

Cherry Valley Township Regular Meeting

July 8, 2025

The General Meeting of the Cherry Valley Township Board was called to order by Supervisor Robert Shepler at 7:00pm.

Pledge of Allegiance

Present: Supervisor Robert Shepler, Treasurer Lori Jeffrey, Clerk Angie Guynn, Trustee Connie Avery, Trustee Vicki Sherman.

Minutes from the May 20, 2025, General Meeting was given to the Board, and copies were available for the attendees to review. A period of time was allowed for everyone to review them. Motion by Supervisor Robert to approve the minutes from the General Meeting and seconded by Treasurer Lori. All in favor, motion carried.

Treasurer Report:

All board members received a packet from the Treasurer containing a print out of the Balance Sheet, Bank Statements for both the General Fund and the Tax Account along with Reconciliation detail for both. Copies were available to the public to review. Treasurer Lori explained the accounts and asked if there were any comments. None being said, a Motion was made by Supervisor Robert and seconded by Trustee Vickie. Motion carried.

Motioned by Supervisor Robert and seconded by Treasurer Lori to approve payment of outstanding bills. All in favor, motion carried.

Supervisor Report:

5 new building permits. A certified letter will be composed to send to owner of the Sandridge Road property for people living in travel trailer with no sewer or water.

Clerk Report:

QVF Certification completed. AV ballots, were prepared for upcoming 8/5 election, and were mailed out after the township meeting.

Old Business:

Large item Pickup Date is 09/20/2025 from 8:00am to 12:00pm. Information for this was sent with taxes; a message at the township answering machine will be updated; a notice will go up on the township door and the website will be updated to reflect this information.

New Business:

Eric will be working in the next few weeks to remove the dead trees from the cemetery.

The cemetery needs a new fence. Treasurer Lori will research costs for vinyl fencing.

Board of Review needs a third person, due to Dawn Shepler's resignation. Supervisor Robert motioned, Treasurer Lori seconded. Chris Guynn was present and expressed interest. Chris Guynn was sworn in, at the conclusion of the meeting, as the third Board of Review member.

Guest Speaker/Public Comments:

Sheriff Martin gave a report of ORV accidents in the county, higher number than usual. He spoke about the protests and the challenges that his department has been experiencing. Sheriff Martin advised that any organized rides to raise money, must obtain a permit from the DNR.

Dawn Shepler suggested a resolution be drawn to limit the division of property and the number of travel trailers that can be on the property. Supervisor Robert and Treasurer Lori will collaborate to compose a resolution.

Pat Sherman asked when the sealant for the parking lot will be done. Projected 09/2025.

Treasurer Lori suggested the Board hire Jeannie to assist with the upcoming election due to Deb's departure. Motioned by Treasurer Lori, seconded by Trustee Vickie.

Close of the meeting was motioned by Supervisor Robert and seconded by Trustee Vickie. Meeting adjourned at 8:02pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Angie Guynn, Clerk