

HAWLEY TOWNSHIP MEETING MINUTES

Location: 405 6th St. Hawley

Date: January 6, 2026

Vice-Chairman Rick Weaver opened the meeting at 7:04 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Present: Supervisor Everett Nelson, Supervisor Rick Weaver, Treasurer Alissa Wang, and Clerk Denise Graunke. Chairman Daren Tangen arrived approx. 7:10pm.

Approval/Additions to the agenda: Nelson moved to approve with an addition under Road/Bridges to discuss purchasing signs indicated from October Road Meeting, Weaver seconded with the addition, motion passed unanimously.

Public Comment: None

Clerk's Report: Nelson moved to approve, Weaver second, motion passed unanimously

Treasurer's Report: Nelson moved to approve the Treasurer's report, Weaver second, motion passed unanimously.

Building Permits: None.

Presentation of Bills:

1. City of Hawley, fire Dept 2x a year installment, \$3,340, Check 3033
2. Hawley Old Timers, Rent and Storage (plus 2 extra meetings Dec and Jan), \$190, Check 3034

Nelson moved to approve the payment of bills, Weaver second, motion carried.

Correspondence: None.

OLD BUSINESS

General Business:

1. Gloryland annexation meeting - December -
2. Township .gov address - Clerk still has this as an open item and will keep pursuing
3. Ekre Conditional Use permit for gravel pit - no concerns from nearby neighbors, planning commission reviewed checklist and approved with conditions.

Road and Bridges:

1. Larson easement Update - no update
2. Fence in road right of way on 50th Ave S - No update.
3. Snow removal policy -Nelson moved to adopt the County's Snow Removal and Road Maintenance policies, Weaver seconded, motion carried.

4. Policies with attorney - waiting to hear back from attorney on driveway access and road gravel
5. Signs from October Road meeting: Nelson moved to have Weaver purchase any signs that were needed from the October Road meeting minutes, Weaver seconded, motion carried.

Fire and HERT: None

Landfill: Regarding the MPCA letter - they are just issuing written warning, no fines

Weed and Gopher: None

Other Old Business: None

NEW BUSINESS

General Business:

1. March Town Elections: judges will be Everett Nelson, Rick Weaver, and Alissa Wang.
2. February Audit meeting - will follow regular meeting in February
3. Heartland Trail - there are a few meetings in January, 1/8 and 1/22
4. Other: Clerk stated we should have on record that the treasurer can pay the tax bill from the IRS in January. Nelson made a motion to have the treasurer pay the IRS in January, Weaver seconded, motion carried.

Road and Bridges: none

Fire and HERT: None

Landfill: None

Weed and Gopher: None

Adjournment: Nelson moved to adjourn at 7:36 pm, Weaver second, motion carried.

Daren Tangen, Chairman

Rick Weaver, Vice-Chairman

Denise Graunke, Clerk
