St. Lawrence Township
Monthly Meeting
January 9, 2025

Officers Present
Chairman Ted Kornder, Supervisor Les Quatmann (by zoom), Supervisor Ron Symanitz, Treasurer Amy Mullen and Clerk Ramona Bischof

Officers Absent None

Called to Order
The regular monthly meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Ted Kornder. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Oath of office for Ron Symanitz, Supervisor and Ramona Bischof, Clerk was taken.

Minutes
The minutes of the monthly meeting on December 12, 2024, were reviewed. Motion by Ted and seconded by Ron to approve the minutes. No further discussion. Motion carried by all.

Treasurer's Report
Amy Mullen presented the Treasurer's report. She stated that in the month of December we had income of $128,922.17. Balance of $2,172.42 in checking and $490,582.68 in savings. Also, have three certificates of deposit with Old National Bank with balances of $122,813.70, $25,152.92 and $21,990.69. We have one certificate of deposit with Frandsen Bank for $26,170.20. Total $688,882.61. Amy went over budget items and overage and underages. Motion by Ron and seconded by Les to approve treasurer's report. No further discussion. Motion carried by all.

Bills to be paid January 9, 2025:

Ted Kornder	Sal/Mtgs. Dec.	$ 525.00
Ted Kornder	Labor – pickup junk	$ 100.00
Les Quatmann	Sal/Mtgs. Dec.	$ 475.00
Ron Symanitz	Sal/Mtgs. Dec.	$ 475.00
Amy Mullen	Sal/Mtgs. Dec.	$ 800.00
Ramona Bischof	Sal/Mtgs. Dec.	$ 925.00
Ramona Bischof	Reimbursed Expenses	$ 20.00
MVEC	Electric	$ 48.84
Taxes	Monthly Taxes	$ 358.40
PERA	Monthly PERA	$ 160.00
Dvorak Excavating	Blade roads, salt and sand	$6,238.00
Couri & Ruppe	Legal Expenses	$1,258.75
Scott County	TNT Postage Allocation	$ 77.90
Ag Partners	LP Propane	$ 104.62
MN Assn of Twps	2025 Dues	$ 494.24

Motion by Ron and seconded by Ted approve bills to be paid. No further discussion. Motion carried by all.

Permits:

Marty Preusser from Pentagon Materials was present to request a recommendation for an amendment to the Schultz Mine IUP. Discussion ensued about amending changes to the IUP to expand up to 86 acres. All information was reviewed. They are planning to mine as much of the 86 acres as they can. They will go into a series of four stages. Motion by Les and seconded by Ron to approve. No further discussion. Motion carried. Ted abstained from voting.

New Business:

Scott County Permit Report for December 2024 – 2 permits

Scott County Sheriff's Report for December 2024 – Report was short. For informational purposes.

St. Lawrence Code Enforcement Report – No report

Township Day at the Capital – Monday, January 27, 2025, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

MN Association of Townships – December 2024 Newsletter – for informational purposes.

Special Assessment Roll Letter of Certification – Mona completed and sent back to Scott County.

MMCD – Summary of work completed for 2024 – for informational purposes.

Scott County Board of Commissioners 2025 Committee Assignments – for informational purposes.

Boundary and Annexation Survey – need to complete by March 1st. Mona needs input as to whether the boundaries need to be corrected. Will plan to look at this on February 5th after the annual audit meeting.

Schmitz/Stocker – rezoning and split of property – Mona received an e-mail from Holly and Jason Stocker. She is working with her parents (Brian and Sandra Schmitz) on rezoning their parcel into 3–40-acre parcels. The property is in a living trust. They have reached out to Scott County about the rezoning permits but want to know if they need to do anything with the township. She also stated that they are hoping to build on one of the 40-acre parcels one the rezoning is complete. Ted stated that we will need information from them once they contact Scott County and start the process as they will have to go to a DRT meeting. They will have to determine how they will do the split. Best would be for them to go to Marty Schmitz or Greg Wagner to start the process.

Old Business:

Update on Cannabis Ordinances – Mona reached out to Brad Davies, and he sent an e-mail back stating that what we want is what they are doing. Brad stated that the county board would be taking action to adopt Ordinance No. 37 that will cover St. Lawrence Township and the other nine townships. This

ordinance will do exactly what St. Lawrence Township wishes of not having cannabis in the township if the 13-limit countywide limit is met. We also do not need to adopt our own ordinance on this matter.

Website update – Tyler plans to have the website down in the next week.

City of Jordan update:

Mona received a letter from the City of Jordan that they have initiated the annexation of southern half of 190th St and the right of way to Beaumont Ave. For informational purposes only.

City of Belle Plaine update – no update.

MN DOT Update – the underpass in Belle Plaine is finally being repaired.

Road Maintenance Report – Roads have been good. Very little snow. Roads look to be holding up very nicely. Les stated that Carr's had contacted him as they are available to do work now and so Les gave him Ted number to contact him and start trimming.

Notices/Public Comments:

City of Belle Plaine Rural Fire Annual Meeting – Monday, January 27, 2025, at 7 p.m. at the Belle Plaine Library

Annual Audit meeting – Wednesday, February 5, 2025, at 6 p.m. at townhall.

MAT District 4 Special Election Meeting – Thursday, February 6, 2025, at 7:00 p.m. at Church of Shieldsville, Faribault, MN

Next regular meeting – Thursday, February 13, 2025, at 7 p.m. at townhall.

Township Annual Meeting – Tuesday, March 11, 2025, at 7 p.m. at townhall

March regular meeting – Thursday, March 13, 2025, at 7 p.m. at townhall

Closed session with assigned counsel pursuant to Minn Stat 13D.05 subd. 3 - cancelled

Motion by Ron and seconded by Ted to adjourn the meeting. No further discussion. Motion carried by all. The meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Submitted by: Ramona Bischof
Ramona Bischof, Clerk

Approved by: Ted Kornder
Ted Kornder, Chairman