



Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting
June 16th, 2026 7:00 PM
Held at Maple Lake Township Hall

The regular meeting of the Maple Lake Township Board was called to order by Vice-Chair Phillip Rasset at 7:00 PM.

Supervisor Vern Haag, Clerk Esther Wenzel, and Treasurer Renae Neumann were present. With Chairman Tom Hackenmueller joining online.

The minutes from the May 19th, 2026 regular board meeting and special meeting minutes were presented. A motion was made by Haag, seconded by Rasset to approve the minutes as presented. Motion carried 3-0.

Checks 5730-5756 and EFT 247-250 were presented to the Board for approval and payment. A motion was offered by Rasset, seconded by Haag to approve, and pay the checks as presented. Motion carried 3-0.

Treasurer's Report – The year is half over, the budget for the year is about 45% spent for most things. The money market account will be opened sometime the end of this month.

Maintenance Report – Culvert updates on Elder, the beaver is gone but the culvert is still clogged, they will work at getting that opened up. The Appleton culvert replacement will probably not get done until July. Noel Zander will be there at the same time as the maintenance department to repair his own tile in the ditch. Zander will provide his own field rock.

Rich Glenn- Had concerns regarding the weed spraying that was done last year, as some of his plants were sprayed and ended up killing the plants. He wasn't sure why they were sprayed, he said they were clearly planted bushes not weeds. The board expressed that they were not pleased that the weed spraying company sprayed those, however they were in the right of way and told him in the future to post no-spraying signs on his property. One of the supervisors said they would call the weed spraying company and let them know they made a mistake and to be more careful in future.

A property owner on 2532 62nd St NW was wondering who maintains Sherwood Forest and expressed concerns regarding the end of his driveway and wanted to get the boards opinion if it could be fixed and have gravel added. This was continued on until the next meeting when the board can review it in person.

There was a motion made by Rasset, seconded by Haag to approve ORDINANCE NO. 2026-6.16, AN ORDINANCE DEFINING NUISANCES, PROHIBITING THEIR CREATION OR MAINTENANCE AND PROVIDING FOR ABATEMENT AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF and the ordinance summary. Motion carried 3-0.

There was a motion made by Rasset, seconded by Haag to approve the election judge list as presented for the August 11th, Primary Election. Motion carried 3-0.

There was discussion regarding the public Lake Assess off of 53rd Street on Maple Lake. The city owns the access but the Township owns the road. The City of Maple Lake received a grant to pave a parking lot at the public access. The county will oversee the project. City of Maple Lake will probably annex that road. Waiting on the proposal for that road, not sure when the city will have the paperwork ready.



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There was a motion made by Rasset, seconded by Haag to adjourn the meeting at 8:34 pm. Motion carried 3-0.

Attest,

Esther Wenzel
Clerk, Maple Lake Township

Thomas Hackenmueller
Chair, Maple Lake Township