

BARRY TOWNSHIP MINUTES

Regular Meeting

July 21, 2026

The Barry Township Board of Supervisors met for a Regular Meeting on Tuesday, July 21, 2026, at 7:00 p.m. in the Barry Town Hall, located at 35965 Wildlife Road, Hinckley, MN.

Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance

Chairman Hattenberger called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Attendance

Present: Supervisors Ed Hattenberger, Kim Crow, Al Moon, Treasurer Dick Prenovost, Clerk Melinda Crow, Residents Corey Stafen, Bobbi Butler, Paul Sporcic, Brian Mulholland, Nonresident Brad Rootkie

Public Comment

None

Agenda

Motion by Supervisor Crow to approve agenda, Supervisor Moon seconded. Vote 3/0 passed.

Minutes

6/21/26 Regular meeting minutes were distributed by clerk. **Motion** by Supervisor Crow to approve minutes as written, Supervisor Moon seconded. Vote 3/0 passed. Board in agreement to use less detailed minutes.

Treasurer's Report & Pay Bills

Presented by Treasure Prenovost, documents distributed. **Motion** by Chairman Hattenberger to mail checks to employees without keys to the office, Supervisor Crow seconded. Vote 3/0 passed. **Motion** by Supervisor Crow to accept the treasure's report and pay the bills, Supervisor Moon seconded. Vote 3/0 passed.

Clerk's Report

Reported progress on insurance valuation, election judge paperwork, records organization, contracts and road agreements, certificates of liability insurance, public hearings and public accuracy test notices, available training, official ordinance depository, PERA and payroll reporting, quarterly reports, conflict-of-interest, and updated milage rate. **Resolution** 2026-03 authorizing contract benefitting interested officer Kim Crow, supervisor married to Melinda Crow, clerk signed by Chairman Hattenberger and Supervisor Moon.

Planning Committee Report

Supervisor Crow reported on the new zoning ordinance, upcoming public hearings, the need to replace a planning committee member, and develop driveway and culvert policies. **Motion** by Supervisor Moon to have the planning committee develop driveway and culvert policies, Chairman Hattenberger seconded. Vote 3/0 passed.

Road Report

Grading, mowing, brush cutting, tree trimming, tree removal and a possible back-up grader employee were discussed. **Motion** by Supervisor Crow to contract with Ironwork Farm Tree Services for emergency tree removal, Chairman Hattenberger seconded. Vote 3/0. **Motion** by Supervisor Moon to contract with Rootke for brush cutting, Supervisor Crow seconded. Vote 3/0 passed.

Old Business

No progress to inspect on Moffett berm project.

New Business

None

Supervisor's Additional Comments

None

Adjournment

Motion by Supervisor Moon to adjourn at 8:56 p.m., Chairman Hattenberger seconded. Vote 3/0 passed.



Ed Hattenberger, Chairperson



Melinda Crow, Clerk