

The Town of Fredenberg, Minnesota, St. Louis County, held the regular Board meeting in the Fredenberg Town Hall on Wednesday, July 1st, 2026, at 7:00 pm.

- 1. Board members present:** Chair Tim Wagner, Supervisor Deb Pawlowicz, Supervisor Jeff Blix, Supervisor Clay Cich, Supervisor Walter Rapp, Clerk Ellen Hanson, Deputy Clerk Kim Wagner.
- 2. Others in attendance:** Three others were in attendance.
- 3. Call to order the regular meeting:** Chair Wagner called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.
- 4. Pledge of Allegiance:** All present stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.
- 5. Approval of the Agenda:** Supervisor Cich motioned to approve the agenda, and Supervisor Pawlowicz seconded the motion. The members took a roll call vote and approved the motion unanimously.
- 6. Open Forum:** There were no speakers.
- 7. Approval of the Minutes**
 - Regular meeting of June 3rd, 2026: Supervisor Blix motioned to approve the June 3rd, 2026, Board of Supervisors meeting minutes as presented, and Chair Wagner seconded the motion. The members took a roll call vote and approved the motion.
- 8. Financial Reports**
 - Treasurer Mahr was not present; Clerk Hanson reported and presented the financial reports.
- 9. Clerk's Report**
 - Clerk Hanson balanced with the bank and provided the claims list and cash balance reports.
 - On June 30th, 2026, the ending balance in the checking account was \$183,165.72. The total of outstanding checks is \$44,223.26. The investment balance amounts to \$316,150.02.
 - Supervisor Cich motioned to approve the financial reports, and Chair Wagner seconded the motion. The members took a roll call vote and approved the motion unanimously.
 - The board reviewed the claims list. Claims numbered from 11176 to 11188 totaled \$23,425.15. Supervisor Blix motioned to approve claims 11176-11188 for \$23,425.15 for payment as presented, and Supervisor Cich seconded the motion. The members took a roll call vote and approved the motion unanimously.
- 10. Correspondence**
 - The correspondence Clerk Hanson read included one piece of mail, and eight emails received during the month.
- 11. Reports for June 2026**
 - a. Fredenberg Law Enforcement Statistics:
 - Deputy Sergeant Nick Voltzke was not present to give his report; however, he had submitted it earlier. In the township, 24 incidents occurred, resulting in no arrests.
 - b. Roads/Bridges report
 - Supervisor Blix gave an update on the road work that occurred in June. The general condition of the roads is quite good.
 - He had removed trees and branches from the roads after the recent storm.
 - Roads were treated with calcium chloride to suppress dust.
 - c. Fire Department report: Chief Bergstrand submitted her report earlier. The fire department responded to six calls: three medical incidents, two water emergencies, and one auto alarm.
 - d. Cemetery report
 - Supervisor Rapp stated the cemetery remains open.
 - e. Parks/Recreation/Pavilion
 - According to Supervisor Rapp, everything is going well with the parks and recreational areas, except for the sliding hill. Motorbikes race up and down it. He's currently dealing with the matter.
 - f. Community Center report
 - Deputy Clerk Wagner confirmed four rentals in June.
 - g. Recycling report

- Supervisor Pawlowicz reported that all is going well at the center. It will be closed on Saturday, July 4th, for holiday observance.
- Neighborhood Night Out is on August 4th, and there is a need for volunteers to help make it a successful event.

12. Other monthly meetings: There were no other monthly meetings in June.

13. Unfinished Business

- Roadside mowing: Supervisor Blix motioned to approve the Rodda quote for \$4,300 to mow the town's roadsides for 2026, and Supervisor Cich seconded the motion. The members took a roll call vote and approved the motion unanimously.
- Supervisor Pawlowicz requested a \$2,000 transfer from the General Fund to the Neighborhood Night Out Fund for 2026 expenses. Supervisor Cich motioned to transfer \$2,000 from the General Fund to the Neighborhood Night Out Fund, and Chair Wagner seconded the motion. The members took a roll call vote and approved the motion unanimously.
- Update on the LRIP grant: Jeff Monsaas reported he had a conversation/debriefing with key people involved in the grant application process. He presented his findings to the board, and they discussed ways to improve the next application.

14. New Business

- Second monthly meeting: Supervisor Blix motioned to cancel the second monthly meeting, and Supervisor Rapp seconded the motion. The members took a roll call vote and approved the motion unanimously.

15. Adjourn

- Chair Wagner motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:36 pm, and Supervisor Blix seconded the motion. The members took a roll call vote and approved the motion unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,



Ellen Hanson, Clerk



Tim Wagner, Board Chair