

**Raber Township  
Regular Board Meeting  
Approved Minutes  
08/08/2024**

The Raber Township Regularly Scheduled Meeting was held at Raber Township Hall and was called to order at 07:00 p.m. by Supervisor Linda Johnson.

**ROLL CALL**

Supervisor Linda Johnson, Clerk Hillary Galarowic, Treasurer Andrea Newvine and Trustees Daniel Galarowic and Robert Warner were present. Thirteen (13) Township Residents attended in person.

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**Motion to approve agenda as presented made by: Robert**

**Supported by: Dan**

**All in favor, motion carries**

**CLERK'S MINUTES**

**Motion to approve the July minutes as presented: Linda**

**Supported by: Dan**

**All in favor, motion carries**

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

GENERAL FUND:	\$	69,785.95
FIRE DEPARTMENT:	\$	18,955.77
CHILDREN'S FUND:	\$	2,395.32
RECREATION FUND:	\$	1,646.86
CEMETERY FUND:	\$	3,900.25
ROAD FUND:	\$	101,937.37
AMBULANCE	\$	15,123.72
RTVFD Fundraising	\$	72,355.65
TOWNSHIP PROTECT	\$	12,705.23

Fiscal Recovery Fund      \$            66,731.33

**Motion to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented made by: Hillary**

**Supported by: Robert**

**All in favor, motion carries**

**PRESENTATION & PAYMENT OF BILLS**

A motion was made to pay the bills in the amount of \$13,346.87

**Motion made by: Hillary**

**Supported by: Andrea**

**All in favor; motion carried**

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

Ken Lind, Insurance Agent, joined the meeting to review property values and discuss coverages on fire department vehicle replacement.

**Motion to approve increasing coverage amounts effective 10/01/2024 made by: Hillary**

**Supported by: Linda**

**All in favor, motion carried**

Chippewa County Commissioner, James Traynor, joined the meeting to update the township regarding a county board being formed to address the pollution occurring from Algoma Steel. He will keep us informed as there is progress.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

EMS Authority Updates: Linda shared updates from the NEMS meeting – discussion was had regarding forming a website, location of trucks based on population and runs.

July BoR has 2 inquiries

DNR will be holding aquatic species education August 16 & 17

Robert shared that he has received products that are DNR approved herbicide for use at the dock.

**OLD BUSINESS**

Assessor Contract Renewal

**Motion to table made by: Hillary**

**Supported by: Linda**

**All in favor, motion carried**

BS&A Update: BS&A will provide specs and pricing for clerk and treasurer upgrades after the new year.

Roof Replacement Bids: Two sealed bids were received. 1. Great Lakes in the amount of \$87,900 and 2. ~~Kaiser~~ Kaysner Construction in the amount of \$94,000. The board would like clarification about warranties and products used. Linda will follow up for that information. James Traynor will inquire about possible grant opportunities through the State.

**NEW BUSINESS**

None

**RECREATION COMMITTEE**

None

**FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT**

There were no runs in July. Received a \$600 donation from Tri County Speed Horse Assoc. for track watering. October 19 is the cash raffle and whitefish dinner.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**Motion made by: Linda**

**Supported by: Hillary**

**All in favor; meeting adjourned.**

Hillary Galarowic  
Raber Township Clerk,