

April 10, 2025

The regular monthly meeting of Hutchinson Township met at Gopher Campfire. Chairman Brent Uecker called the meeting to order. Members present were Brent Uecker, Craig Powell, Jon Christensen, Michelle Uecker, Mykensi Uecker and Craig Schmeling. Guest – Larry Murphy, Brent Posusta, Craig Reiner, Kerry Hansen, Francis Svoboda, Paul Rotzien, Dominick Lawrence, John Mickolichuk, Dean Bertram & Marshal Krantz

The Clerk's minutes of the March 2025 regular meeting were sent via email prior to meeting. Craig Powell moved to approve the minutes. Second by Jon Christensen. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's report of receipts, expenditures and balances was given, and the checkbook was reconciled. Beginning February Balance was \$319,434.01 and ending balance was \$312,250.64. Jon Christensen moved to approve the report. Second by Craig Powell. Motion carried.

### **Receipts**

- Mid Country Bank (Interest) \$8.05

Craig Powell made a motion to pay the following bill. Second by Jon Christensen. Motion Carried

### **Bills**

- Michael Murphy Const. (March Snow Removal) \$483.75
- Michael Murphy Const. (March Grading) \$724.00
- Xtratyme Technologies (Monthly Invoice) \$35.88
- McLeod County Auditor / Treasurer (Property Taxes) \$1,527.24
- Herold Journal Publishing \$447.10  
(Road Maintenance Ads - \$353.60, Board of Audits \$93.50)
- March Election Judge Wages \$615.57
- March Election Judge Mileage \$64.00
- U S Treasury (FICA Tax) \$68.85
- Mykensi Uecker (MATT Training March 27 Class Reimbursement) \$75.00

### **Old Business:**

- Appoint Deputy Clerk – Mykensi Uecker – Craig Powell made a motion to appoint Mykensi Uecker as Deputy Clerk. Second By Jon Christensen. Carried – No Action Needed

### **Concerns from Residents:**

- Nothing Brought Forward

### **New Business**

- Paul Rotzien – Replat & Rezone land – After some discussion, Craig Powell moved to approve the Replat & Rezone and move it on to the County. Second by Jon Christensen. Carried

### **New Business Cont.:**

- Brent Posusta – East Frontage Road – Would like some history and to know options on saving the tar vs. going back to gravel – After some discussion with all business owners present, it was decided to try to set up a special meeting with the County Commissioners, County Engineer, Possibly a rep from MN DOT and City of Hutchinson
- Gravel Quotes – 3 Quotes Received – Meeker Sand & Gravel - \$12.47/ton, Hansen Gravel - \$12.11/ton, Skyline Aggregate - \$11.38/ton – Craig Powell made a motion to accept quote from Skyline Aggregate. Second by Jon Christensen. Carried
- Road Grading & Maintenance Quotes – 1 Quote received – Michael Murphy Construction - \$181.00/ hr for grader with packer, road groomer & tractor and ditch reclaimer and tractor. - Snow removal quote also provided - \$12,500.00 Retainer + \$180.00/hr for Vehicle & Plow, \$250.00/hr for Grader w/ blade & wing, Salt & Sand mix \$281.30/ton – Minimum Charge Per Any Snow Event = \$400.00 – Jon Christensen made a motion to accept all quotes from Michael Murphy Construction. Seconded by Craig Powell. Carried
- Dust Control Quotes – 1 Quote Received – Kevin Loftness - \$1.15/ft in 20ft spread – Craig Powell Motioned to accept the quote. Second by Jon Christensen. Carried
- Noxious Weed Control Quotes – 1 quote received – Korson Farms - \$150.00/hr + \$4.00/gallon of mixed spray – Brent Uecker motioned to accept quote. Second by Jon Christensen. Carried
- Dust Control Newspaper Ad – In an effort to save the residents some money, it was decided to not put an ad in the newspaper. Notices will be put on the website and Facebook page with the rate being \$1.15/ft.
- Record Retention Resolution – Craig Powell made a motion to adopt the resolution. Second by Jon Christensen. Carried
- Fire Dept Contract Renewal – Craig Powell made a motion to not get involved in this as the Fire Dept. is doing a great job. Second by Brent Uecker. Carried
- 225<sup>th</sup> St Washout – Craig Powell motioned to approve the bid from Borka Exc (Attached) and repair the road. Second by Brent Uecker. Carried
- Cannabis Resolution – After some discussion, Craig Powell moved to adopt the resolution (attached). Second by Jon Christensen. Carried

**Meetings:** - None

### **Concerns from Residents:**

- Nothing Brought Forward

### **Adjournment**

There being no further business before the board, Craig Powell made a motion to adjourn. Second by Jon Christensen. Motion carried.

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Chairman

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Clerk