

**Hay Creek Township
Regular Monthly Minutes
July 10, 2024**

Board Members Present: Sue Cushing, Nathan Jaeger, Ross Deden, Brad Kolberg and Brandy Christensen

Also Attending: Grant Eckblad,

Pledge of Allegiance

Agenda: The agenda was reviewed and approved.

Public Comment:

Business:

Other Business:

Treasurers Report:

Brad Kolberg presented the June, 2024 treasurer’s report including expenses, income and summary funds. Printed wrong file, did accrue some interest therefore nothing updated correctly. Brad emailed out updated report.

Haven’t received seal coat invoice yet, probably in August or September. Proposing \$110,000 go to Edward Jones money market, paying 4.5 percent for 3 month CD, Bank is only paying 2%. It’s easy to transfer.

Action: A motion was made by Nate Jaeger, seconded by Sue Cushing, and carried unanimously to accept the treasurer’s report as presented.

Bills:

Ekblad Excavating	June road work	\$8,416.00
Bruce’s Backhoe Service	Roadside mowing	2,340.00
Sievers Creative	Quarterly updates	125.00
Ag Partners	Prepay LP Gas	1351.50
Edward Jones	Money Market	110,000.00

Action: A motion was made by Sue Cushing, seconded by Ross Deden, and unanimously carried to accept the bills as presented.

Income:

Property tax \$143,645.44 received July 3, 2024.

Clerks Report:

The board meeting minutes for June 12, 2024 supervisor meeting was reviewed.

Action: A motion was made by Nate Jaeger, seconded by Ross Deden, and unanimously carried to accept the meeting minutes as presented.

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Road Review

- Flooding – Received several emails inquiring about federal and state assistance related to 2024 June flooding but normal rainfall event for us. No damage to report.
- A large cottonwood tree is starting to go down on bottom on Wiebusch and pulling road with it.
- Flueger Road seal coating completed by County.
- Supervisors will review Township news article – describes proper way of cutting trees.
- DNR is logging on Huneke in a year or two. Unsure what they are cutting or where they are staging however they are not to leave tops in road right of way. They will let us know when it gets closer.
- Not planning to spray – Grant will mow if doing any road work.

Other Discussion:

- MS Bike Ride, Sue spoke with Mary to use township parking lot for less than 2 hours, will be the first stop on bike ride July 23, 2024 – emailing route. Using grass for resting point.
- Bike ride in fall – John Bussy contacted Sue by phone. They want to start on Huneke and park vehicles there. Supervisors do not approve closing or blocking road, taxpayers should not be inconvenienced. There is a working farm on top of hill, and just because there are no houses there is still traffic, Brandy/Sue will send email and copy supervisors.
- Becca at Willow Brook being harassed by neighbors, she has called law enforcement however it has gotten worse. LE said to contact us. Township does not handle these complaints but refers to Goodhue County Sheriff's Office.

Upcoming Dates:

- Poll Pad Training, July 17, 2024
- Primary Election, August 13, 2024
- Monthly Meeting, August 14, 2024
- Monthly Meeting, September 11, 2024

Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 7:36 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Brandy Christensen
Hay Creek Township Clerk