

Ellsworth Township

Regular Meeting Minutes

September 8, 2025

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Supervisor Todd Charles called the meeting to order @ 7:00 pm.

Members Present: Supervisor Todd Charles, Treasurer Kimberly Pendley, Clerk Brittany Carlson, Trustees Patrick Chachulski, James Bacon, Deputy Clerk Connie Holmes

Members Absent: None

Visitor's Present: Don Divis, Jack Epstien, Allen Greenman

Charles motioned to accept the regular scheduled meeting agenda dated September 8, 2025 2nd by Pendley. All in Favor, Motion carried.

Public Comment- Don Divis discussed the spraying of weed killer on the side roads and the effect it has had. Some property owners have become concerned. If the problem continues further action will be discussed.

Charles made a motion to accept the minutes dated August 11th, 2025, 2nd by Bacon. All in favor, Motion Carried.

Charles made a motion to accept the special meeting minutes dated August 11th, 2025, 2nd by Bacon. All in favor, Motion Carried.

The Financial report dated August 2025 was given with the following balances: General Fund \$156,386.62; ARPA Fund \$12,240.12; Tax Account \$39,490.72; Fire Operating Account \$66,642.84 Fire Equipment Account \$210,497.91; Fire Hall Debt \$2,227.47; Township Roads Account \$115,806.31; Nichoson CD \$3,169.01. Total of all accounts \$606,461.00. A motion was made by Chachulski, 2nd by Charles to approve the financial statement as presented. –Roll Call Vote- Yes-Carlson, Chachulski, Pendley, Bacon, Charles –No- None. All in favor. Motion carried.

Bills- Consumers Energy \$41.95; Summit Digital \$150.00; Verizon \$169.00; Summit Fire Protection \$70.99; Safegaurd \$1,074.77; KT Lawn & Snow \$1,0250.00; Lake County Treasurer \$118.85. A motion was made by Carlson, 2nd by Chachulski to pay the bills as presented. –Roll Call Vote- Yes-Carlson, Chachulski, Pendley, Bacon, Charles –No- None. All in favor. Motion carried.

We received Consumers Energy Franchise Renewal, Carlson will invite a representative to the next meeting for more explanation.

Area Cleanup went well! We have no final numbers yet.

Charles will be in contact with PM Designs to start on the new cemetery signs.

A motion was made by Bacon, 2nd Charles to adjourn the meeting at 7:45pm. All in favor! Motion carried.
Meeting adjourned 7:45pm