

September 2025

The New Haven Township Board met on September 8, 2025 at New Haven Township Hall located at 2705 Easton Road, Owosso, Mi. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Supervisor DeLong, with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call was taken. Members present: Supervisor DeLong, Treasurer Eickholt, Trustee Gray, Clerk Horton and Trustee Richardson.

Guests: David Butcher, Gary Holzhausen, Lee Horton, Fred Riley, Bill Spike and Marjorie Westerlund

A Motion by Trustee Richardson, supported by Trustee Gray to approve the agenda as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

A Motion by Treasurer Eickholt, supported by Trustee Richardson to approve the August 11, 2025 meeting minutes as amended. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Treasurer Eickholt presented the Treasurer's Report as of August 31, 2025.

General Fund: Horizon \$256,879.58; MI Class \$881,243.17; MSU Credit Union \$124.42; For a General Fund Total of \$1,138,247.17.

Other Funds: Perpetual Care Account, Horizon: \$4,373.27; Perpetual Care Account, MI Class: \$40,544.85 Two Mill Road Account, Horizon: \$2,885.78; Two Mill Road Account, MI Class: \$72,510.03; Ambulance Account: \$2,133.33; Fire Account: \$572.04; Tax Checking Account: \$34,352.03. A total of all funds: \$1,295,618.50.

A Motion by Clerk Horton, supported by Trustee Gray to approve Treasurer's Report as presented. All Ayes. Motion carried.

### **Public Participation**

None

### **For Future Action:**

- Snow Removal – discussion occurred regarding snow removal for the upcoming winter season. A Motion by Treasurer Eickholt, supported by Trustee Gray to approve continuing service with Peterson's Landscaping at a cost of \$80.00 per plowing service. A roll call vote was taken. All Ayes. Motion carried.
- October Board Meeting Chair – Supervisor DeLong will not be available for the October 13, 2025 meeting. A Motion was made by Supervisor DeLong, supported by Clerk Horton to appoint Treasurer Eickholt to chair the meeting.
- Youngs ICD Meeting – Supervisor DeLong reported on the August 13, 2025 meeting. Arbitrators at the meeting concurred on the presented apportionment of costs.
- Statutory Revenue Sharing – Treasurer Eickholt reported a slight decrease in funding to the township from the previous year.

### **For Action:**

A Motion by Trustee Richardson, supported by Treasurer Eickholt to approve payment of expenses totaling \$9,287.26. A roll call vote was taken. All Ayes. Motion carried.

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### **Public Participation**

David Butcher requested an explanation regarding the Monthly Check Register he also noted that the cemeteries appear to be in good condition.

Bill Spike also noted the cemeteries are being well maintained.

Shiawassee County Commissioner Holzhausen provided a brief update on happenings in the county.

### **Board Correspondence**

Supervisor DeLong – spoke regarding the new Owosso Township Fire Station on M-52 that will service the township.

Treasurer Eickholt – provided an update on tax collections to date.

Trustee Gray – reported the county road commission will be doing Gradall work to clean road ditches.

Clerk Horton – spoke regarding a resident's concern regarding the deteriorating road conditions in West Haven subdivision.

Trustee Richardson – nothing to report.

The next regular board meeting will be Monday October 13, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. at New Haven Township, 2705 Easton Road, Owosso, Michigan.

A motion by Clerk Horton, supported by Trustee Gray to adjourn the meeting at 7:42 p.m. All ayes. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Colleen Horton, New Haven Township Clerk