Guthrie Township

Hubbard County Minnesota

Monthly Board Meeting Minutes

 January 14, 2025

The Guthrie Town Board held its regular monthly meeting at the Town Hall on January 14, 2025. In attendance Bryan Delaney (Supervisor), Ryan Johnson (Supervisor), Michael Schmidt (Supervisor-Chair), Rebecca Theis (Treasurer) and Amanda Fallgren (Clerk) and Jakki Blom (Deputy Clerk). Also in attendance was Ivy Knoshaug. The meeting was called to order at 8:00 PM and was opened with the pledge.

The Clerk read the minutes of the December monthly meeting as submitted by Amanda Fallgren. The minutes were approved as read.

The Treasurer provided the Treasurer’s report. Treasurer’s report approved as read. Clerk and Treasurer’s books agree.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Mike is still waiting to receive information from Joanna Hammerstrom at Helga Township, in regards to the speaking resolution they have adopted.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

Bryan Delaney and Ryan Johnson took oath’s of office for supervisor positions.

Bill for Lakeport Fire will put fire fund in the negative – Mike mentioned using the interest fund to cover the difference. A motion was made by Mike Schmidt and seconded by Bryan Delaney to transfer $700 from the interest fund to the fire fund.

Ryan Johnson made a motion and Bryan Delaney seconded to make Mike Schmidt Supervisor Chair.

Mike contacted Joanna from Helga and talked on the phone. She was able to give a description of their process - 2 minutes warning to state case and then up to the board’s discretion as to when to stop the discussion. People must sign up to address the board before the meeting starts. Mike is recommending we implement this (not necessary to enforce). Ryan would like to review other township ordinances before making an official decision.

Board of Appeals and Equalization preliminary meeting scheduled for April 15th at 10 a.m.

A review was made of the proposed monthly meeting dates for 2025 and updates were made as needed.

Mileage rate for 2025 has increased to $0.70 a mile.

A copy of the annual township noxious weed report due March 31st was given to the supervisors for review. Mike will call Greg and inquire about noxious weed training date.

Board of Audit February 25th, 2025 at 7 p.m.

Annual Meeting March 11th, 2025 at 7 p.m.

Regular meeting March 12th, 2025 at 8 p.m.

The **Next Regular Meeting will be held on February 25, 2025 at 8:00 P.M.**

A motion to pay bills and to adjourn the meeting was made by Mike Schmidt and Ryan Johnson seconded the motion.

Submitted by: Jakki Blom