

IDA TOWNSHIP BOARD REGULAR MEETING
May 6, 2025

The Meeting of the Ida Township Board was called to order at 7:00 P.M. with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Members present were Supervisor Paul Metz, Clerk, Tera Shaffer, Treasurer Kelli Brandjord, Trustee Chris Curry and Trustee Tim Mata.

Public Comment: A resident inquired about road work being done on Ida West and Wells Rd.

Approval of Agenda: A motion to approve the agenda was made by P. Metz with support by C. Curry. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes: The Minutes of the Township Board Meeting held April 3, 2025 were reviewed. T. Mata made a motion approve the Minutes for Township Board Meeting held April 3, 2025 with support by C. Curry.. All in favor. Motion passed. The Minutes of the Special Meeting held on April 10, 2025 were reviewed. P. Metz made a motion to approve the Minutes of the Special Meeting held on April 10, 2025 with support by K. Brandjord. The Minutes of the Special Meeting held on April 16, 2025 were reviewed. K. Brandjord made a motion to approve the Minutes of the Special Meeting held on April 16 2025 with support by P. Metz.

Building Department: 17 Permits were pulled in April for a total of \$5,057.00.

Zoning Department: The zoning administrator reported:

- 7 zoning call received in April.
- Met with Drain Commissioner about soil and erosion testing.
- The owners of the pond on Todd Rd have not responded to letters that have been sent.
- The ZBA approved a zoning request for a barn addition.
- April liquor inspections are complete.

Blight Officer: The blight officer gave an update on blight complaints.

Fire Department Report: In March there were 20 calls in Ida, 30 calls in Raisinville, 1 call in Dundee, 1 call in Lambertville, 3 calls in Monroe and 1 call in Summerfield for a total of 58 calls.

Clerk Report:

- The Clerk's reported that the Special election for Summerfield school is under way.
- The Budget Workshop will take place on May 19, 2025 at 6:30 p.m.

T. Mata made a motion to pay the bills with budget adjustments to add \$3,000 to attorney fees and take out of contingency, with support by C. Curry. Motion carried on a roll call vote as follows: P. Metz: yes: T. Shaffer, yes. K. Brandjord: yes. C. Curry: yes. T. Mata: yes.

Treasurer Report: The Treasurer's report was reviewed. T. Shaffer made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report with support by T.Mata. All in favor. Motion carried.

Trustee Report: None.

Supervisor Report: P. Metz reported:

- He is working on the purchasing policy and considering changing the \$500 approval amount for purchases.
- There is an issue with pipes on Morocco Rd that he is working on.

Library Report: The library report was reviewed.

Old Business:

Bids were reviewed for the concrete approach in front of the fire station. C. Curry made a motion to hire Uhl Concrete to replace the approach in the amount of \$44,890.00 with support by P. Metz. Motion carried on a roll call vote as follows: P. Metz: yes. T. Shaffer, yes. K. Brandjord: yes. C. Curry: yes. T. Mata: yes.

New Business:

T. Shaffer made a motion to approve the 2025-2026 Payroll and Salary amounts with support by K. Brandjord. Motion carried on a roll call vote as follows: P. Metz: yes. T. Shaffer, yes. K. Brandjord: yes. C. Curry: yes. T. Mata: yes.

T. Shaffer made a motion to approve Resolution 20-B for the Treasurer's salary with support by C. Curry. Motion carried on a roll call vote as follows: P. Metz: yes. T. Shaffer, yes. K. Brandjord: yes. C. Curry: yes. T. Mata: yes.

The next Board meeting will be held Tuesday, June 3, 2025 at 7 p.m.

Adjournment: A motion to adjourn was made by P. Metz with support by T. Mata. Motion carried. The meeting was duly adjourned 7:42 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Tera Shaffer, Ida Township Clerk