

## STAMBAUGH TOWNSHIP BOARD

### Regular Meeting

The meeting of the Stambaugh Township Board was called to order by Supervisor Isaacson on July 9, 2025, at 7:00 p.m. at the Stambaugh Township Hall.

The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Roll call was taken with Supervisor Isaacson, Clerk Christensen, and Trustees Pangrazzi and Stolberg in attendance. Absent: Treasurer Rogers. Also present was Water Supervisor, Wyatt Johnson.

The minutes were read by Clerk Christensen from the June 11, 2025, meeting and accepted as read with a minor change regarding Carly Ekberg.

Clerk Christensen read the bills for the month. Trustee Pangrazzi made a motion to approve the bills with a second from Clerk Christensen. Motion carried.

Supervisor Isaacson read the Treasurer's report which was accepted as presented.

Zach Hautala with ICECA reported that several applications had been received for the first round of the Fast Grant Program and that they would be notifying the recipients within the next week. In late June, a letter of intent was submitted to the Michigan Office of Rural Prosperity for a Rural Readiness Grant. If invited to submit a full grant application, the project would be to map all commercial, industrial, and multi-family zoned property as well as municipal owned property and utility available throughout all of Iron County.

Numerous residents from River Country Estates were present to address the barking dog issues in their area. They presented a signed complaint list of homeowners affected and had a recording of the dogs barking. The owner who runs Bear Crazy Guide Service has added more dogs to his property. Supervisor Isaacson stated that this property would be red tagged and contact will be made with proper authorities to pursue this problem. A red tag requires that the problem be taken care of within 30 days.

Supervisor Johnson reported that the majority of the waterline restoration from our winter waterline breaks has been completed. Sunrise Avenue still needs to be repaired along with replacing some culverts.

The new pickup has been ordered from Town & Country Ford and is expected around mid-September. The price quote held on the truck, but not on the box. The aluminum box will be an additional \$570 due to tariffs.

Nicolet Signs is making some new signs for the bike trail. The original signs have been stolen. The new signs will be cemented in the ground.

Holmes Park has been busy. Some of the campers have been disgustingly using the changing room as a bathroom.

Supervisor Isaacson reported that brushing and grass cutting by the roads is being done in the township and that Bacco is replacing a culvert at the end of Baumgartner Road by M-73.

The Chicaugon Lake milfoil problem continues. CLPOA wants to apply for a special assessment with Stambaugh Township approval. This would require all property owners on the lake to contribute to the milfoil abatement.

Our Short Term Rental Ordinance is now in effect. Jill Walsh will be the liaison for it.

The township clean-up morning went well with a good response from residents.

We need to find a new member to represent the township on the Windsor Board.

The Fireman's Tourney is coming up soon.

Supervisor Isaacson read the zoning permits.

Trustee Pangrazzi made a motion to adjourn with a second from Trustee Stolberg. Meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

The next meeting will take place on Wednesday, August 13, 2025.

Respectfully submitted by Clerk Christensen