

June 11, 2026

The regular monthly meeting of Hutchinson Township met at Gopher Campfire. Chairman Brent Uecker called the meeting to order. Members present were Brent Uecker, Jon Christensen, Craig Powell, Michelle Uecker, Bruce Anderson and Craig Schmeling. Guest – Larry Murphy, Tom Dahl

The Clerk's minutes of the May 2026 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 May Balance was \$464,427.35 and ending balance was \$456,965.37. Jon Christensen moved to approve the report. Second by Craig Powell. Motion carried.

Receipts

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| • Mid Country Bank (Interest) | \$10.94 |
| • Township Residents (Dust Coating) | \$9,744.60 |
| • State of MN (Fine Sharing – 4/26) | \$26.66 |

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

Bills

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| • Michael Murphy Const. (May Road Maintenance) | \$8,280.75 |
| • Michael Murphy Const. (225 th St Riprap Ditch) | \$18,989.00 |
| • Xtratyme Technologies (Monthly Invoice) | \$35.88 |
| • Gopher Campfire Club (1 st Half Rent) | \$1,800.00 |
| • Skyline Aggregate (3,864.52 Tons Gravel) | \$45,524.09 |
| • Election Judge Payroll & Mykensi Uecker Final Paycheck (March & April Elections) | \$5,093.81 |
| • Election Judge Mileage (March & April Elections) | \$292.00 |
| • U S Treasury (FICA Tax) | \$843.87 |

Old Business:

- Bridgette Bethke – Sketch Plans – A new sketch was presented with property split the way the County wanted and house placement sketched in on the 1.35 acre parcel. Craig Powell moved to approve the sketch. 2nd by Jon Christensen. Carried
- Paid Leave – Online Account is set up – Deputy Clerk talked to someone at the State of Mn and was told the Treasurer needs to take care of this. Treasurer will get set up finished. Craig Powell made a motion that the Township will pay 100% of the Paid Leave charges. Second by Jon Christensen. Carried
- Roads – 225th St ditch bank erosion. Larry Murphy presented 2 estimates on rip rapping the ditch bank to stop the erosion (attached). Brent Uecker moved to except option 2 using granite riprap to do the repairs at an estimated cost of \$18,989.99. Second by Craig Powell. Carried
- Clerk Interviews – Glen Meyer and Bruce Anderson are both interested in becoming the Clerk. After some interview time with each, the Supervisors held some discussions, Brent Uecker moved to appoint Bruce Anderson as the Clerk. Second by Craig Powell. Carried.

Concerns from Residents:

- Nothing Brought Forward

New Business

- Tom Dahl addressed the group introducing himself as our new County Commissioner. Tom asked if there were any concerns he should know about. Jon mentioned the issued with the drainage ditch and up sizing the culvert that was requested by the County. Tom will look into this.
- Roads – Larry Murphy discussed the condition of the roads and some concerns with residents contacting him about particular roads – Memory Circle in particular. Larry was told to tell the resident to contact a Supervisor and not get into a discussion with him. Most other roads are in pretty good shape. 225th St could use some more gravel after rip rapping the ditch bank. No action needed

Meetings:

- McLeod County Planning Commission – Wednesday, June 24th at 9:30 am

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.

_____Chairman_____Clerk