INTERIOR TOWNSHIP MEETING
Agenda May 11th, 2026
Township Hall – 6:00 P.M.
140 Division Street, Trout Creek, MI 49967
Phone: 906-852-3415

1. Call to Order 18:03
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call
    a. Present: Supervisor Nikki Laitala, Treasurer Melanie Pelkola, Trustee Kris Peltola, Clerk Wade Boan, Trustee Paul Besonen
    b. Absent: none
4. Supervisor's Report
    a. Water Software: G works. first year $9,900. $4,400 a year after that.
        i. Looking for something closer to $1,200 per year.
    b. Folding Machine: $1,300
5. Public Comment (3 min)
    a. Roger: finishing tree removals at park. Need stain for walkway and paint for pumphouse.
        i. Legion is going to remove their shed from the park property.
    b. Tim Peacy: will be able to do tree removal soon. Would like to go out with Roger and Paul to discuss what is needed.
6. Approval of the Meeting Minutes of the Previous Meeting
    a. Motion to approve minutes by Nikki, Seconded by Kris. Motion carried.
7. Approval of Agenda
    a. Motion made by Wade, Second by Kris. Motion carried.
8. New Business
        i. Dale Petts: Water Service
            1. Old Mill Town Rd. No water line right now. Would like water to his house. Would have to run the water line under the road.
                a. Will look into prices for install and road repair and discuss further.
        ii. Millages: Renewal of Fire OM, Fire Equipment, and Cemetery millages at August election. Increase of Park millage from 0.3 to 0.5 mills at August election.
            1. Resolution 05112026-01
                a. AYE: Paul Besonen, Melanie Pelkola, Nikki Laitala, Wade Boan
                b. Nay: None

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c. Absent: Kris Peltola (Had to leave meeting early)

2. Motion made by Melanie, second by Nikki to give clerk permission to make amendments to resolution, other that millage rates, in order to meet requirements for submission. Motion carried.

9. Reports
    a. Clerk's Report: ET-C bond passed
    b. BOR: No report
    c. Planning Commission: Meeting on Thursday 5/14 going through Recreation Plan.
    d. Water Report:
    e. Sewage Report: Cell 2 drained. No issues. Cell 1 will be drained after Memorial Day.
10. Treasurer's Report
    a. Approval of Expenditures
        i. Motion made to accept treasurer's report and approve expenditures by Nikki, second by Paul. Motion carried.
    b. Deputy Treasurer
        i. Pam Besonen has stepped down as deputy treasurer. Jeanne Harris has agreed to accept the position.
11. Old Business
    a. Water Bills: 5 letters delinquency
12. Public Comment (3 min)
13. Adjournment. 19:42