



Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting
August 17th, 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, Treasurer Judy Neumann, and Clerk Esther Doran were present. And the township Attorney Mike Couri was also present.

The minutes from the July 20th, 2021 regular board meeting were read by Chairman Neumann. A motion was made by Gindele, seconded by Hackenmueller to accept the minutes as presented. Motion carried 3-0.

Checks 3899-3923 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.

There was a continuation from the March 9th, 2021 Annual Meeting to discuss the township's levy. Jane Hackenmueller was nominated to moderate the meeting for the discussion of the Levy. There was a motion made by Bill Ruttle, seconded by Mark Benson to set the Levy at \$655,554. There was no discussion. Motion Carried unanimously.

The rest of the meeting was turned back to the Supervisor's for the regular meeting.

Tony Graham came before the board to discuss the possibility of having a weir installed on Maple Lake. The lake association for Maple Lake wants the weir put in to better manage the water level of the lake. The lake association has been in contact with all of the proper people to see what they need to do to get this done. What the lake association has found out is that it needs a government body to be in control of the weir. Mike Couri the townships attorney said he believes the Maple Lake Improvement District could possibly be in control of this weir, not the township. He also said he would like to call the DNR and ask about this. The lake association will come back to the township when they have more solid information.

There was discussion on cleaning up some of the lake accesses that the township owns. The board decided not to have a survey done on those parcels at this time. The lake association will install a post and chain instead of a gate.

The board decided to hold a special meeting on September 14th at 6 pm to conduct the maintenance position interviews.

The township was served papers on a quiet title action on land here in the township. The supervisor's asked Mike Couri to look over the papers and see what needed to be done regarding the land in question.



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There was discussion on patching holes on Donnelly, 34th Street, and 33rd Street. Discussion was had on what should be done for these roads. A quote came from Mid-Minnesota Hot Mix, Inc. There was a motion made by Neumann, seconded by Gindele to have the quote lowered to get all three roads patched to be no more than \$10,000 by reducing the amount of patch work on 34th Street. Motion Carried 3-0.

There was a motion made by Neumann and seconded by Hackenmueller to adjourn the meeting at 9:30 PM. Motion carried 3-0.

Attest,

/s/

Esther Doran
Clerk, Maple Lake Township

/s/

Thomas Neumann
Board Chairman, Maple Lake Township