

OFFICIAL MINUTES
BELLE PLAINE TOWNSHIP MONTHLY MEETING
Tuesday, August 4, 2026
BELLE PLAINE TOWNSHIP HALL
25130 HICKORY BLVD., BELLE PLAINE, MN

Board Members Present:

Chairman Kornder, Supervisor Mark Schultz, Supervisor Steve Cox, Treasurer Myron Bratsch and Clerk Peggyann De Voto

Others Present:

Megan Lambrecht, Ted Kornder, Jeff Klehr, Allie Klehr

- 1) **Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order by Chairman Kornder at 7:00 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.
- 2) **APPROVALS:** A motion was made by Supervisor Cox to approve the July minutes, seconded by Supervisor Schultz, all in favor, motion carried.

A motion was made by Supervisor Schultz to approve the Treasurer's report as presented, Supervisor Cox seconded, all in favor, motion carried, with the following balances:

Checking	\$ 2,674.88
Money Market	\$ 199,378.60
Certificate of Deposit	\$ 106,547.37
Certificate of Deposit	\$ 314,504.55
Total:	\$ 623,105.40

Receipts: **\$ 3,027.80**

Review and Approval of Claims for Payment:

Motion by Supervisor Schultz, seconded by Supervisor Cox to approve claims for payment. All in favor, motion carried.

<u>Check</u>	<u>Individual/Business</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Check Amt.</u>
5508	Klehr Grading & Excavating	Grading Township Roads Invoice 4784	8,787.00
5509	Myron Bratsch	Treasurer Wages	1,310.25
5510	Peggyann De Voto	Clerk Wages	2,167.59
5511	Steve Cox	Supervisor Wages	1,112.11
5512	Mark Schultz	Supervisor Wages	1,557.67
5513	Tony Kornder	Supervisor Wages	986.92
5514	P.E.R.A.	D.C.P. 5% Retirement	709.50
5515	E.F.T.P.S.	IRS Tax Payment	1,085.53

TOTAL CHECKS \$ 17,716.57

3) **Walk-In Agenda Requests:**

- Ted Kornder wanted to inform the board that the shared road of Old 169 and Goshen Blvd is in rough shape and wanted to know the Boards thoughts on sharing the expense. The Board asked him to check into getting a quote. Supervisor Cox also mentioned that he could patch the pot holes. Ted also was checking with Treasurer Bratsch to see if he needed any help getting ready for the Scott County Assoc of Townships meeting on August 5th.

4) **Other Business:**

- The Board reviewed the following documents for the Joint Powers Agreement
- a) BP Rural Fire: Ordinance establishing Charges for Emergency response services. Supervisor Schultz made a motion to approve and sign the ordinance, Supervisor Cox seconded, all in favor, motion passed.
- b) BP Rural Fire: Proposed Summary for publication. Supervisor Schultz made a motion to approve and sign the summary. Supervisor Cox seconded. All in favor, motion carried.
- c) BP Resolution Certifying Delinquent Fire services fees. Supervisor Schultz made a motion to accept and sign the resolution. Supervisor Cox seconded, all in favor, motion carried.
 - Resolution appointing Election Judges: Clerk De Voto asked the Board to approve the appointment of election judged for the 2026 Midterm Primary and General elections. Supervisor Cox made a motion to appoint the judges named. Supervisor Schultz seconded. All in favor, motion carried.
 - Bevcomm sent an application for a Right of Way permit for Aberdeen Ave going west to 6500 W 240th Street to bury fiber optic cable. Supervisor Cox made a motion to approve the request, Supervisor Schultz seconded all in favor, motion carried.

5) **Road Reports & Issues:**

- Supervisor Schultz requested that Klehr Grading and Excavating mow the ditches again as they are getting very overgrown. They will still need to mow a third time this year.
- Luce driveway permit inspection. Chairman Kornder will inspect and email the permit to Treasurer Bratsch.

6) **Permit Report:**

- **Permit report was reviewed with no additional comments or concerns.**

7) **Meetings Attended or Upcoming:**

- Scale Meeting August 14th 7:00a
- Scott County Assoc of Townships August 5th 7:00
District 4

- 8) **Motion to Adjourn:** Motion made by Supervisor Cox to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Supervisor Schultz. All in favor, motion carried. Meeting Adjourned at 8:17

Chairman Tony Kornder

Minutes prepared by: Peggyann De Voto, Clerk