



Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting  
October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023 7:00 PM  
Held at Maple Lake Township Hall

The regular meeting of the Maple Lake Township Board was called to order by Chairman Tom Neumann at 7:00 PM.

Supervisor John Pederson, Supervisor Tom Hackenmueller, Clerk Esther Wenzel, and Treasurer Judy Neumann were present.

The minutes from the September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023 regular board minutes and the minutes from the special meeting on October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023 were read by Chairman Neumann. A motion was made by Pederson, seconded by Hackenmueller to accept the regular board minutes as read. Motion carried 3-0. There was a motion made by Pederson, seconded by Hackenmueller to accept the special meeting minutes as read. Motion carried 3-0.

Checks 4732 - 4755 were presented to the Board for approval and payment. A motion was offered by Pederson, seconded by Hackenmueller to approve, and pay the checks as presented. Motion carried 3-0.

Gavin Woodland from Wright County Public Health came to discuss radon and air quality concerns since winter is coming soon. Trying to help residents to have good air quality especially in the winter months. A test kit can be purchased for \$5 from the Wright County Government Center by either going in to the government building or completing a form online and they will mail the test to you.

Road issues on Dempsey and 62<sup>nd</sup> Street were discussed. A resident on that road that has caused problems in the past by building a berm in the ditch that causes water issues on the road. John Pederson said he will talk with the property owner and ask them to not make changes to the ditch in the future.

Troy Bremer's Conditional Use Permit was up for approval. There was a motion made by Neumann, seconded by Hackenmueller to approve Troy Bremer's CUP permit, and review it again on October 2026. Motion carried 3-0.

There was a motion made by Pederson, seconded by Hackenmueller to pass the resolutions with Corinna Township for the improvement of Gowan Ave if the grant is approved. Motion carried 3-0.

There was a motion made by Pederson, seconded by Hackenmueller to go with one concrete culvert for Donnelly Dr on the worst part and steel culverts for the rest of the road. Motion carried 3-0.

The board members used ARPA money to purchase gravel for Maple Lake Township Roads.

There was a motion made by Hackenmueller, seconded by Pederson to approve the purchase of two sander carts for the trucks for the maintenance department. Motion carried 3-0.



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There was a motion made by Hackenmueller, seconded by Neumann to approve the Resolution No. 2023-10-17 to authorize John Pederson to do work for the township at \$25 an hour for general maintenance and for emergency snow plowing. Motion carried 2-0, with Pederson abstaining.

There was a motion made by Hackenmueller, seconded by Pederson to approve the Resolution No. 2023-10-17A to authorize Tom Neumann to do work for the township at \$25 an hour for general maintenance and for emergency snow plowing. Motion carried 2-0, with Neumann abstaining.

There was a motion made by Neumann, seconded by Pederson to approve the Resolution No. 2023-10-17B to authorize Tom Hackenmueller to do work for the township at \$25 an hour for general maintenance and for emergency snow plowing. Motion carried 2-0, with Hackenmueller abstaining.

There was a motion made by Pederson and seconded by Hackenmueller to adjourn the meeting at 9:06 PM. Motion carried 3-0.

Attest,

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Esther Wenzel  
Clerk, Maple Lake Township

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Thomas Neumann  
Board Chairman, Maple Lake Township