

Bloomer Township Regular Meeting July 21, 2025

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 PM by Trustee Larry Hummel at Bloomer Township Hall, 9890 E. Carson City Rd, Carson City, MI. Present for roll call were Colleen Schneider, Tara Chapko, Dana Gonzales, Larry Hummel arriving a few minutes after Dan Ryan.

Addition to agenda: none

Motion by Schneider, 2nd by Gonzales to accept the minutes of the June 16, 2025 regular meeting as presented. Carried.

Fire Department: Mark Crawfis reported. 2 reported calls for the month, total of 39 to date, Chief attended 5 meetings with 2 members becoming certified. Reported on Maintenance, fire training and personnel, we are down 1 who has moved from the area.

County Commissioner: Chris Johnston reported. June-Held a public hearing for a Crystal resident. Had staffing request, July-Mutual aid request for ambulance, homeland inter government grant, started budget discussions.

Citizens Comments: Had an inquiry about the poor conditions of Mt. Hope Rd and if the road commission is finished with it. Inquiry about Evolve/Consumers planning on wind turbines in Bloomer. Public hearing sponsored by Consumers Wednesday the 23rd at A Little Patch of Heaven.

Clerks Report: Tara Chapko reported. Sent out variance paperwork for sign for Taco Bell. Confirmed BOA date for August 5th at 7pm. Received notice from Point Broadband they are selling their company. Talked to Joni about trail wants to have me come to the Aug 19th city meeting. Quarterly report. Reconfigured vote closet, received request from Nan on Well head. Talked to Dave about running wire for camera. Handled general business. Motion by Hummel, 2nd by Schneider to accept as presented. Motion carried.

Motion by Hummel, 2nd by Gonzales to pay bills totaling \$44352.20. Motion carried.

Treasurers Report: Colleen Schneider reported. After all known bills and utilities clear available funds will be \$1,234,961.23. Motion by Chapko, 2nd by Hummel to accept report as presented. Motion carried.

Zoning Administrator: Tony Brown reported. 6-17 zoning permit Baes, 6-27 permit sign/flagpole 7-6 Variance for sign Taco Bell 7-11 Had 2 land split applications, Permit for barn 7-15 4 sign permits. Have had inquiry on tiny homes square footage.

Planning Commission: Doug reported. Next meeting will be July 8, 2025 at 7pm.

Sexton and Maintenance: Issac Torres reported. 6-18 foundation, 6-21 mowed Township, 6-22 cemetery weed whipped/mowed, 6-29 Cemetery and township mow/weed whipped. 7-16 weed whipped cemetery, 7-18 sprayed parking lot at hall, 7-20 mowed township.

Unfinished business: Have had several requests again from residents asking for a walking path from Carson city Park to Garlock Rd. Will check with city about their parks and rec plan. Will try to attend August meeting.

New Business: none

Announcements: BOA August 5, 2025 at 7pm

Motion by Ryan, 2nd by Chapko for adjournment at 8:41 pm. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted, Tara Chapko, clerk

