

Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting April 15th, 2025 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 Hackenmueller at 7:00 PM.

Supervisor Philip Rasset, Supervisor Vern Haag, Clerk Esther Wenzel, and Treasurer Renae Neumann were present.

The minutes from the March 18th, 2025 regular board meeting were presented. A motion was made by Rasset, seconded by Haag to approve the minutes as presented. Motion carried 3-0.

Checks 5287-5311 and EFT 178-179 & 190-191 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.

Update from Maintenance Department - They reclaimed the roads, worked on washouts, replaced fire signs, and fixed clogged culverts.

There was a motion made by Rasset, seconded by Haag to have Mares Excavating replace 50th Street, Cushing Ave, and Dempsey Ave culverts. Motion carried 3-0.

There was discussion on a 1–5-year plan regarding what will need to be fixed in the township. The engineer came out to look at what can be done to fix 85th street and tiling was suggested. There was discussion on updating the dog ordinance and have a fine added for barking dogs. The clerk will contact the attorney and see what he recommends to update the dog ordinance.

There was a motion made by Haag, seconded by Rasset to spend \$16,000 and have Central Applicator's spray the township ditches. Motion carried 3-0.

The board members were all in favor of having Rasset send a letter to the State in support of expanding broadband.

There was a motion made by Rasset, seconded by Haag to approve the Resolution No. 2025-4-15A to authorize Tom Hackenmueller to do work for the township at \$28 an hour for general maintenance and for emergency snow plowing. Motion carried 2-0, with Hackenmueller abstaining.

There was a motion made by Haag, seconded by Hackenmueller to approve the Resolution No. 2025-4-15B to authorize Phillip Rasset to do work for the township at \$28 an hour for general maintenance and for emergency snow plowing. Motion carried 2-0, with Rasset abstaining.

There was a motion made by Hackenmueller, seconded by Rasset to approve the Resolution No. 2025-4-15C to authorize Vern Haag to do work for the township at \$28 an hour for general maintenance and for emergency snow plowing. Motion carried 2-0, with Haag abstaining.

There was a motion made by Haag and seconded by Rasset to adjourn the meeting at 9:27 pm. Motion carried 3-0.



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Attest,	
Esther Wenzel	Tom Hackenmueller
Clerk, Maple Lake Township	Board Chair, Maple Lake Township