



Fish Lake Township

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Town Board Meeting Minutes September 8, 2025

Board Members and Staff Present

Chair Bruce Fitzwater, Vice-Chair Jim Thill, Supervisor Donna Ferguson, Treasurer Corey Johnson, Clerk Andrea Nekowitsch, Gary Guse Road Superintendent

Call to Order and Approval of the Agenda

Chairman Fitzwater called the Regular Monthly Fish Lake Town Board meeting to order at 6:00 pm in the Township Office at 2170 Brunswick Road, Harris, MN. The pledge of allegiance was recited by all. Motion made Thill by and seconded by Ferguson to approve the agenda as presented. Approved unanimously.

Cedarcrest Lane Vacation Hearing

Chair Fitzwater recessed the regular meeting to conduct the public hearing on Vacating Cedarcrest Lane.

Chair Fitzwater opened the public hearing to hear comments on the vacation of a portion of Cedarcrest Lane. There were no public comments made, and the hearing was closed, and the regular monthly meeting was reconvened.

Resolution 2025-05 Cedarcrest Lane Vacation. Motion made by Fitzwater and seconded by Thill to approve Resolution 2025-05 Approving the Vacation of a Portion of Cedarcrest Lane, motion approved unanimously.

Road Report

Gary Guse presented the road report and updated the Board on projects that have been completed and in process from the last month and projects planned for the upcoming month.

The board discussed hiring a groundskeeper for the township and will revisit in the spring of 2026.

Treasurers Report

The Board reviewed the treasurer's report.

Bank Balances as of: August 31, 2025

Checking	\$14,444.33	Broadband Debt. Service	\$53,760.98
Savings (Camb. State)	\$887,067.81	Anchor Ave. Debt Service	\$18,857.89

Motion made by Ferguson and seconded by Thill to accept the Treasurer's report approve expenses of \$70,128.36, and \$11,520.12 payroll for September and authorize the transfer of \$218,000 from Savings to Checking account. Approved unanimously.

Minutes

Motion made by Thill and seconded by Ferguson to approve the minutes of the previous month's meeting. Approved unanimously.

Schedule Appointments

None.

Clerk Report

Clerk Nekowitsch reported that the grant application for bridge funds has been sent in, she is working with a company on a quote for a handicapped accessible door for the hall and reminded the board of a public hearing at Chisago County regarding outdoor cannabis cultivation.

Board Member Reports

The county road 10 project has been pushed back until 2027 due to Indian burial grounds that were discovered. The county is in contact with the American Indian council before proceeding with the project.

Old Business

None

New Business

None

Citizen Comment

None

Adjourn

Motion made by Thill and seconded by Ferguson to adjourn at 6:56 p.m. Approved unanimously.

Bruce Fitzwater, Chair

Date

Andrea Nekowitsch, Clerk

Date