

BEAR LAKE TOWNSHIP REGULAR MEETING MINUTES FEBRUARY 18, 2025

Supervisor Harthun called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

Board members present, Ringel, May, Pattison, Harthun, Wood-Smith.

Pledge of Allegiance.

No Public comments.

Ringel made a motion to accept agenda with addition of Cemetery. Supported by Wood-Smith. Motion carried.

Wood-Smith made a motion to accept January meeting minutes. Supported by May. Motion carried.

Received Fire Chief Report.

Harthun made a motion to allow Fire Chief Kamaloski and Captain Kuczynski to attend the FDIC Conference on April 7-12 not to exceed \$1,200.00 for registration, lodging, and travel expenses. Supported by Wood-Smith. Motion carried.

Pattison made motion to move \$7,000.00 from contingency of which; Elections \$1,000.00 and Assessor \$6,000.00. Supported by May. Motion carried.

Ringel made a motion to pay all bills listed, and any other routine bills, thus removing Spicer Group check #21721 holding till further notice. Supported by Harthun. Motion carried.

May made motion to set April 26 as a spring cleanup day at the Transfer Station. Supported by Wood-Smith. Motion carried.

May made motion to accept the Manistee Recreation service contract for \$5480.00 Supported by Ringel. Motion carried.

Harthun made motion to approve the 2025 permit for Fireworks for Bear Lake Days. Supported by Pattison. Motion carried.

Harthun made motion to contract with Manistee, Mason, and Oceana Conservation Districts for collection and disposal of household hazardous waste in the amount of \$670.05. Supported by Wood-Smith. Motion carried.

Ringel made motion to appoint Tony Merrill as Zoning Administrator effective March 13, 2025, and approve the Zoning Administrator agreement with Bear Lake Township. Supported by May. Motion carried.

Pattison made a motion to set Budget Public Hearing for Tuesday, March 18, 2025, at 6:45pm. Supported by Wood-Smith. Motion carried.

Wood-Smith made motion pay Steve Myers \$16.00 per hour. Supported by Ringel. Motion carried.

The next regular Township Board meeting is, March 18, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. Meeting adjourned at 7:51 p.m. Submitted by Deanna Pattison Bear Lake Township Clerk.