

NORTH EAST TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS
PUBLIC HEARING/MEETING
MONDAY, JULY 20, 2026
9:00 AM

Chairman Russ LaFuria called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance. Also in attendance were Supervisors Fredrick Shunk and August Neff along with Attorney Andy Schmidt and Secretary Erica Carlstrom.

Chairman LaFuria opened the public hearing portion of the meeting for the proposed SALDO Ordinance. Supervisor LaFuria asked if there were any questions or comments, which there were none. A motion made by Russ LaFuria to approve and sign SALDO Ordinance 2026-002 was received. Supervisor August Neff made the second motion to approve. All in favor.

Chairman Russ LaFuria asked for public comments or concerns, and none were received. A motion from August Neff and the second from Fredrick Shunk approved the minutes of the July 6th, 2026 meeting as presented and passed by unanimous vote. Bills were presented for July 1st – July 20th for approval and payment as follows:

General Fund Checks	#4874-4930	\$ 169,452.98
General Fund Debits	Ach's	\$ 896.32
Water Fund Checks	#3517-3532	\$ 112,569.71
Sewer Fund Checks	#3222-3237	\$ 98,446.13

Total approved by a motion from Fredrick Shunk and the second from Russ LaFuria was \$381,365.14 and passed by unanimous vote.

Correspondence:

A request was received from the National Grape Co-Op for the use of the meeting room on Thursday July 30th for their meeting. The meeting will start at 6:30 PM. A motion from Russ LaFuria approving the request was received, with the second motion from Fredrick Shunk. All in favor.

A request was also received from people For Life to hold their annual 5k/10k Fun Walk. The event will take place on Saturday October 10th. The route will consist primarily of Harborcreek roads but will travel over West Law Road located in the Township. A motion from August Neff to approve the event was received. The second motion was made by Russ LaFuria. Passed by unanimous vote.

Old Business: None

New Business:

Township resident Mike Snow spoke with the Supervisors regarding a property on Findley Lake Road. Mike stated that he's been working with the Code Enforcement Officer Jay Jobczynski regarding an outside lighting issue. Mr Snow stated the lights are very bright and he does not feel they are in compliance with the Township's lighting ordinance. Mike also has concerns that the property is zoned as an R1 however there is a business operating on the parcel and feels it is being operated as a commercial

business. The Supervisors thanked Mr Snow for bringing this to their attention and said they will look into things and hope to find a resolution for him.

Ed Mascharka from the North East Community Marina Authority requested to be placed on the agenda to speak about an opening on the Strategic Planning Board for the North East Marina, however Mr Mascharka did not attend the meeting.

Supervisor August Neff requested approval for the purchase of a replacement pipe for North Brickyard Road at an estimated cost of approximately \$12,000.00. He stated that the existing pipe is 25-30 years old and is no longer in good condition. A motion to approve the purchase was made by Supervisor August Neff and seconded by Supervisor Fredrick Shunk. The motion passed unanimously.

Road Supervisor August Neff mentioned that the replacement of the culvert on Damsite Road will be starting in about 4 weeks.

With all business concluded a motion to adjourn was received from August Neff at 9:45 AM. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Erica Carlstrom, Secretary