

ARVON TOWNSHIP REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

JULY 6, 2026 DRAFT

CALL TO ORDER: Supervisor Jay Fish called the Regular Board meeting to order at 6:00 P.M. at the Arvon Township Fire Hall on July 6, 2026.

ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS PRESENT: Jay Fish-Supervisor, Lisa Marinich-Clerk, Krystal Eliason-Treasurer, Robert Janda-Trustee, Keith Erickson-Trustee.

MINUTES APPROVAL: Erickson motioned, seconded by Janda to approve June 1, 2026 minutes. All in favor, motion passed.

AGENDA APPROVAL: Fish requested "Skanee Rd" and "Vick's Rd" under "Old Business". With the two additions Janda motioned, seconded by Eliason to approve the agenda. All in favor, motion passed.

PUBLIC COMMENT: Pat Janik asked Marinich about the FOIA letter she has requested. Marinich let her know that the letter has not been located.

OLD BUSINESS: Strohshein let the board know that the Planning Commission will be meeting on July 23rd. Short term rentals will be on the agenda. She let the board know that the permits people print out on the Township website are not clear enough to read, she would like to find a software that would work better.

-Fish let the board know he met with Jurmu Engineering at the fire hall. Jurmu went through the building and it is sound. May have mold issues in the one back wall. He recommends a total tear off for the roof. Erickson motioned, seconded by Eliason to put an ad in the paper after Jurmu sends the details. All in favor, motion passed.

-The board is looking at hiring a new attorney to represent the Township. After discussion, Erickson motioned, seconded by Janda to approve Foster & Swift out of Grand Rapids Michigan to represent the Township, hourly rate for services provided to the Township will be \$285.00 per hour. All in favor, motion passed. Fish signed the engagement letter and Marinich will mail it out next day.

NEW BUSINESS: Fish explained that the driveway culverts are complete on the designated part of the Skanee Rd and the cross culverts are next and may make for delays.

JIM FEDIE: Fedie let the board know that the L4029 will be done for next month's meeting.

MAIL CALL:

TREASURERS REPORT: Eliason gave the monthly Treasurer's Report. General Fund-\$321,410.89, Ambulance/EMT Fund-\$50,238.91, Fire Fund-\$497,417.02, Liquor Fund-\$716.29,

Road Fund-\$102,844.06. Erickson motioned, seconded by Janda, to approve the Treasurer's Report. All in favor, motion passed.

BILL APPROVAL: Eliason motioned, seconded by Erickson to approve the bills. All in favor, motion passed.

NEXT MEETING DATE: The next meeting date will be August 3, 2026 at 6:00 P.M. at the Arvon Township Fire Hall.

ADJOURN: Marinich motioned, seconded by Erickson to adjourn at 6:45 P.M. All in favor, motion passed

Lisa M. Marinich/Arvon Township Clerk