

L'ANSE TOWNSHIP BOARD REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES— JULY 8, 2026

- A. The Wednesday, July 8, 2026 regular monthly meeting for L'Anse Township was called to order by Supervisor Magaraggia at 4:00 pm in the conference room of the L'Anse Township Hall.
- B. Roll Call: Present— Supervisor, Pete Magaraggia; Treasurer, Sarah Solberg; Clerk, Kristin Kahler; Trustee, Shelley Soli, and Trustee, Wallace Sweeney.
- C. The following visitors were present: Roy Kemppainen, Jerry Marinich, Barbara Marinich, Sam Morrow, Tom Magnant, Heather Shalfoe, Dave Miller.
- D. Approval of the minutes:
Motion to approve the minutes of the June regular monthly meeting made by Trustee Soli, seconded by Treasurer Solberg. All in favor, motion carried.
- E. Approval of agenda:
Motion to approve the meeting agenda made by Trustee Soli, seconded by Treasurer Solberg. All in favor, motion carried.
- F. Receive Treasurer's report as submitted:
Unpaid bills report and transaction detail by account provided to the board by Treasurer Solberg. Summer tax bills are out and being collected.
- G. Approve any budget amendments: None
- H. Motion for approval of payment of bills:
Motion to approve the payment of unpaid bills to be paid from the Fire Fund--\$242.94 General fund--\$10,354.86 as funds become available; and to approve the prior month's activities in the General Fund Checking Account made by Trustee Sweeney, seconded by Trustee Soli. All in favor, motion carried.
- I. Receive Clerk's report as submitted:
Election Administrator and Assessor trainings attended. 680 absentee ballots are out for the August Primary election. Election Commission meeting and public accuracy tests are completed.
- J. Unfinished/Pending Business:
 - 1. Aura Fire Department—Meeting held June 18.
 - 2. Parks and Cemeteries—
 - 3. Zoning/Planning—A motion was made to approve Meghan Maki as member made by Supervisor Magaraggia, seconded by Clerk Kahler. All in favor, motion carried.
 - 4. Assessor's Report—Addressed the rollback for the year.
 - 5. Sheriff's Report – June report shared by David Miller as attached.
- K. New Business:
 - 1. Updates on property surveys was shared by Supervisor Magaraggia. A motion was made to move forward onto the next steps in gathering information for a proposal

on the Dogpatch property based on the survey conducted by Trustee Soli, seconded by Supervisor Magaraggia. All in favor, motion carried.

2. A motion was made to approve of payment for the poles for the ballfield by Supervisor Magaraggia, seconded by Treasurer Solberg. All in favor, motion carried.

L. Public Comments: Comments and concerns on the future plans for the Tuttle Ave property were shared with the board from Roy Kemppainen, and Sam Morrow. Concerns were shared regarding traffic increases, road size, zoning, Village involvement, utilities, and housing types. A petition from residents was shared with the board.

M. Board Comments: Supervisor Magaraggia yielded questions and concerns from Tuttle Ave residents.

N. Adjournment:

Supervisor Magaraggia adjourned the meeting at 4:31pm.

Reminder: The next regular board meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 12, 2026 at 4:00 pm in the conference room of the L'Anse Township Hall.

Peter Magaraggia, Supervisor

Kristin Kahler, Clerk