

OVERISEL TOWNSHIP
Board of Trustees Monthly Meeting
3/11/2025

Call to Order: Supervisor Lisa Russcher called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm and Koopman opened with prayer.

Members Present: Lisa Russcher, Lori Scholten, Rachel Hoeve, Josh Groenheide and Ben Koopman.

Al Co Commissioner: Craig VanBeek gave a report. Allegan Co. Transportation is adding 2 busses. There is a need for more transportation, housing, and outdoor recreation

Minutes: The Feb 11 Board meeting minutes were read and presented for approval. Motion made by Groenheide and supported by Hoeve for approval. Motion Carried.

Financial Statement was presented for information.

Treasurer Hoeve gave a report.

Overisel Fire Department: Fire Chief Kooienga reported 13 calls for Feb.

Overisel/Fillmore Deputy: Deputy Chen reported a total of 77 calls for Feb; 36 for Overisel and 41 for Fillmore.

Zoning Report: Groenheide reported 2 houses approved to be built. Working on final draft of Zoning book. Public will have 30 days to view before Public Hearing.

Supervisor: Russcher reported the Monitoring Well at the Transfer Station will be drilled late March or early April. Gave an update on the Blight issue. Discussion on future road projects.

Clerk: Scholten reported the Special Election May 6, 2025 will be held at the Township Hall. OAISD and Zeeland Schools will have proposals on the ballot. There are no early voting days for this election.

Motions:

1. A motion was made by Hoeve and supported by Koopman to approve the budget amendments as presented. Motion Carried
2. A motion was made by Hoeve and supported by Koopman to approve Fireman's equipment needs list for \$24,500. Motion Carried.
3. A motion was made by Groenheide and supported by Koopman to approve supporting Lakeshore Advantage with \$1,250. Motion Carried.
4. A motion was made by Hoeve and supported by Koopman to approve having a maintenance agreement written for the berm at Bentheim school parking lot. Motion Carried.
5. A motion was made by Groenheide and supported by Hoeve to pay the bills as presented. Motion Carried.
6. A motion was made by Hoeve and supported by Koopman that the meeting stand adjourned. Motion Carried.

Next Meeting: of the Overisel Township Board of trustees will be Tuesday, April 8, 2023 at 7:30 pm in the Overisel Township hall.

Lori Scholten, Clerk