

BROOKS TOWNSHIP MINUTES

490 QUARTERLINE ROAD

NEWAYGO, Michigan 49337

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October 21, 2025

APPROVED

Members Present: Supervisor - Cory Nelson, Clerk - Jennifer Badgero, Treasurer - Vivian Miller, Trustee – Ryan Schultz

Members Absent: Trustee - Danielle Hummel

A regular meeting of the Brooks Township Board was held on the above date at the Brooks Township Hall. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Supervisor Cory Nelson. Pledge of Allegiance

AGENDA:

Supervisor Cory Nelson asked for additions or corrections to the agenda. **Moved** by Cory Nelson, **seconded** by Vivian Miller to approve the agenda as written. **Unanimously Approved**

MINUTES

Moved by Cory Nelson, **seconded** by Jennifer to accept the minutes of the regular meeting of of September 16, 2025, as written. **Unanimously Approved**

AUTHORIZATION TO PAY BILLS:

Moved by Cory Nelson, **seconded** by Vivian Miller, to pay the bills as submitted. **Unanimously Approved**

TREASURER’S REPORT:

**Received and Accepted Treasurer’s Report for December - GF 101 – Beginning Balance \$1,708,765.48
Receipts – \$10,617.01 Disbursement \$67,018.55 Ending Balance \$1,652,363.94**

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

REPORTS:

Planning Commission – Ryan Schultz reported that a Public Hearing was held for a change in side setbacks for the lake district. Changes were passed and will be forwarded to Brooks Board for final approval.

Fire Board Report – No meeting held

Coolbough Management Commission – No meeting was held

Chain of Lakes Sewer Authority – No meeting held

Newaygo Area Recreation Authority – No meeting held

County Commissioner – Commissioner Brenda Bird addressed the following items:

- The budget has been approved and there is financing to fund programs, however, things will be tighter this year
- Axon body cams (with cloud-based storage) were approved for county officers.
- Home respite care was approved
- Gary Anderson was elected to the Board of Canvassers
- Brenda encourages residents to tap into programs offered by the MSU Extension Program

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: None

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

TOWNSHIP BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS:

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 7:09 by Cory Nelson

Jennifer Badgero
Brooks Township Clerk _____

Dianna Schaafsma _____
Brooks Township Deputy Clerk