

BARRY TOWNSHIP

STATUS: APPROVED
As presented 8-12-2025

Barry Township Hall
155 E. Orchard St.
Delton, Michigan, 49046

REGULAR MEETING
July 8, 2025
7:00 p.m.

Supervisor Bower called the Regular Meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.
Those present stood and stated the Pledge of Allegiance to the United States of America.

ROLL CALL:

Board Members Present:

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| Barry Bower | Supervisor |
| Judy Wooer | Treasurer |
| Debra Knight | Clerk |
| Lee Campbell | Trustee |
| Don White | Trustee |

Absent: None.

MINUTES

The Regular meeting minutes for June 10, 2025 were presented to members for approval.
MOTION by L. Campbell, second by D. White, to approve the meeting minutes as presented.
ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.

TREASURERS REPORT:

The Treasurers report for period ending 6-30-2025 was presented to members.

ADDITION TO THE AGENDA

MOTION by J. Wooer, second by D. Knight to add (1) addition to the agenda. 1. Billing to Drain Commissioner. **ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.**

LIMITED PUBLIC COMMENT: L. Osborne stated the Peace Poles will be installed on the corner of the walkway 7-11-2025.

UPDATE WITH COUNTY COMMISSIONER: Commissioner Jackson updated members on matters brought before the commissioners.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

HICKORY FIRE: Total of 23 calls to service. 13 MFR. 10 general.

FIRE: \$6,982.50

MFR: \$3,154.00

SN: \$ 1,305.00

MOTION by D. Knight, second by J. Wooer to approve the above payroll as presented. **ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.**

DELTON FIRE: 32 calls to service. 9 calls in Barry Township.

FIRE: \$ 3,933.00

MFR: \$ 969.00

MOTION by J. Wooer, second by L. Campbell to approve the payroll as presented. **ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.**

POLICE: 121 calls to service in June 2025.

DELTON DISTRICT LIBRARY: J. Wooer updated members on events scheduled at the library.

CEMETERY: No report.

GULL LAKE SEWER: Meeting dates changed from the 3rd Monday to the 3rd Thursday of each month.

MUSIC IN THE PARK: Watch for events being held this summer!

SWBCSA: No report.

BARRY TWP WATER TOWER:

REVITALIZE DELTON:

LIFECARE: No report.

AGENDA: NEW BUSINESS

BARRY COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (BCCEDA): MOTION by D. Knight, second by L. Campbell to contract with BCCEDA for successive one-year terms. BCCEDA will provide comprehensive infrastructure planning support, including broadband, housing, and transportation. Assistance with Local workforce development programs. Development of Municipality – specific economic programs for \$10,000.00. **ROLL CALL VOTE: DK: YES. JW: Yes. LC: Yes. BB: Yes DW: Yes. MOTION CARRIED.**

WATER RATES AMENDMENT: 2025-07 clarifies the water usage rates of \$6.90 on all meters. **MOTION** by J. Wooer, second by D. Knight to adopt resolution 2025-07 as presented. **ROLL CALL VOTE: DK: YES. JW: Yes. LC: Yes. BB: Yes DW: Yes. MOTION CARRIED.**

RETIREMENT: Board discussion was held on the John Hancock retirement account with Acrisure. (Burnham & Flower). Members concerns have not been met. **MOTION** by D. White, second by L. Campbell to approach MERS for information on Retirement accounts. **ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.**

DRAIN COMMISSIONOR WATER BILLING: Board discussion was held on the amount

to charge for the water used by MDOT for the M-43 drain.

LIMITED PUBLIC COMMENT: Revitalize Delton.

AUTHORIZE MAY BILLS AND ACCEPT THE CHECK REGISTER: Motion by J. Wooer second by L. Campbell to approve the bills for JULY as presented and the check register for all checks dated 6-11-2025 thru 7-8-2025. **ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.**

Supervisor Bower asked for any further discussion, hearing none.

MOTION by L. Campbell seconded by D. White to adjourn this regular meeting at 8:05 p.m.
ALL AYES. MOTION CARRIED.

ADJOURNED.

Respectfully Submitted,

Debra J. Knight, Barry Township Clerk