

Minutes of the August 3, 2026, Regular Board Meeting of Sherman Township

The regular scheduled meeting of the Sherman Township Board was held on Monday, August 3, 2026, at 7:00 pm, in the meeting room of the township hall. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor-Smalligan at 7:00 pm. After the pledge of allegiance, roll call was taken and members present were Karen Berens, Doug Berens, Stan Stroven, Ken Smalligan, and Jamie Kukal.

Motion was made by S Stroven and 2nd by D Berens to approve the agenda with one addition of the One Township at a time meetings. All approved, motion passed.

Motion was made by S Stroven and 2nd by D Berens to approve the minutes from July 6, 2026, with corrections. All approved, motion passed.

There was no public comment at this time.

Treasurer-Berens presented her report of outgoing funds highlighting that it is very early in the month for bills, but she did pay the balance of the road work bill at \$81,542.93 . A Motion was made by S Stroven and 2nd by D Berens to accept the Treasurer's report and authorize the payment of bills. Roll call vote was taken. Yes; K Berens, D Berens, S Stroven, K Smalligan and J Kukal. No; none. Motion passed. Berens updated the board that the One Township at a Time meetings have been fairly well received by the residence of the township and would recommend continuing the partnership with them for the remainder of the year. Motion was made by K Berens and 2nd by S Stroven to continue the partnership through April 1, 2027. All approved, motion passed.

Clerk-J Kukal presented the report highlighting a quick turnaround on the recent audit and the Primary Election set for the following day.

There were no trustee reports.

Supervisor- Smalligan reported on the communication from the City of White Cloud about proposed new zoning and a county annual update.

Assessor-Story was not present, and no report was provided.

For Planning Commission, D Berens reported that they are working with Ryan Coffee on training options.

Building inspector Smalligan reported 2 permits and 6 inspections for last month.

Deputy Zoning Administrator C Kukal confirmed 2 permits for the month.

Cemetery Report – none.

Hall Rental and Maintenance – None

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White Cloud Sherman Utilities - Karen Kopolces that interviews are pending for the 2 applicants interested in the open position.

For Fremont Fire District, K Berens reported billing \$0 and collecting \$0 last month.

For White Cloud Fire District, S Stroven confirmed that the ordinance and millage previous up for consideration by other townships is still on hold.

There was no unfinished business at this time.

There was no public comment at this time.

There was no Board member comment at this time.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 pm

Submitted by: Clerk-Jamie Kukal

Visitors present:	Wayne Berens	Karen Kopolces	Gary Smalligan
	Brett Derks	Chad Kukal	Don Clark

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Jamie Kukal, Sherman Township Clerk

Balance Sheet

As of July 31, 2026

		Jul 31, 26
▼ ASSETS		
▼ Current Assets		
▼ Checking/Savings		
▼ MASTER ACCOUNT		
101-001 · General Fund cash		428,084.09
203-001 · Mayo Drive cash		22,952.85
220-002 · Robinson Lake Cash		17,637.85
221-001 · Crystal Lake Cash		39,036.86
336-001 · Fire protection millage Fr & WC		32,537.82
Total MASTER ACCOUNT		540,249.47
151-001 · Cemetery cash		6,185.52
202-001 · Road Checking		127,590.63
249-001 · Capital acquisition cash		3,626.29
▼ 260-001 · Gerber FCU		
261-336 · Gerber Fire Runs Savings		1,230.36
263-001 · Gerber FCU ARPA Account		6.52
Total 260-001 · Gerber FCU		1,236.88
401-001 · Winter Tax Account		3,027.41
402-002 · Summer Tax Account		57,347.05
Total Checking/Savings		739,263.25
Total Current Assets		739,263.25
TOTAL ASSETS		739,263.25
▼ LIABILITIES & EQUITY		
► Equity	►	739,263.25 ◀
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY		739,263.25