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May 1 2019 TOWN BOARD ACTIONS

The monthly meeting was **CALLED TO ORDER** at 7:02 pm by Chair Jim Ray. Also, present were: Deb Pawlowicz, Tim Wagner. Walter Rapp. Bill O'Brien, treasurer, Diane Palmstein and Mary Skafte, clerks present. Clay Cich was absent. 16 individuals stood with the Board to recite the Pledge of the Allegiance. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** April 3, 2019 meeting minutes reviewed by the Board, Diane Palmstein/clerk explained addendum to minutes after clarification was made with TAG Handyman Services for mowing quote. Jim made motion to accept Walter Rapp seconded, April 3, 2019 minutes without correction but addendum added. YEAS: 4 ABSENT: 1 **MOTION PASSED.** **TREASURER'S REPORT:** Presented monthly reconciliation, funds available as of \$419,563.04 which includes \$150,000.00 in CDs. 1 CD renewal on 5/22/19, Bill O'Brien would like to look into best possible rates for renewal, Deb Pawlowicz made motion to reinvest CD with best possible rates, Tim Wagner seconded. YEAS: 4 ABSENT: 1. **MOTION PASSED.** **CORRESPONDENCE:** 15 total: 4 mail and 11 e-mails were received and reviewed by the Board. **REVIEW OF BILLS:** No corrections. Jim Ray made motion to accept check #9681-9696, totaling \$28,127.31, Deb Pawlowicz seconded. YEAS: 4 ABSENT: 1. **MOTION PASSED.** **REPORTS:** **Clerk** – Clerks presented salary survey done in end of year 2018 by Solway Township for clerks/treasurers/recycle attendants. Contacted MAT attorney, Steve Fenske regarding Township supervisor vacancies which are at the discretion of the Board to fill. Also, an absence would count from the first meeting missed. Sandy Rock from group exercises at the Township had questions regarding liability insurance, MATIT was contacted, coverage for the Township was clarified and it was recommended that a year long rental reservation be signed and groups have participants sign a waiver/consent form, which is being done and we will keep a copy in the office. A group wanted to rent Town Hall for a craft/vendor fair, Town Board felt this should be treated as any other rental. **Road Report** – Annual Road Review for Township, May 7, 2019 at 6:00 pm, meet in parking lot of town hall. There is damage from Broadband installation and Century Link will repair, call office to report. A project to ditch and edge on East Hunter Lake Road will be done before the Broadband fiber can be buried on that road, so it will run into possibly the summer before it is buried. **Fire Department** – responded to 4 calls in April, one mutual aide chimney fire, two medical and one automatic fire alarm in private residence. Members participated in Firefighter 1&2 certification classes, EMT recertification, DNR provided training on wildland fire fighting and chainsaw use, MN Fire class on hazards and health concerns for firefighters. Burning Permit restrictions in place in Carlton & South St. Louis, you are only allowed to burn with **"Variance"** permit, issued by the DNR Foresters at Forestry office in Cloquet, Duluth or Floodwood.

