

**SPRINGVALE TOWNSHIP  
OCTOBER 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2007  
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES**

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

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** Coleman made a motion to approve the September monthly meeting minutes. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried.

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

**APPROVAL OF BILLS:** Kleven read the current claims and payroll for the month. Coleman made a motion to approve the claims #997 through #1014 in the amount of \$18,385.44 and payroll for \$1,441.30. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried.

**GOPHER BOUNTY:** Craig Nutt presented 34 pair of gopher feet to the board and was issued check #989 in the amount of \$34.00. Alex Smith presented 10 pairs of gopher feet to the board and was issued check #992 in the amount of \$20.00. Jeff Sandquist presented 52 pairs of gopher feet to the board and was issued check #991 in the amount of \$104.00. Darold Lundberg presented 109 pairs of gopher feet to the board and was issued check #990 in the amount of \$218.00.

**ENGINEERING:** Brian Miller from BDM engineering was not present. Ryberg / Woodland Hills was tabled until November meeting, Towler / private drive was tabled until November, Keith Fluth / Rum River Preserves was tabled until November, No update on the Becklin Park Road.

**OLD BUSINESS:** Dirt Bikes and OHV issues / Resolution were tabled until November. Steve and Mary Lindgren were present to discuss the rose bushes in their right of way. Coleman made a motion to leave the rose bushes as they are in the right of way of Lindgren's and 341<sup>st</sup> Avenue Northwest in section 25 and to keep the height at a reasonable height between 3-4 feet maximum. The rose bushes can not be replaced if they are damaged and no other vegetation can be replaced in the right of way. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried. Friedland made a motion to have Kleven send a letter to Darby Bunnell off of 345<sup>th</sup> Avenue Northwest in section 23 stating the township will pay half the cost to replace the two mailboxes with swing arm post's and the township will install them. Coleman seconded the motion. Motion carried. There was some discussion regarding the new private driveway located off of 353<sup>rd</sup> Avenue Northwest in section 13. Coleman stated the new private drive is coming out to the township road and requires a driveway permit. Coleman made a motion to have Kleven contact Warren Walburg regarding a driveway permit. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried. Friedland is working with the township insurance company and met with Jeff Hill regarding the town hall roof. More information will be coming regarding any storm damage to the town hall in October.

**NEW BUSINESS:** McNear approved Utility permit #4-07 on 9/21/07 for Qwest. Kleven updated the board about the upcoming election status with the HAVA equipment.

**ROADS:** Friedland update the board on road counts done in September and will continue in October. The right of ways in the township were all mowed in September. The board tabled the vacated road issue until November. Hass to remove the old mailbox post located at 698 328<sup>th</sup> Ave NW in October. Friedland made a motion to approve the 2007 Road Mileage Certification to Isanti County. Coleman seconded the motion. Motion carried. Coleman and Friedland will work on getting new signs up in October.

**COMMUNICATION:**

Updates from meetings / training Board members attended in September  
County Zoning minutes pertaining to Springvale this month  
Legal Seminar Oct 11-12- Brooklyn Park  
MN Assoc Township Annual meeting Nov 15-17 St. Cloud  
Township mail received

**PUBLIC FORUM:** No public forum.

**\*NEXT REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING IS ON WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 7<sup>th</sup> AT 6:30 P.M.\***

Coleman made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:24 PM. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

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Michelle Kleven  
Town Clerk

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Bill Friedland  
Vice-Chairman

