FRIENDSHIP TOWNSHIP

BOARD MEETING

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2026 @ 6:00 PM
@ Friendship Township Hall

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm by supervisor and pledge recited.

Board members present: Fisher, Mac Gregor, Troup, Van Divner and Negley

Visitors: Jeff and Donna Budnick, Susie Mc George, Nancy Slocum, Patrick & Pamela Konieczny, Keegan Vandourne, Jan Garber and Dan Young

Agenda stood approved without changes.

Minutes of October 7th meeting stood approved as presented.

Treasurer's report received.

Emmet County PSUP26-008 -Board received comments from residents regarding Harbor Excavating request for a Special Use Permit and Site Plan Review to expand an existing Resource Mining operation on property located west off South State Road between Hurd and Fisher Roads, tax parcels 12 06 12 11 300 002 and 24 06 12 14 100 016.

Van Divner moved, Mac Gregor seconded, PASSED, to accept Friendship Township Planning Commission recommendation to ask the Emmet County Planning Commission to table or postpone any decision on this application to allow time to gather more complete information which is required by ordinance, and to include addressing points listed in the Friendship Township Planning Commission minutes and recommendation, as follows:

Recommendation to Township Board: Request that county table any decision on this case pending further and more complete information addressing numerous items in the application: Screening Storage and equipment, Remediation of landscape, Parking, Storm water management, maintenance and drainage plans, Traffic issues, Size of permitted area, Batch plants, Stone washing, Restriction on weekend hours, No crushing in July and August (minutes 10/26/26)

Public comment – none

Mac Gregor moved, Fisher seconded, PASSED by unanimous roll call vote, to approve payment of the bills. Checks # 5901 through 5922 were written in the amount of $73,719.67.

Next meeting will be December 2, 2026.

Respectfully submitted,

Janell Van Divner, Clerk