

REGULAR MEETING

April 15, 2025

The regular meeting of the Long Lake Board of Supervisors was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Chair David Johnson. Present were: Supervisor Mark Olson, Treasurer Virginia Smart, Deputy Clerk Lisa Olson and Clerk Patsy Olson. Also present were: Dale Spalding, Ben ?, Jack Engholm and Ronald Rardin. Supervisor Thomas Malloy was absent. Pledge of Allegiance was given.

Motion by Johnson, seconded by M. Olson and carried to approve the minutes of the March meeting as presented. Motion carried. Motion by Johnson, seconded by M. Olson and carried to approve the treasurer's report, subject to audit.

Spring road inspection was set for Thursday, May 1st. at the town hall at 8:00 a.m. Johnson will contact Brad Holmwig.

Zone One First Responders did not show up for the meeting. The clerk had received a call that they were considering separating from Lakes Area Rescue. A hold was put on any donation.

Engholm wanted to know the road specifications for township roads. He is planning a development off from Narrow Lane. He also asked about removing trees that will be shading the road. He was told that the township could not remove the trees on private property. He was given a copy of the township road specifications and access permit.

Motion by Johnson to approve the contracts for township road ditch mowing at \$76.00 per mile, town hall yard at \$55.00 per time, and Hillside Cemetery at \$65.00 per time. The contracts were for the same amount as last year. Seconded by Olson and carried.

Motion by Johnson, seconded by M. Olson and carried, to add fertilizer to the cemetery up to \$200.00.

A resolution was passed to allow Patsy Olson, town clerk, to mow the cemetery.

Motion by Johnson to amend the road specifications, seconded by Olson and carried. Clerk to send them to Johnson to be posted on the website.

Motion by Johnson to make donations as per the annual meeting with the exception of Lakes Area Rescue and the Crisis Line and Referral Services. Seconded by Olson and carried.

Mark Olson, Lisa Olson, Patsy Olson and Virginia Smart will attend the Braver Angels workshop (Managing Difficult Conversations for Constituents and Colleagues) on Friday, May 2nd. at Central Lakes College.

Long Lake officers will attend the Crow Wing County Officers meeting on Wednesday, April 30th. leaving at 6:15 p.m.

Johnson, M. Olson, Smart and P. Olson will attend the Homeland Emergency Management meeting on Tuesday May13, at 1:00 p.m. at the Land Services Building.

Motion by Johnson, seconded by M. Olson and carried, to approve a resolution adopting Oak Lawn Township driveway access policy for Butternut Road.

Motion by Johnson, seconded by Olson and carried to contract with Crow Wing County Highway Department to repair the asphalt on the north end of Gilbert Lane and Mogensen Shores Road with the intersection with CR144 in the estimated amount of \$15,112.68.

Porti-potties for the lake access on CR 144 was discussed. A permit is required, it would have to be handicapped accessible and the cost would not be covered by the DNR. If only the person checking the boats used it, it would have to be kept locked. Clerk to check with the CWC Fair about who they rent from during the fair and try to get a cost estimate for the summer and if the insurance could be added to the township property insurance through MATIT.

An estimate for resurfacing the town hall parking lot was received from Knife River in the amount of \$26,900.00. No action was taken.

Calcium chloride was discussed. Motion by Johnson, seconded by Olson to add Chloride to 70th. Street, 100th. Street and Racine Road for this year. The supervisors will let Holmwig know that these roads are not to be graded unless the town supervisors notify him. Johnson to contact Corbin Excavating to have the spaying done. Cost is \$1.30 per gallon.

Correspondence was discussed.

Motion by Johnson, seconded by Olson and carried to allow and pay the following bills:

3324	VISA	Credit card	349.70
3325	MN Benefit Assoc.	Town Officers life insurance	805.00
3326	Ken Lenk	Beaver bounty	170.00
3327	CWC Land Services	Solid Waste fee	25.00
3328	Federated Coop	Propane	128.31
3329	CW Power	Electricity	78.58
3330	Holmwig Excavating	Road Contract	2,674.50
3331	Salvation Army	Food Shelf donation	500.00
3332	CWC Historical Soc.	Donation	500.00
3333	CWC Fair Assoc.	Donation	1,000.00
3334	City of Brainerd	Donation School Safety Camp	275.00

Motion by Johnson, seconded by Olson and carried to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Approved _____
Chair/Supervisor

Attest _____
Clerk

