

**SPRINGVALE TOWNSHIP  
FEBRUARY 7, 2007  
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES**

The township board met at the town hall for its regular monthly meeting with the following board members present: Roger McNear, Bill Friedland, Peter Clay, Marge Jendro and Michelle Kleven. Clay called the meeting to order at 6:30pm. The pledge of allegiance was recited.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** McNear made a motion to approve the January monthly meeting minutes. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried. McNear made a motion to approve the Board of Audit meeting minutes. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**APPROVAL OF TREASURER REPORT:** Jendro read the treasurer report. McNear made a motion to approve the January treasurer's report. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**APPROVAL OF BILLS:** Clay read the current claims and payroll for the month. McNear made a motion to approve the claims #837 through #857 in the amount of \$6,599.09 and payroll for \$1,923.08. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**GOPHER BOUNTY:** Alexander Smith from 1999 345<sup>th</sup> Ave NW Cambridge brought in 13 pairs of gopher feet for a total of \$26.00. Jendro issued him check # 938.

**ENGINEERING:** Jim Ryberg / Woodland Hills (Done until spring of 2007), Bob Towler update (on hold until spring of 2007-no DA), Keith Fluth update- (on hold until spring of 2007- no LOC), Steve Nelson was not at meeting to represent the Becklin Road and escrow account received a payment in January.

**OLD BUSINESS:** McNear will have the township website finished by the March Annual meeting. Township newsletter was mailed 2/2/07 and 2/3/07.

**NEW BUSINESS:** The Springvale Town Board set the Board of Review for April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2007 at 7:00 p.m. McNear made a motion to appoint the following election judges to the March 13<sup>th</sup>, 2007 Township election. Laurel Johnson, Bill Friedland, Mark Hansen, Donna Reiter, Sally Shugren, Loren Lindberg, Paul Edstrom, Michelle Kleven, and Roger McNear as backup. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**ROADS:** The Springvale Township Board opened the sealed bids received for the 2007/2008 road maintenance. The board reviewed bids from Glenn Lood for ditch mowing, Central Applicators for brushing and ditch mowing, and Hass Construction for all road maintenance. McNear made a motion to approve Glenn Lood's bid for ditch mowing. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried. Clay made a motion to approve Central Applicator's bid for brushing. McNear seconded the motion. Motion carried. McNear made a motion to approve Hass Construction's bid for all road maintenance. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried. Kleven received an email from John Tompkins regarding his culvert added with the Vale street project. He was wondering if he needed to pay for it and when the bill was due. The board stated it was part of the entire Vale street construction project. Kleven to send a letter to Doug Fredeen regarding brush piles in the right of way of Flamingo Street off of his property and attach the township right of way ordinance.

**COMMUNICATION:**

Updates from meetings / training Board members attended in January (Dalbo Fire Mtg – 1/13/07 – Officer Mtg 1/13/07)  
County Zoning minutes pertaining to Springvale this month  
February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2007 2-4p.m. 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Open House- County Gov Center  
February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2007 Cambridge Fire Meeting city hall 6:30 p.m.  
March 13<sup>th</sup>, 2007 Annual Election and Town Meeting Day  
March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2007 St.Cloud Spring short course  
County Comprehensive plan citizen advisory meetings scheduled at Gov Center 7:00 p.m. 3/19/07-4/30/07-5/29/07  
Letter from Peter Tiede  
Letter from BDM  
Letter from Larry Hemmer Recycling

**PUBLIC FORUM:** Jeff Lehn inquired about a driveway permit. He wants to put an access of Blackfoot Street to haul in fill etc.

**NEXT REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING IS ON WEDNESDAY MARCH 7<sup>th</sup>, 2007 at 6:30 PM.**  
McNear made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 PM. Clay seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

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Michelle Kleven  
Town Clerk

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Peter Clay  
Chairman