

LONG LAKE TOWNSHIP
CROW WING COUNTY

RESOLUTION 2-2017
RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A
GOPHER BOUNTY WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP

WHEREAS, Minn Stat. 348.12 and 348.13 authorizes towns to offer a bounty for the destruction of gophers and ground squirrels:

WHEREAS, the town board determines gopher constitute a nuisance to property, particularly property being used for agricultural purposes;

WHEREAS, the town board determines that it is in the best interest of the public to establish a bounty to encourage the destruction of gophers in the township;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the town board of Long Lake Township does hereby establish a gopher bounty in the township to be conducted as follows:

1. The bounty shall only apply to gophers that were, to the satisfaction of the town board chair, captured and killed within the boundaries of the township.
2. To be eligible for collection of the bounty on an animal, the four feet of striped of gophers and both front feet of pocket gophers must be presented to the town board chair.
3. The person claiming a bounty must provide the town his or her name, address and the location of where the animals were killed.
4. The amount of the bounty shall be \$2.00.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this resolution shall automatically renew unless amended or repealed by the town board by resolution.

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
Supervisor David Johnson	<u>X</u>	_____
Supervisor Thomas Malloy	<u>X</u>	_____
Supervisor Darryl Moser	<u>X</u>	_____

Adopted this 16 day of May, 2017

Thomas L. Malloy
Town Chair

Attest: Gately Olson
Town Clerk

**LONG LAKE TOWNSHIP
GOPHER BOUNTY CLAIM FORM**

I, _____,
(name) (address)

DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT _____ GOPHERS WERE KILLED

IN LONG LAKE TOWNSHIP AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATION: _____

_____.

Date _____

Signature

Attest: _____
Town clerk