

Workman Township Meeting Minutes
4 PM, Wednesday, August 18, 2021
Minnesota National Golf Course

The August meeting was called to order by Chairman Jim Berg with The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America. All board members and one citizen was present. Motion to accept the Agenda was approved by Supervisor Ketola with second by Supervisor Holsten.

Clerk Essen read the July minutes and motion to approve was made by Ketola with second by Holsten. Treasurer Berg presented her report and noted that the treasurer records and clerk money records agree. Motion to approve was made by Holsten with second by Ketola. There was no citizen comment.

Supervisor Holsten reported on buildings, fire, first responders. Supervisor Holsten reported that efforts are continuing to find funding for a new town hall/garage but no solid funding sources have been discovered so far. Discussion to place the current townhall building for sale is ongoing.

Supervisor Ketola reported on Lakeview Cemetery. TruGreen will place a total of 3 applications to the cemetery grounds. Watering the grounds is an ongoing process. Palisade Fire Department placed 3400 gallons of water on cemetery to reduce drought condition. Supervisor Berg will check on obtaining a water tank. The cemetery still remains very attractive. Tree replacement will done later in the fall. Supervisor Ketola will be attending the MAC conference at Hinckley in September.

Supervisor Berg reported on roads, ditching, culverts, graveling, and equipment. Gravel has been placed mostly on Grouse Street so far, Several other roads will need spots of gravel. Road grading is difficult due to dry conditions. The snowplow should be operational soon. Broadband cable will be laid starting in mid September along Grouse Street and 480th Street and adjacent roads Application for additional funding for extended broadband will be made this year. Application for the Federal Government Aid Program has been made

Reading of Claims was made by Clerk Essen and after discussion full Board approval to pay was made.

Signing of necessary paperwork and checks was made. Next meeting is scheduled for Seeptember 15th

Motion to adjourn was made by Ketola with second by Holsten.. Meeting adjourned at 5:15 pm

Respectfully submitted by Wanda Essen, Clerk, Workman Township