

UNOFFICIAL
SUBJECT TO CHANGE UPON APPROVAL

Vermillion Township
Annual Meeting Minutes
March 10, 2026

Clerk Cynthia Ladzun called the meeting to order at 8:25 pm and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Clerk Cynthia Ladzun solicited nominations for a moderator. Greg Ries motioned to elect Mike Brochman as moderator. Seconded by Deb Donahoe. Motion carried.

Judy Sloan motioned to accept the 2025 Annual Meeting minutes. Seconded by Jason Anderson. Motion carried.

Chuck Siebenaler motioned to waive the reading of the 2025 Township Financial Report. Seconded by Jason Anderson. Motion carried.

Jason Anderson motioned to approve the 2025 Township Financial Report. Seconded by Judy Sloan. Motion carried.

Judy Sloan motioned to hold the 2027 Annual Election at the USW 662 Union Hall and that the election would be held between the hours of 10:00 am and 8:00 pm. Seconded by Jason Anderson. Motion carried.

Janine McNamara motioned to set the time of the 2027 Annual Town Meeting for approximately 8:15 pm. Seconded by Jason Anderson. Motion carried.

Jeremy Ladzun gave a detailed account of the Road & Bridge expenses for 2025.

Tammi Brochman motioned to set the Road and Bridge levy at \$484,000.00 for 2027. Seconded by Jason Anderson. Motion carried.

Chuck Siebenaler motioned to set the Fire levy at \$166,000.00 for 2027. Seconded by Judy Sloan. Motion carried.

Tammi Brochman motioned to set the General levy at \$165,000.00 for 2027. Seconded by Jason Anderson. Motion carried.

Other Business:

Land Building/Purchase – The residents in attendance were notified that the Town Board will begin planning to acquire land for the future site of a new town hall.

Newspaper - The residents in attendance were notified that the Town Board will be voting on the official newspaper during the reorganization of the township that will take place at the next monthly meeting.

MN Association of Townships \$2,000k Scholarship – A link to this will be available on the township’s website.

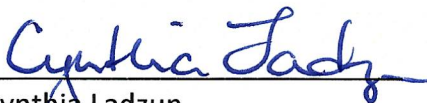
A company that may be able to provide independent fire department service to single or multiple townships is being researched.


Resident, Deb Donahoe inquired about having a professional audit completed. This could cost anywhere from \$6k to \$12k. The Town Board explained another option would be to attend the Board of Audit Meeting. Consideration of an “unofficial” Board of Audit meeting was discussed, but ultimately it was decided not to do anything at this time.

Resident, Judy Sloan was thankful that the Town Board prepped for the mining ordinance, however felt communication of the gravel mine was not relayed to the residents in a timely manner. It was explained that the Town Board retains counsel to advise us through the proper processes. Resident, Tammi Brochman stated that it sounds like the Town Board was between a rock and hard place with the mine. Resident, Chuck Siebenaler inquired about the availability of rock elsewhere in the township. The Town Board explained limited limestone is available within the township boundaries per the maps. Increased trucking costs to purchase limestone outside of the township was also discussed. Resident, Carol Anderson inquired about the timing of 2050 comprehensive plan and making sure land use authority is in the plan. It was noted that the grant money the township is to receive will be available in 2027.

The Board of Canvass will be held on March 11, 2026, at 6:00 pm the Town Hall in Vermillion, MN.

Jeremy Ladzun motioned to adjourn the Annual Meeting at 10:26 p.m. Seconded by Jason Anderson. Motion carried.


Cynthia Ladzun
Clerk, Vermillion Township


Mike Brochman
Moderator, Resident of Vermillion Township

March 13, 2026
Date