Annual Pancake Feed by Fire Dept. on Saturday, May 11 from 7am to noon in the Town Hall. Also, a flyer on Fire Safety around your home. **Cemetery** – grounds have been picked up and cemetery open. **Parks & Rec** – rink tarp too wet to be picked up and stored but will be, weather permitting. **Community Center**- roof leak will be caulked, and old caulk replaced. Fran Williams, Town Hall Garden Club discussed goals of group: plant 2 more trees by playground, mound around flag pole, update flower beds, treat lawn for weeds and nourish beds, redo area around marquee. Walter Rapp had concerns about planting trees because of septic and recommended against. The group will hold a plant/seed swap, gardening items... on Saturday, June 1 from 10 am to 12 noon at the picnic area at Town Hall. Request made by group for \$400 funding for year, Jim Ray made a motion to authorize \$400.00 to the Town Hall Garden Club for 2019, Walter Rapp seconded. YEAS: 4 ABSENT: 1. **MOTION PASSED.** **Recycle Center** – at request of Deb Roach/resident, Deb Pawlowicz is looking into Township Road Clean Up Day, working with local garbage haulers and WLSSD for pick up, more information to come. Shredding Day for Township set for Saturday, May 18 from 9am to noon at the Town Hall parking lot. There is a new financial rep. at WLSSD and grants have been slightly delayed. **Other Meetings**- Local Board of Appeal and Equalization held May 1, 2019 from 1-2pm. Jim Ray attended Annual Reservoir Riders Meeting with DNR. OPEN FORUM: Serena Lake presented and read letter opposing paving of East Cook Lake Road. Patty Monson Geerts presented and read a letter opposing paving of East Cook Lake Road and concerns about road paving process. Steve Monson Geerts read and presented a letter opposing paving of East Cook Lake Road and concerns with road paving process. Nancy Kienzle voiced concerns about upgrades to township roads and valid names on East Cook Lake Road petition. Patty Wheeler questioned why upgrade work was done on Fredenberg Lake Road if paving hadn't been approved yet. OLD BUSINESS: Broadband Update: Public meeting held on April 15, 2019, about 100 residents attended, Mark Swanson/Century Link spoke, provided information on installation, billing/services. Township Road Request for Amundson/Sunset Ridge: update from Shawn Helmer: Road Association working with Township Board to narrow down road compliance/specifications to finalize what that looks like, including additional costs, in order to turn the road over to the Township. East Cook Lake Road Paving Request: Board felt the petition presented was incomplete and nothing further has been presented to the Board. NEW BUSINESS: There will be no second meeting of the Board on May 15, 2019 at 7pm. Jim Ray made motion, Deb Pawlowicz seconded. YEAS: 4 ABSENT: 1. **MOTION PASSED.** Township Record Retention: Resolution 19-007 Authorizing the Transfer of Archived Township Records to the MN State Historical Society was presented and reviewed by the Board. Jim Ray made a motion to adopt Resolution 19-007, Deb Pawlowicz seconded. YEAS: 4 ABSENT: 1. **MOTION PASSED.** Addendum to Adoption of Township General Retention Schedule (June 8, 1989) to update and include media record retention was presented and reviewed by the Board. Jim Ray made a motion to adopt addendum to General Retention Schedule, Deb Pawlowicz seconded. YEAS: 4 ABSENT: 1. **MOTION PASSED.** OTHER MEETINGS: Township Annual Road Review on Tues. May 7, 2019 at 6pm. Fire Dept. Annual Pancake Feed on Saturday, May 11, 2019, 9-12am. Duluth Area Township Meeting on Thursday, May 16, 2019 at Rice Lake Town Hall at 6:30pm. Township Shredding Day, Saturday, May 18, 2019, 9-11am. ADJOURNMENT: Jim Ray made a motion to adjourn meeting, Deb Pawlowicz seconded. **MOTION PASSED.** Meeting adjourned at 8:43pm



BUSINESS OF THE MONTH
EAGLE'S NEST RESORT
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Under new ownership (Rachel Wexler) as of 2/26/19. Please stop in & say hello. We offer a relaxing get away right on Fish Lake. We have a full service bar & restaurant, newly renovated cabins, docks, RV's & boat rentals. We have had a lot of fun this past month with Karaoke, which will continue on the last Saturday of each month (4/27/19 is the next time at 8pm) and live music (next event is May 10 at 7pm). **Mark Banker will be back to play guitar.** Bring your ATV's up on Tuesdays & tour around with other fellow ATV'ers & join us for **Bike Night on Wednesdays.** Also if you are a single musician or band & would like to play here, please contact **Rachel at 218-721-4147.** Visit us on Face book: <https://www.facebook.com/Eaglesnestresortduluth> or website: <https://eaglesnestduluth.com>

MAY ACTIVITIES HAPPENING IN FREDENBERG

STAINED GLASS STEPPING STONE CLASS At the Gnesen Community Center

Mondays: May 6, May 13 & May 20, 2019
6:00 to 8:00 pm

Class fee: \$25.00

Supplies: \$5.00

Please call:

Mary Jo at 218-461-7031 or Mary at 218-391-7424
for a list of materials to bring to class on May 6th or
if you have any questions.

“NEW” SOMA YOGA

Starting **Tuesdays**, March 26 thru May 14, 2019

From 9 am to 10:15am

in Fredenberg Town Hall/Community Center

Instructor: Celeste Kawulok

Cost: \$5/session

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

**DID YOU KNOW THAT THERE IS A
GROUP
PLAYING MAHJONG EVERY TUESDAY
AT 1:00PM
IN THE
UPSTAIRS CLASSROOM AT THE TOWN-
HALL.**

PLEASE COME AND JOIN US
NEW PLAYERS AND EXPERIENCED PLAYERS
WELCOME

Every Tuesday at 1:00pm

**DON'T FORGET
3RD WEDNESDAY OF MONTH**
Fredenberg Woodcarvers & Hobby Group will
begin
meeting at the Fredenberg Town Hall,
upstairs classroom.
From 2pm to 5pm
this month on MAY 15 2019
We want to invite everyone to come share
and
discover your talents.

**NO BOOK CLUB IN MAY
NEXT MEETING JUNE 24, 2019**



The Fredenberg No Shame & No Guilt Book Club will be meeting the **FOURTH MONDAY** OF each month from 7-8 p.m. in the first upstairs classroom at the Fredenberg Town Hall. **JUNE** book is “A Gentleman in Moscow” by Amor Towles. Please enjoy a good read and join us for treats and interesting conversation. Everyone is welcome.

UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED CLASSES HELD AT THE FREDENBERG COMMUNITY CENTER

For more info call Anita at 729-0450
PAY AT THE DOOR AT RESERVOIR RIDERS

Yoga Instructor: Anita Anderson \$5 per class.

Wednesdays - 6:00 – 7:00 pm

Instructor: Sandy Rock

for all classes listed below: \$4/class

Monday

Cardio/Toning/Core 7:00 am

Tuesday

Cardio/Toning/Core 5:30 pm

Wednesday

30/30 Cardio & Core 7:00am

Toning/Core (no cardio) 8:10 am

Thursday

YOGA 9:00-10:00am (Claire, \$8/class)

Friday

Step/Toning/Core 7:00 am

Toning/Core (no cardio) 8:10 am

Saturday

Cardio/Toning/Core 8:00 am



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FREDENBERG SHRED-DAY

Saturday May 18

Here is your chance to shred your old documents safely, securely and for
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Fredenberg Community Center parking lot
9:00 am – 12:00 noon

HAZARDOUS WASTE DAY

**FOR FREDENBERG TOWNSHIP
SATURDAY
JUNE 8, 2019
FROM 11:30AM TO 2:30 PM
AT
TOWN HALL/COMMUNITY CENTER
PARKING LOT**

RECYCLING NEWS

The inside shed is for plastics, glass and cans. The outside dumpsters are for cardboard, news-papers and paper. Cardboard needs to be segregated & has designated dumpsters.

Hours for the Center are:

Wednesday 5 to 8pm

Saturday 9am to 1pm

**PLEASE NOTE
NEW TOWNSHIP
E-MAIL ADDRESS:**

Fredenbergtpw@gmail.com

RECYCLING DROP OFF SITES



MIXED PAPER

- Paper of any color
- Pressboard boxes
- Junk mail
- Magazines
- Newspapers and advertisements
- Shredded paper (must be contained in a paper bag)



CORRUGATED CARDBOARD

- Cardboard with a wavy layer between two pieces of thick paper
- No waxed cardboard



MIXED CONTAINERS

- Rinse all food containers
- Plastic bottles, tubs, jugs, jars, and lids
- Glass bottles and jars
- Steel and aluminum cans
- No film or foam including Styrofoam and plastic bags
- No plastic cups, plates, or utensils
- No buckets
- No motor oil or antifreeze containers
- No take-out, deli, or clamshell containers
- No window glass, ceramics, or drinking glasses
- No scrap metal



FILM PLASTICS

- Film must be clean and dry
- Grocery and retail bags
- Newspaper bags
- Bread bags
- Produce bags
- Paper product packaging wrap
- Pallet and case wrap
- No black plastic bags
- No bubble wrap



Questions? Call WLSSD
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WESTERN LAKE SUPERIOR SANITARY DISTRICT



**IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN!!!
PICKLEBALL IS STARTING**
Beginning May 14th
At the Fredenberg Community Center Courts
5104 Fish Lake Road

**TUESDAYS: 9:00 am to NOON
SATURDAYS: 9:00 am to NOON**

**ALL PLAYERS ARE WELCOMED
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**JUNE 24TH TO 27TH, 2019
DINNER SERVED AT 5:30 pm
PROGRAMMING FROM 6 TO 8 pm**

REGISTER AT: anchorpointchurch.org

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**FREDENBERG TOWN HALL GARDEN CLUB
WILL BE HOLDING A
PLANT/SEED/GARDENING ITEMS SWAP
ON**

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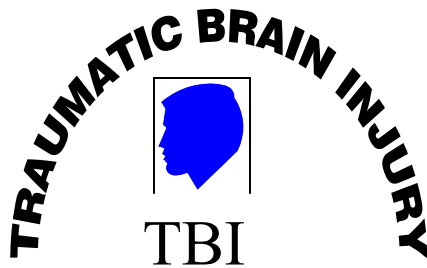
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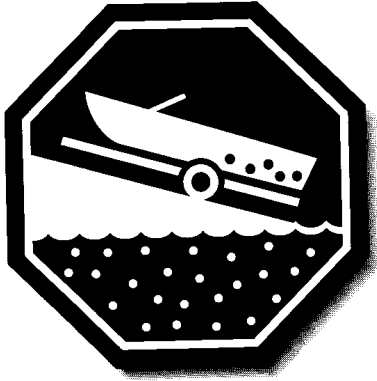
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TOWN BOARD MEETING
WEDNESDAY
June 5, 2019
AT 7:00PM
IN THE FREDENBERG
TOWN BOARD ROOM**