

## CRYSTAL TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

June 11, 2025, 7 pm  
Crystal Community Center

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor C McCracken at 7:00 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and Prayer.

MEMBERS PRESENT: C McCracken, A Little, V Bogart, D Wight, P Baker-Marek

### PUBLIC COMMENT

Approval of Agenda and accept the Consent Agenda: Motion by Little, seconded by Bogart to approve the agenda and the Consent Agenda, Motion carried: ayes-all

Approval of the Consent Agenda: Motion by Baker-Marek, seconded by Wight to approve the Consent Agenda. Motion carried: ayes-all

### REPORTS:

- a. Montcalm Co Buzz:
- b. Fire Report:
- c. DPW:
- d. Duck Lake Improvement: Motion by Baker-Marek, seconded by Bogart to appoint S Delaney to the Duck Lake Improvement Board. Motion carried: ayes-all.
- e. Downtown Development:
- f. Park & Recreation Board:
  - A. Ordinance 18, Parks & Recreation Draft
  - B. Motion by Wight, seconded by Baker-Marek to approve memorial at Noll Park entrance. Motion carried: ayes-all.

### CORRESPONDENCE:

- a. EGLE: C Duflo
- b. Montcalm Drain Commissioner:
  - 1. Fuller Drain
  - 2. Whetstone Drain

### UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- a. 210 S Main
- b. Leaf Pick-up: Motion by Little, seconded by Wight to approve 3 year contract with Cutting Edge for leaf pick-up. Motion carried: ayes-Little, McCracken, Wight. Nays: Baker-Marek, Bogart
- c. Tree Grant
- d. Sidewalk Leveling

#### NEW BUSINESS:

- A. Meeting Schedule: Motion by Baker-Marek, seconded by Bogart to approve meeting schedule for FY 2025-2026. Motion carried: ayes-all.
- B. Assessor Contract: Motion by Little, seconded by Baker-Marek to approve Assessor contract with C Zemla. Motion carried: ayes-all.
- C. Yeo & Yeo Engagement: Motion by Baker-Marek, seconded by Little to approve Engagement for audit with Yeo & Yeo. Motion carried: ayes-all.
- D. Salary Resolutions:
  - a. Motion by Baker-Marek, seconded by Little approve 4% across the board wage increase effective July 1, 2025, Fire Department effective December 1, 2025. Motion carried: ayes-all.
  - b. Resolution #2025-004: Clerk  
Resolution #2025-005: Supervisor  
Resolution #2025-006: Trustee  
Resolution #2025-007: Treasurer
- E. 2025-26 Budget: Motion by Baker-Marek, seconded by Little to approve 2025-26 Budgets as presented for: Township, DDA and Sanitary District. Motion carried: ayes-all.
- F. Line Item Adjustments: Motion by Baker-Marek, seconded by Little to approve line item adjustments in departments: Building and Grounds, DPW, Roads and Street Lights. Motion carried: ayes-all.
- G. Park Vandalism: Motion by Baker-Marek, seconded by Bogart to offer a reward of \$1,000 for the arrest/conviction of those individuals that vandalized Crystal Park and the Community Center. Motion carried: ayes-all.

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Motion by Little, seconded by Baker-Marek to adjourn at 8:15. Motion carried: ayes-all.