



Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting
November 16th, 2021 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 Greg Gindele, Supervisor Tom Hackenmueller, and Clerk Esther Doran were present.

The minutes from the October 19th, 2021 regular board meeting and November 11th, 2021 special meeting minutes were read by Chairman Neumann. A motion was made by Hackenmueller, seconded by Neumann to accept the minutes as read. Motion carried 3-0.

Checks 3987-4006 were presented to the Board for approval and payment. A motion was offered by Gindele and seconded by Hackenmueller to approve and pay the checks as presented. Motion carried 3-0.

Lindsey Syverson-(6858 Ames Ave) They were wondering what they need to have a shared driveway with a neighbor. The board advised her that she would need an easement to have a shared driveway with the neighboring property.

Veit's Trees- regarding the two large oak trees that are approximately 4 feet from the edge of the road. Veit will be installing a guard rail around the trees and the township attorney is working on documents to make sure that the township is not held liable if someone hits the guard rails. An engineer will also have to come and make sure what type of structure would work.

On 51st street there is a house that burned down and nothing has been done to clean up the debris. The county or attorney is working on paperwork and seeing when and what the township can do to get that cleaned up. The cost of cleaning that up will be assessed back onto that property.

Snow plowing wage for Tom Hackenmueller was discussed since the township only has one full-time and one part-time maintenance employee. There was a Resolution with the intent for emergency snow plowing only to have Supervisor Hackenmueller help out when needed, until the township can hire another full-time maintenance employee. There was a motion made by Gindele, seconded by Neumann to approve Hackenmueller for emergency snow plowing at \$30 an hour. With Hackenmueller abstaining. Motion carried 2-0.

Scott Felder a Sherwood Forest resident was asking what will be required for the township to be able to take over 62nd Street and maintain it. The supervisor advised him to contact the Minnesota Association of township lawyer to clarify why the township doesn't maintain 62nd Street.



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There was a motion made by Gindele, seconded by Hackenmueller to approve the polling place resolution, which states that Maple Lake Township Hall as the polling place and voting hours from 10 am to 8 pm on March 8th, 2022. Motion carried 3-0.

There was a motion made by Neumann and seconded by Gindele to adjourn the meeting at 8:20 PM. Motion carried 3-0.

Attest,

/s/

Esther Doran
Clerk, Maple Lake Township

/s/

Thomas Neumann
Board Chairman, Maple Lake Township