

## ARCADA TOWNSHIP REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

### Regular Meeting

May 14, 2025

The meeting was called to order by D. Merchant at 6:00pm. Roll Call of board members were: D. Merchant, M. Redman, W. Baxter, and L. Baxter. Conrad Bovee absent. Also present were Dave Ringle, Mark Walrath and Timothy Gay.

The May 14, 2025 Agenda with a motion for correction of Minutes from April 9, 2025 to April 9, 2025 by M. Redman and support by L. Baxter. Motion Carried.

Approval of the April 9, 2025 minutes. Motion to approve with correction to date of Minutes from May 12, 2025 to April 9, 2025.

Budget Report: none.

Treasurer Report: General Fund balance after paying Bill \$299,529.88 Check received for Mary Strouse Property on Luce Rd from the County Treasurer. Discussed two Bills for the Township to approve to pay electronically. They are Consumers Energy and Point Broadband. Each one is now sent out of state and are late receiving them by check. Motion to approve paying Consumers Energy and Point Broadband electronically by M. Redman and support by W. Baxter, motion carried.

Approval to pay the monthly township Bills for Check 8967-8983. Motion to pay the bills by M. Redman and support by W. Baxter, Motion carried.

Clerks Report: School Election May 6, 2025. The total votes for the Alma School special election were 214, even split of 107Yes and 107 No. Clerk asked to attend MTA class for Earned Sick Time Act and Cemetery Challenges.

Zoning Officer: Five Permits. Meeting resident about a sea wall on River Edge. Four blight properties visited. Issue ticket then if not cleaned up in 14 days, court proceedings begin.

Planning Commission: Commission Chair stated a meeting was held in April. New guidelines for PA116 approval. PA116 to go to TWP Planning Commission, Township Clerk and then onto the County Planning Commission then sent to the State of Michigan. Manhole lining repair was done, 2 manholes were relined on terms of warranty. D. Ringle, Planning Chair said they did a good job.

Supervisor/Assessor's Report: Has been quiet nothing to report


County Commissioner: Present gave update on the County's new Interim Administrator.

New Business: none


Old Business: none

Public Comment: none

After Announcements and upcoming meetings, the Board Meeting was adjourned at 6:34 p.m.  
With a motion by M. Redman and support by W. Baxter. Motion carried.



Laureen Baxter, Clerk



Douglas Merchant, Supervisor