

**SAGOLA TOWNSHIP BOARD
REGULAR MEETING
Sagola Community Bldg.
August 4, 2025**

MINUTES [Approved]

Ryan Mulder, Supervisor, called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Members Present: Supervisor Ryan Mulder, Clerk Julie Roell, Treasurer Marissa Berg, Trustees Luke Fleming, David Roell

Moved by J. Roell, supported by Mulder, to approve the agenda as written. *MOTION CARRIED*

Master Plan surveys; mowing of ditches

Moved by Mulder, supported by Berg, to approve the 7/7/25 Regular Meeting Minutes and Election Commission Minutes *MOTION CARRIED*

Moved by J. Roell, supported by Fleming, to contract with UP Propane at \$1.699 for pre-buy LP gas. *MOTION CARRIED*
Ryan will call around to check on other prices.

Moved by J. Roell, supported by Fleming, to pay special bills: Steve Thone Trucking (\$1403) gravel for cemetery and Channing Park; Esri (\$700) assessor mapping; Oshkosh Fire & Police (\$452) FD siren; Home Depot (\$1157) maint. supplies; Pat Charlier (\$856) Newberg Park maint., and all regular bills. *MOTION CARRIED*

No report from Marissa.

Topics mentioned: cemetery fence, credit card policy, handicap swing, grants for Newberg Park.

Luke has the railroad ties and will formulate a plan for displaying the bell.

David met with WE Energies at Newberg Park to discuss potential electrical upgrades for grant work. Brooks Electric requested a park map and Rand and Kurt are working on it.

Moved by J. Roell, supported by M. Berg, to accept the \$500 assessing upgrade of township. *MOTION CARRIED*

Moved by J. Roell, supported by Mulder, to renew Amy Bucek's annual assessor contract at the same rate of pay. *MOTION CARRIED*

CALL TO ORDER: 6:00 pm

ROLL CALL

All Present

AGENDA *Approved*

PUBLIC COMMENT

Comments Opened: 6:04 p.m.

Comments Closed: 6:07 p.m.

MINUTE APPROVAL

6/2/25 Meeting Minutes *Approved*

OFFICIALS REPORTS

Clerk/Julie Roell

UP Propane Pre-Buy \$1.699 *Approved*

Special & Regular Bills *Approved*

Treasurer/Marissa Berg

Supervisor/Ryan Mulder

Trustee/Luke Fleming

Trustee/David Roell

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Assessor/Amy Bucek

Mapping Upgrade \$500 *Approved*

A. Bucek's Contract *Approved*

Dan reported two page-outs.

Pam submitted her monthly report to be included in these Minutes and a Planning Commission Meeting is scheduled for 8/25/25 to review the Master Plan survey results.

Travis submitted his monthly maintenance report which is included in these Minutes.

John was not present as he was working out of town.

Ryan will speak with Steve Tinti regarding advertising of the Olson Lot in Channing with stipulations to build a home on it, not just for storage.

Lot 15 adjacent to Cuculi Bar has been sold to the bar owners.

Channing Park had gravel delivered for a portion of the road. R&A has not upheld their portion of the contract.

Research regarding a Siding Ordinance and Noise Ordinance is ongoing.

Moved by Mulder, supported by J. Roell, to contribute \$1000 towards milfoil treatment at Sawyer Lake to the Sawyer Lake Association.
MOTION CARRIED

Moved by J. Roell, supported by Berg, to make the final payment of \$67,708.36 to Bacco Construction to complete the sewer project.
MOTION CARRIED

Moved by J. Roell, supported by Mulder, to spend up to \$10,000 for crack sealing on the Cemetery Road, O&M, and the Fire Hall.
MOTION CARRIED

Moved by J. Roell, supported by Fleming, to approve the annual STAR contract with the same terms.
MOTION CARRIED

Mindy Meyers, Dickinson Area Economic Dev. Alliance, was present to explain services that are available for our township. An October 18th event is in the planning stages to be held at the Channing bus garage. Donations of pumpkins are being sought for children to paint.

Moved by J. Roell, supported by Mulder, to approve the Sagola Senior Center to use the township hall at no charge on a monthly basis for fundraising for the center.
MOTION CARRIED

Several trees in the cemetery need to be removed. The trees need to be marked and bids sought for removal.

Fire Dept./Dan Simondsen, Chief

Zoning Adm./Pam Minerick

Maintenance / Travis Kuffel

Enforcement Officer/John DuBuis

OLD BUSINESS
Olson Lot in Channing – Sell

Channing Lot #15 - Sold

Channing Park Projects

Siding & Noise Ordinances

Sawyer Lk Milfoil Donation
\$1000 ***Approved***

Bacco Final Payment
\$67,708.36 ***Approved***

Seal Coat Pavement
\$10,000 Cemetery, O&M, FD
Approved

STAR Annual Contract
Approved

PUBLIC COMMENT
Comments Opened: 7:10 p.m.
Comments Closed: 7:15 p.m.

BOARD PRIVILEGE
No Charge to Rent / Sagola Center
Approved

Moved by J. Roell, supported by Mulder to adjourn the 8/4/25 Meeting at 7:16.m.

MOTION CARRIED

Minutes Submitted by:

Julie Roell, Clerk

Date

ADJOURNMENT

7:16 PM