

THE REGULAR BOARD MEETING OF FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP

HELD AT 9809 N M-18 GLADWIN MI 48624

APRIL 16, 2026

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Supervisor Erskine, Treasurer Scherrer, Clerk Schultz, Trustee Haley, Trustee Ecklin

VISITORS PRESENT: Eric Schultz, David Hoefling, Margaret and Roy Streeter, Marty Neighbors, Betty Libbey, Erie High, Bill Simpson

MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 6:32pm. The Pledge of Allegiance was said by all.

CLERKS REPORT: A motion was made by Scherrer to approve the minutes. Supported by Ecklin. Motion passed.

TREASURERS REPORT: GENERAL FUND: \$484,956.51 RUBBISH FUND: \$88,158.83 ROAD: \$707,241.78

The CD at Mercantile Bank will roll over at 3.55%. A motion to pay the bills was made by Scherrer. Supported by Ecklin. Motion Passed. A motion to accept the Treasurers report was made by Ecklin. Supported by Haley. Motion passed.

ROAD COMMISSION: Bill Simpson- Forest Road on hold for now because of the rain. Will be back on it when it dries out. There are 4 roads closed right now because of flooding. Clare County has been included in the Governor's disaster declaration. The projected move in date for the CCRC building is July. They are planning an open house. The road commission received the first gas tax check.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER: David Hoefling-The county may have a recycling center/transfer station come in. Free to anyone in the county for recycling. There will be a charge for trash. The facility will be by the airport and has the support of Hayes Township. There are a few bills in the House right now. 55-81, 55-82 and 55-85. They are for state control vs local control over zoning. The County Commissioners sent a letter of opposition to these bills. Update on the Sally Port at the county jail. The cost is \$206,905.24

ELBOW LAKE: They are overjoyed that the lake is filling up. there are a couple of docks in.

FRANKLIN ESTATES: Nothing to report this month.

SUPERVISOR: The Assessor has asked that the township not do anything to the website until after her audit. There have been a couple of complaints in the Cornwell area. People living in campers and blight. The supervisor is going to call Martin Heating and Cooling to repair the furnace.

CHECKS:

CK#9333-JACKIE ECKLIN-\$160.30	CK#9342-DTE-\$155.88	
CK#9334-ED ERSKINE-\$1206.07	CK#9343-MVW-\$1100.00	
CK#9335-THERESE HALEY-\$216.88	CK#9344-SANDY SCHERRER-\$116.55	
CK#9336-SANDY SCHERRER-\$1294.87	CK#9345-SHELLY SCHULTZ-\$60.00	
CK#9337-SHELLY SCHULTZ-\$1452.11	CK#9346-STATE OF MI-\$930.51	
CK#9338-CALEB STENGER-\$188.34	CK#9347-US TREASURY-\$1692.52	
CK#9339-CITY OF HARRISON-\$40994.08	CK#9348-VOID	
CK#9340-CLEAVER-\$43.00	AT&T-\$238.54	
CK#9341-CONSUMERS-\$285.41	BANK FEE-\$7.00	TOTAL-\$50142.06

There was no other business. A motion to adjourn was made by Haley. Supported by Ecklin. Motion passed.

The meeting ended at 7:34 pm

CLERK _____ SUPERVISOR _____

