

Hobart Township Monthly Meeting
August 12, 2025

Present: Larry Hoffmann, Scott Ehlke, Tim Hockett, Kathy Glawe, Russ Berstler, Carol Anderson, Steve Moe, Dan Howell, and Torey Sonnenberg

Chairman Hoffmann called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Ehlke made a motion to approve the Minutes from the July 2025 meeting. Hockett second. All in favor. Motion Carried.

Ehlke made a motion to approve the Treasurer's report as presented. Hockett second. All in favor. Motion Carried.

Ehlke made a motion to approve the disbursements as presented. Hockett second. All in favor. Motion Carried.

The board discussed an email request for installing a "SLOW - Children at play" sign. The Township engineer stated in an email that watch for Children and similar signs are not approved as an accepted sign nationally or in Minnesota and have been removed from the MnDOT recommended sign list. Federal studies have found that drivers do not respond to them or others like Deer Crossing signs which identify intermittent potential hazards. Hobart Township will not be installing these types of signs.

Carol Anderson voiced concern on pot holes in the road at Big Oak Loop and Big Oak Trail. The board will look into these concerns.

Dan Howell asked about the progress with the culvert clean out on East Lake 7 Rd. Torey Sonnenberg stated that a request for a locate was submitted and that work will most likely take place the week of August 18th.

Supervisor Ehlke made a motion to delegate the its registration authority for the retail sale of cannabis and lower-potency edibles to Otter Tail County. Supervisor Hockett second. All in favor. Motion Carried.

Since there was no further business to come before the Board, Chairman Hoffmann adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully Submitted
Russ Berstler, Clerk