Fairgrove Township

Regular Board Meeting

Fairgrove Township Hall

August 18, 2025 7:30 PM

Roll: Mike Day – Supervisor, Katie Gebhardt – Clerk, Sarah Donovan – Treasurer, Amy Grady – Trustee and Bryan Hadeway – Trustee.

Visitors: Deb Young – Assessor, Doug Young, Doug Foster – Sexton, Bruce Turner – Zoning Admin, Justin Edwards – Deputy Supervisor, Pat Grey – Deputy Treasurer, Brian Pike – Planning Commission, Colleen Russell – Deputy Clerk, Ron Thomas.

Call to Order

Grady moved Donovan supported to approve July Meeting minutes. Passed

Donovan moved Grady supported to approve August agenda. Passed

Accident at Vassar/138 – Township has contacted the road commission to see what changes can be made at the intersection.

Visitor Comments

* Ron Thomas – Discussion on Township blocking access to the property to the North via the Township Parking lot.

Visitor Comments Closed

Other Reports

Sexton Report

* 3 Burials
* Sexton removing overgrown bushes.
* Household items have been placed in cemetery dumpster.
* Resident requesting son be buried next to their purchased grave. Grave location will need to be added. Donovan moved Hadeway supported to allow Sexton to add grave next to existing plot, done historically on previous graves. Passed.

Assessing Report

* Noting to report

Police Report

* No report

Zoning Report

* No current permits, expecting one for grain bins.
* Discussion on clear corner ordinance. Concern with other items besides crops being in the way; construction signs, phone polls.

Supervisors Report

* Contact with road commission about road signage
* Bank building discussion

Unfinished Business

* Master Plan to lawyer and planner. Township is coming up on 10-year review.
* First aid class/CPR class. Clerk will contact VAAS to see about setting up class.

Financial Report

* $1300 Early voting reimbursement received.
* NorthStar Bank CD renewed 3.95%
* Newsletter items
* Treasurers meeting prepping for Winter taxes.
* Gebhardt moved Grady supported to accept financial report.

Board Comments

* Opening CPR/First Aid class to public after board members and election workers.

Visitor Comments

* Nick McGuire – Discussion on accident at Vassar/138.
* Doug Young – Discussion on blood being available on MMR unit.

Bills

* Grady moved Donovan supported to pay bills as presented. Passed.

Grady moved Hadeway supported to adjourn meeting. Passed

Meeting adjourned 8:25 PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Katie Gebhardt

Fairgrove Township Clerk