

## **Town of Aurora**

Minutes of the May 14, 2025 Regular Board Meeting.

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 P.M. by Chairman Brian Phelps at the Town of Aurora Town Hall.

### **ROLL CALL:**

Present: Brian Phelps, Earl Hinkel, Ben Bolstad, Chris Kolasa and Teresa K. Madlon.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** Andy Schneider asked about the grading of Inn Drive which happens whenever roads are graded. He asked about the bid process, of which it was explained that only a project over \$25,000 is required to have bids posted.

**BOARD MINUTES:** Motion by Ben Bolstad to approve the April 16, 2025 minutes as read, second by Earl Hinkel, and carried on a voice vote.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** General Fund \$72,945.01, tax account \$45,185.17, and membership savings \$6.37. Motion by Ben Bolstad to approve the treasurer's report as presented, second by Earl Hinkel, and carried on a voice vote.

**MONTHLY BILLS:** Motion was made by Earl Hinkel to approve the bills, second by Ben Bolstad, and carried on a voice vote.

**PATROLMANS REPORT:** Steven has graded roads, put away wing from the truck and grader, and cleaned out culvert on Berg Lane. Motion by Earl Hinkel to approve the Patrolman's report as presented, second by Ben Bolstad, and carried on a voice vote.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

**GRAVEL BIDS:** The quotes were looked at. Based on the quotes, a motion was made by Brian to accept the Slobodnik bid, second by Earl, and carried on a voice vote.

**2025 projects:** Brian talked with representatives from the Village of Gilman and they agreed to chip seal Gilman Road by Kondrasuk's north jointly. Motion was made by Brian Phelps to grind Miller, let it set for at least a year and look to see what the next step is, second by Earl Hinkel, and carried on a voice vote.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

**OPEN BOOK/BOARD OF REVIEW:** Dates have been set with Mike Barna. Open Book May 19, 2025 via telephone at 9 a.m., and Board of Review is May 28, 2025 from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

**COMPUTER:** Brian asked if the old desktop computer would work for taking online classes at the town hall. Teresa will bring the computer up and see if it can work. Earl Hinkel made a motion that if the old desk top computer didn't work for online classes to spend up to \$1,000.00 on a new one, second by Brian, and carried on a voice vote.

**POLE SAW:** Brian purchased a pole saw for the township for taking care of trees in the ditches.

**OFFICER TRAINING MEETING CLASSES:** Teresa and Ben will be attending virtual classes.

There was no more business or action to come before the board.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion was made by Earl Hinkel to adjourn the meeting, second by Ben Bolstad, and carried on a voice vote.

NEXT MEETING: June 11, 2025.

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Teresa K. Madlon, Clerk