

SPRINGVALE TOWNSHIP
APRIL 4, 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, Burt Coleman, Marge Jendro and Michelle Kleven. McNear called the meeting to order at 6:33pm. The pledge of allegiance was recited.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Friedland made a motion to approve the March monthly meeting minutes. Coleman seconded the motion. Motion carried. Friedland made a motion to approve the Board of Canvass minutes from 3/13/07. Coleman seconded the motion. Motion carried. Friedland made a motion to approve the Board of Canvass recount minutes from 3/19/07. Coleman seconded the motion. Motion carried.

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

APPROVAL OF BILLS: McNear read the current claims and payroll for the month. Friedland made a motion to approve paying the annual life insurance dues for town officer's claim #879. Coleman seconded the motion. Motion carried. Friedland made a motion to approve the claims #876 through #904 in the amount of \$13,674.90 and payroll for \$3,137.53. Coleman seconded the motion. Motion carried.

GOPHER BOUNTY: No Gopher bounty this month

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), Becklin Park road- Brian Miller called Kleven to inform the town board that he is currently working with Steve Nelson on getting all the plans and numbers together for may 2007.

OLD BUSINESS: Township website address is www.springvaletownship.org and is all updated. Jason Sandquist has the sign ready for the townhall and wanted to know where to place it. The town board discussed and will place it on the corner at an angle next to the public posting sign.

NEW BUSINESS: New supervisor Burt Coleman welcomed. The town board updated the signature pages of the town depository Peoples Bank of Commerce, Minnesota Association of Township list of officers, and Isanti County officers list by deleting Peter Clay and updating with Burton Coleman the newly elected town supervisor. McNear made a motion for Kleven to spend \$35.00 to \$50.00 on a thank you gift for Peter Clay providing service to the township. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried. The town board set the Reorganizational meeting for 4/18/07 at 6:30 p.m. at the town hall. The Minnesota Association of Townships is now recommending town boards to purchase P.A. systems so the audience at meetings can all hear what the board is talking about. Kleven to put the P.A. recommendation on the May agenda.

ROADS: The town board set the spring road inspection for 5/7/07 starting at the townhall at 12:30 p.m. McNear will check driveway permit #25 for a final before the May meeting. Friedland already inspected Driveway permit #30. The board will check Vale Street's new slopes on curves during the spring road inspection on 5/7/07. Friedland received a complaint about 330th in Maywood Estates being under water. The town board will evaluate on the spring road inspection 5/7/07. McNear made a motion to approve Kleven to prepare a letter for Hass Construction to work in Springvale Township while the Road restrictions are in effect. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried.

COMMUNICATION:

Updates from meetings / training Board members attended in March
County Zoning minutes pertaining to Springvale this month
Transportation plan draft meeting 4/2/07 / plan available on county website
April 12th, 2007 Board of Review Isanti County Gov Center 7:00 p.m.
Urban Short Course / Maplewood 4/26/07 (one board member should attend)
MAT scholarship applications for 11th graders due May 1st.
Summer short course July / St. Cloud
Annual Conference NATaT / Washington D.C. 9/4-9/6
County Comprehensive plan citizen advisory meetings scheduled at Gov Center 7:00 p.m 4/30/07-5/29/07
Township mail received

PUBLIC FORUM: No public forum

NEXT REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING IS ON WEDNESDAY MAY 2, 2007 at 6:30 PM.
Coleman made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:52 PM. Friedland seconded the motion. Motion carried.

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Respectfully submitted,

Michelle Kleven
Town Clerk

Roger McNear
Chairman