

3/18/2025 Maple Ridge Township Regular Meeting at the Town Hall

Meeting was called to order on Tuesday, March 18, 2025 by George E. Carlson at 6:26 PM. Pledge of Allegiance was said earlier at Re-Org meeting. Board members present were George E. Carlson, Robert A. Anderson, Patrick J. Gerold, Sherry L. Kaiserlik and Joseph D. Rajkowski.

Others in attendance: Stacy M. Pearson, Steve Hass, Mac Perry and Kevin Gustafson. Mac and Kevin left after presenting their needs.

Business: Motion to accept the Regular Meeting agenda was made by Robert A Anderson and seconded by Patrick J. Gerold. Motion unanimous (3-0).

Motion to approve the February 11, 2025 Board of Audit and Regular Meeting minutes was made by Robert A. Anderson and seconded by Partick J. Gerold. Motion unanimous (3-0). Minutes were read individually. A copy of the Annual Meeting minutes was handed out just as information for the board.

Treasurers Report: Savings: \$178,850.09 Checking: \$1,539.84 Total: \$180,389.93 Receipts: \$23,633.78 (Town road allotment) Disbursements: \$30,884.20 (**I have \$30,879.74**) New Balance: \$149,505.73 (Park Fund, \$1,611.65 included).

Motion to accept the treasurers report, transfer \$32,000.00 from savings to checking and pay the March disbursements was made by George E. Carlson and seconded by Robert A. Anderson. Motion unanimous (3-0).

Discussion:

Mac spoke about his plat and driveway needs. The property is on a county road so the board does not need to give permission for a driveway. Also, Bob will go into the zoning office to talk to Trina or Erica about the Township approval of plat policy.

Motion to appoint Stacy M. Pearson as the Maple Ridge Township Clerk was made by Robert A. Anderson and seconded by Patrick J. Gerold. Motion unanimous (3-0).

Kevin brought in 271 gopher feet, to collect the bounty.

No cemetery report.

Motion to accept the Hass Construction quotes for 2025-2026 was made by Pastrick J. Gerold and seconded by Robert A. Anderson. Motion unanimous (3-0).

Motion to accept the Town Hall lot lawn mowing quote from Joe Rajkowski was made by George E. Carlson and seconded by Patrick J. Gerold. Motion unanimous (3-0). Lawn mowing only, no clean-up permitted as directed by the board. The board will clean-up debris and trees if needed.

Motion to accept Resolution #4 to allow Joseph D. Rajkowski to be paid for lawn care of the Town Hall lot was made by George E. Carlson and seconded by Robert A. Anderson. Motion unanimous (3-0).

Minnco Credit Union discussion regarding the opening of Township CD was tabled.

Motion to have the Road Inspection date on Saturday, April 26th, 2025 at 8:00 AM was made by George E. Carlson seconded by Robert A. Anderson. Motion unanimous (3-0). The board will meet at the Town Hall at 8:00 AM.

Motion to set the Spring Clean-up date on Saturday, May 3rd, 2025 from 8:00 AM until 12:00 noon was made by George E. Carlson seconded by Robert A. Anderson. Motion unanimous (3-0).

Stacy M. Pearson took the Oath of Office for the Maple Ridge Township Clerk, from outgoing clerk, Joseph D Rajkowski. Therefore, Joseph D Rajkowski and his Deputy clerk Cindy L. Broman names need to be removed from the Minnco Credit Union checking and savings accounts and the authorized check signature list. Also, Stacy M. Pearson's name is to be added to the Minnco checking and saving accounts and to the authorized check signature list.

Motion to set the next Regular TWP Meeting date for May 6, at 6:00 PM at the Town Hall was made by George E. Carlson and seconded by Patrick J. Gerold. Motion unanimous (3-0).

Motion to allow Stacy M. Pearson to purchase a computer and printer to be used for Township business was made by George E. Carlson and seconded by Patrick J. Gerold. Motion unanimous (3-0). She does not have either one at this time. Sherry will help Stacy get what she needs.

Motion to adjourn was made by George E. Carlson and seconded by Patrick J. Gerold. Motion unanimous (3-0). Meeting adjourned at 8:04 PM.

Respectfully submitted by Joseph D Rajkowski-Maple Ridge Township Clerk

Attest: _____ Date: _____ Attest: _____ Date: _____

Stacy M Pearson Clerk

George E. Carlson Chair