

MARCH 2025 REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

Chairman **Ledebuhr** called the March 6, 2025 Money Creek Town Board Meeting to order at 6:05PM. Other board members present included Supervisors **Feine and Hongerholt**, Treasurer **Deboer** and Clerk **Florin**. The pledge of allegiance was recited.

Chairman **Ledebuhr** called for the reading of the Secretary's Report, which the Clerk read aloud. Supervisor **Hongerholt** motioned to approve the Secretary's Report as read. This motion was seconded by Supervisor **Feine**. Chairman **Ledebuhr** called for a vote which was unanimous in favor of approval.

Chairman **Ledebuhr** called for the reading of the Treasurer's Report. Treasurer **Deboer** reported aloud the following balances ending **February 28, 2025:**

Fund Number	Fund	Amount
100	General Fund	\$443,214.77
201	Road & Bridge Fund	\$183,326.79
210	Fire Fund	\$12,698.64
220	Ambulance Fund	\$34,197.45
230	Solid Waste Fund	\$10,602.78
240	Street Light Fund	\$1,266.08
250	Equipment Fund	\$76,866.02
270	ARPA Fund	\$10,477.50
280	Sealcoating Fund	\$10,000.00
404	Park Acquisition & Development Fund	\$2,107.89
Grand Total		\$784,757.92

Supervisor **Feine** motioned to approve the Treasurer's Report as read. This motion was seconded by Supervisor **Hongerholt**. Chairman **Ledebuhr** called for a vote which was unanimous in favor of approval.

Supervisor **Hongerholt** made a motion to pay the bills. This motion was seconded by Supervisor **Feine**. Chairman **Ledebuhr** called for a vote which was unanimous in favor of approval.

Terry Chiglo was on hand and presented 2 options for the town board to vacate an alleyway; a proposal could be voted on at the Annual Meeting. The town board would then have to set a hearing date to view the area to be vacated. Option 2 – by petition, 8 landowners living within 3 miles of the alleyway would have to sign a petition, after which a public hearing would need to be held. Standard practice is that the landowners would need to pay the costs of the petition. His recommendation is to get a survey done of the area first, and then the annual meeting option. Supervisor **Feine** motioned to have the alley vacation added to the Annual Meeting agenda to begin the process to vacate. This motion was seconded by Supervisor **Hongerholt**. Chairman **Ledebuhr** called for a vote which was unanimous in favor of approval. This will be added to the agenda at the meeting.

Robin Danielson was on hand and raised a variety of issues she is having with her neighbors.

Amy Hanson was on hand and expressed concerns about a registered sex offender residing in the town, and she was concerned that she wasn't notified.

Dusty Seekamp also mentioned that he was on hand just to mainly listen but wasn't really sure whether there was an issue with his alleyway.

Chairman **Ledebuhr** mentioned that RDO Equipment was out here to maintain the grader. He explained the issues he found and the supervisors discussed options.

Chairman **Ledebuhr** explained that the trimming along Clinton Road is completed, and Torgeson's contacted Paul and complimented them and the board for the good work they did.

The board discussed options with the posts up on Deer Ridge Drive – Paul talked to Adam Heberlein to see if we can move the posts in a few feet, because a few posts had been taken out by a semi driver recently. Chairman **Ledebuhr** will talk with the county engineer to figure out what options we have to resolve that.

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Chairman **Ledebuhr** reached out to Amelia about spongy moth, however she hasn't responded yet.

The board discussed options with town hall lawn mowing. The quote from LawnForce that we have on hand is for \$60/mowing. Supervisor **Hongerholt** motioned to have Lawn Force selected to mow the town hall lawn. This motion was seconded by Supervisor Feine. Chairman **Ledebuhr** called for a vote which was unanimous in favor of approval.

The board discussed gravel publications and the issue with gravel quality. Supervisor **Hongerholt** mentioned that certain quarries are tested and provide varying degrees of quality. Whoever does the test would have to be MNDOT certified to pull and test samples from various quarries. The supervisors discussed details of the upcoming gravel application.

Supervisors discussed how and when to publish requests for quotes for gravel for the upcoming season. Supervisor Hongerholt commented that he wanted to get some more information before we proceed with the posting to ensure that the quotes meet certain specifications.

Chairman **Ledebuhr** hasn't heard anything back from Brian Jackson about training opportunities.

Chairman **Ledebuhr** talked to Universal about having our plow truck over there on May 9th for the show on May 14th. Paul mentioned that they are going to look into a mechanical issue they are having with the truck.

The board reviewed the quote from Corey Benson for the 2025 mowing season for mowing the roadsides – he quoted \$115 per hour. Supervisor **Feine** motioned to approve this quote of \$115 per hour. This motion was seconded by Supervisor **Hongerholt**. Chairman **Ledebuhr** called for a vote which was unanimous in favor of approval.

Supervisor **Feine** motioned to have the gravel reclaimer checked for bearings and blades at Hammell Equipment. This motion was seconded by Supervisor **Hongerholt**. Chairman **Ledebuhr** called for a vote which was unanimous in favor of approval.

The supervisors discussed options for the road tour and decided on March 22nd at 1:00pm.

With no additional business to conduct, Supervisor **Hongerholt** motioned to adjourn the March 2025 Money Creek Town Board Meeting. This motion was seconded by Supervisor **Feine**. Chairman **Ledebuhr** called for a vote which was unanimous in favor of adjournment, and the meeting adjourned at 8:06pm.

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