

Burns Township Regular Board Meeting, May 5, 2025

The meeting was called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance. At 7:30 p.m.

Roll Call, Board members present Adams, Glass, Markley, Murray, Riley.

Adams moved; Markley seconded to approve the agenda. Aye 5, Nay 0. Motion carried.

Glass moved; Adams seconded to approve routine matters: April 7, 2025, Board Minutes, Accept April 30, 2025, Treasurer Report Pending Audit, and Disbursements Totaling \$176,947.57. Roll Call: Aye, Glass, Markley, Murray, Riley, Adams. Nay 0. Motion carried.

Public Comment: None.

Fire Report: Wade Prestonise gave the fire report.

Ambulance Report: Tom Deming gave the ambulance report.

Library Report: None

Assessor Report: Diane Dowler had nothing to report.

County Commissioner Report: None

Action Items:

Glass moved; Markley seconded to donate \$300 to the Antrim-Burns 4-H club for doing spring cleanup at Union Plains Cemetery. Roll Call: Aye Markley, Murray, Riley, Adams, Glass. Nay 0. Motion carried.

Glass moved; Riley seconded to approve the proposal by Michigan Power Wash to power wash the township building for \$985.79. Roll Call: Aye Murray, Riley, Adams, Glass, Markley. Nay 0. Motion carried.

Riley moved; Adams seconded to approve Rob Root's request to tap the Maple Trees at Union Plains Cemetery each year. Roll Call: Aye Riley, Adams, Glass, Markley, Murray. Nay 0. Motion carried.

Glass moved; Riley seconded to have the Ambulance Public Hearing regarding 2026 rates on October 6, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. Aye 5, Nay 0. Motion carried.

Riley moved; Markley seconded to approve Perrin Construction's Change Order in the amount of \$1,800 for the South gable "fake cedar shakes" siding. Roll Call: Aye Glass, Markley, Murray, Riley, Adams. Motion carried.

Building Discussion: Doors were discussed as well as progress of the project.

Dumpster Day May 10, 2025 was discussed.

Extended Public Comment: None

Possible Blight Funds was mentioned.

Timbertec Tree Service will be looking at the trees in Union Plains Cemetery and making a recommendation for maintenance of trees.

The next regular board meeting will be Monday June 2, 2025 at 7:30 p.m.

Meeting Adjourned 8:06 p.m.

Shirley Riley, Clerk

Approved: Shirley Riley

Dated: 6-2-2025