

Isabella Township Meeting
Aug 4, 2025

The Isabella Township Regular Board Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Rick Ervin at 7:00 p.m. at the Isabella Township Hall. The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance led by Rick Ervin.

Present: Robert Walton, Linda Bechtel, Rick Ervin, Thomas Reihl, and Kristin Derby.

Approval of Agenda: Rick Ervin moved to approve the agenda, supported by Thomas Reihl. Agenda approved.

Approval of Minutes: Minutes were read and reviewed from the July 7, 2025, regular business meeting. Thomas Reihl made a motion, seconded by Robert Walton, to approve the minutes as presented. Motion passed.

[Rick Ervin made a resolution, seconded by Robert Walton, to approve a land division as presented for Wilson for parcel # 09-033-40-002-00. A roll call vote was taken. All board members in attendance approved. Resolution passed. Resolution #080425-1]

[Rick Ervin made a resolution, seconded by Thomas Reihl, to approve a land division as presented for Laurie & Brian Jackson for parcel # 09-004-30-003-01 & 09-004-30-002-01. A roll call vote was taken. All board members in attendance approved. Resolution passed. Resolution #080425-2]

Financial Report: Linda Bechtel presented the Treasurer's report. Thomas Reihl made a motion, seconded by Robert Walton, to accept the financial report with an ending balance of \$966,310.39. Motion passed.

Kristin Derby presented the bills. Robert Walton made a motion, seconded by Thomas Reihl, to pay checks #2097-#2128. Motion passed.

New Business:

-[Kristin Derby made a resolution, supported by Rick Ervin, to apply for the Fall Par Plan Risk Reduction Grant to fund two solar stop signs on Lincoln Road at Weidman Road to increase stop sign visibility and reduce accidents for \$5,000; the Isabella County Road Commission will pay half the cost of the stop signs and be responsible for installing the stop signs. Isabella Township will pay \$746.46. A roll call vote was taken. All board members in attendance approved. Motion passed. Resolution #080425-3]

-Our annual audit has been completed, and results were handed out to all board members.

-Rick Ervin made a motion, supported by Thomas Reihl, to purchase a Free Little Library box and stand as well as books to stock it for the park. Motion passed.

-[Rick Ervin made a resolution, supported by Robert Walton, to switch trash companies from Waste Management to GFL with weekly service at the park and bi-weekly service at the cemetery. A roll call vote was taken. All board members in attendance approved. Motion passed. Resolution #080425-4]

-The 2nd application of brine was distributed.

-The next meeting will move to Tuesday, September 2, 2025 due to the holiday.

Public Comment: A comment was made about holes in the Pavilion roof and the pavilion in general. A comment was made about weeds around the fence at the cemetery and stumps at the cemetery. A comment was made about the grass at the park and mowing of the park.

Adjournment: Rick Ervin moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Thomas Reihl. Meeting declared adjourned.