

Hobart Township Monthly Meeting  
April 14, 2026

Present: Larry Hoffmann, Scott Ehlke, Tim Hockett, Kathy Glawe, Russ Berstler, Ray Sailer, Steve Moe, Steve Knuttila, Matthew Hanson, 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 Reorganization meeting. Hockett second. All in favor. Motion Carried.

Hockett made a motion to approve the Minutes from the March 2026 meeting. Ehlke second. All in favor. Motion Carried.

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

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

Matt Hanson appeared before the board with a request to renew Spanky's Liquor license for another year. The board approved.

Steve Knuttila asked the board when the ditch work at S Rose Lake Rd was scheduled to be completed. Torrey Sonnenberg stated that ditch work will be completed by Memorial Day. The board will review the scope of work during the 2026 Road Tour.

Ray Sailer said he could not attend the informational meeting on the Heartland Trail scheduled for Thursday, April 16. He gave his input to the board.

The board reviewed the minutes from the April 8, 2026 special meeting with Edna Township on the 460<sup>th</sup> St project. Ehlke made a motion to approve the minutes. Hoffmann Second. All in favor. Motion Carried. Edna Township will need to approve the minutes.

The board discussed the option for the 460<sup>th</sup> St project that APEX Engineering had sent out. Ehlke made a motion to go with option 2, full depth reclamation with a 4 inches overlay of blacktop. (two, 2" lifts) and to proceed with the project in 2026. Hoffmann second. All in favor. Motion carried. Edna Township will need to approve at their next board meeting.

Hoffman made a motion to approve the March 23, 2026 amendment to the Perham Area EMS Joint Powers Agreement changing section 6.1 Amendments to read: "The Board may recommend to the Parties amendments to the Joint Powers Agreement. Amendments to the Agreement shall be introduced at a regular Board meeting, after first having all Parties served a notice of such amendment 45 days in advance. The Board shall act by 3/4 majority vote to approve any and all amendments to the Agreement. Upon passage of a vote to amend the Agreement by the Board, the Agreement shall be considered amended." Ehlke second. All in favor. Motion carried.

Approved

The 2026 Annual Road Tour was set for Saturday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>. The board will meet at the town hall at 8:00 am to start the tour.

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

Respectfully Submitted  
Russ Berstler, Clerk