEW HOPE SPECIAL BOARD MEETING Tuesday, March 5, 2024 – 6:00 p.m. North New Hope Church 845 County Road T North

Members present: Chair Todd Knepfel, Supervisors Timm Raddatz and Ray Reser Also present: Treasurer Dorene Stolpa, Clerk Pat Zellmer

## 1. Call to Order

Chair Knepfel called the regular town board meeting to order at 6:00.

## 2. Discussion on Town Hall meetings

The Town of New Hope Board meetings, elections, and other special events for the Town are currently held at North New Hope Church, as the New Hope Town Hall is inadequate for most meetings.

A discussion on future plans ensued.

- One option is to increase the donation made to New Hope Church to continue use of that facility.
- Rebuilding the current town hall to meet all State and Federal standards was discussed. The Village of Nelsonville's newly constructed town hall exceeded \$300,000 (not including a well and septic).
- There are few other options, including renting space from CWES, but handicap access to the main building is questionable.
- A discussion with the North New Hope Church Board will occur at a future town meeting.

## 3. Adjournment.

Supervisor Raddatz moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Supervisor Reser. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 9:20 pm.

Respectfully submitted to the Board by Clerk Pat Zellmer.