Leaf Valley Township

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Chair, Dale Diedrich called to June 12, 2025 scheduled township monthly meeting to order at 7:00pm with the Pledge of Allegiance. Supervisors Brent Ost and Bob Hanson, Treasurer Issy Szech, and Clerk present at meeting. Other guests in attendance were Road Engineer Richard Vogt, Donny Kalpin, Mike Dohling, and 2 other former township board members.

Minutes: A motion was made and second to accept the May 8, 2025 minutes the Dale, Brent, and Bob voting aye, no discussion, motion carried.

Treasurer gave the financial report/statement for June 12, 2025. Interest earned at Bremer for month \$861.62, checking account balance \$18,732.89, balance in General, Rd/Bridge and Fire Funds \$535,920.93, FR Fund \$8,868.71, Park Fund \$8,221.68, Hall Maint \$32,651.83 and FR Trk Fund 15,000.00. Treasurer transferred \$40,000.00 from Savings into Checking account. There was income into township totaling \$11,900.33. Motion was made and second to accept this report as prepared and read with Dale, Brent and Bob voting aye, motion carried. Treasure continued to prepare checks for Board.

Road Engineer Richard Vogt present from RBS. Stated roads are looking good. Chloride was placed on roads this month. Looks good, residents are happy with application.

Donny Kalpin present for Fire Department. Donny stated they had a pressure switch problem with the Tanker and Grass Rig has a possible weak fuel pump. Trucks will be going into Gappa for repair. Fire Dept also attempted to blow out culvert on Reidel Bch Rd. Donny stated they needed more dirt dug out on both ends of culvert. RBS will assist with this issue.

Mike Dohling presents for First Responders. Mike stated the First Responders recently purchased a suction machine to assist with choking victims. Mike also presented estimates for a Lucas Machine. Estimates ranged from \$9,000 for a refurbished unit to \$20,000 for a new model. Board will make a decision later in meeting re; Lucas machine.

Mike also stated the First Responders truck did not start again the other day. He had the batteries checked; they were good. He will make an appt with Gappa to have truck looked at.

In old business, Brent is working on an estimate for the Bar floor at the townhall. Brent stated he will have that for the next months meeting. Pam stated if we are going to have the floor replaced in the Bar, we need to have the sink looked at for possible leaks.

In new business, Weed Tour is planned for June 20, 2025 at 8am.

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Trista stated our CTAS trainer from MAT will be retiring. MAT will be working on transitioning a new employee into her position.

Board made a motion and second to transfer \$10,000.00 from General Fund into First Responders fund and to order the \$9,000.00 refurbished Lucas machine with Dale, Brent, and Bob voting aye, motion carried.

Dale presented Barb Guenther and Pam Cuperus with retirement plaques for their years of service on the Leaf Valley Township board. Barb served as Township Treasure for 31 years and Pam served for 21 years as Township Clerk.

At this time Board reviewed Licensing, Building permits and all other township correspondence.

There was no other township business needing to be addressed motion was made and second to adjourn with Dale, Brent and Bob voting aye, motion carried. 7:51pm

THESE MINUTES ARE NOT OFFICIAL UNTIL READ, APPROVED AND SIGNED AT THE SCHEDULED JULY MONTHLY TOWNSHIP MEETING.

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June 12th, 2024

Ck#		General	Rd & Bridge	Fire Dept	First Resp	Park	1st Res Trk	Townhall
	Beginning Balance	382,805.32	101,757.49			8221.68	15000	32,651.83
	Expenses							
2288	REA	324.81						
2289	Gardonville	54.59		9.95		81.63		
2290	Alex Rubbish and Recyclin	210						
2291	Koeps Septic	160						
2292	James Richardson	295.61						
2293	RBS		37846.69					
2294	HiWay Amoco					179.09		
2295	Ottertail Power Company					44.16		
2310	Lakes Area Propery Mana	g				360		
2296	L&O Plumbing and Heatin	g						284.47
2297	Pam Cuperùs	769.14						
2298	Robert Hansen	290.35	67.5					
2299	Dale Diedrich	627.18	67.5					
2300	Brent Ost	652.87	67.5					
2301	Isabelle Szech	623.61				_		
2302	Trista Johnson	1,911.32	67.5	-				
2303	Dale Diedrich	16.00						
2304	Jacob Ost	104.00						
2305	Randy Schoeneck	48.00				_		
2308	Tim Alsleben	344.00						
2309	Kevin Pendergast	192.00						
	Internal Trans from Gen to	10,000.00						
	Total Expenses	16623.48	38116.69	9.95	0	664.88	0	284.47
	Income	1900.33	861.62		10000		10,000.00	
	Ending Balance	368,082.17	64,502.42	51,348.17	18868.7	7,556.80	25,000.00	32,367.36

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