

**CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP MONTHLY MEETING  
FEBRUARY 9, 2026**

**PRESENT:** Board Supervisors: Jim Fridstrom (Chairman), Dale B. Anderson (Supervisor) & Mike Furlong (Supervisor)  
Treasurer: Arianna Weiler  
Clerk: Darrell Vosika  
Road Maintenance Supervisor: Rob A. Anderson (Employee)

**LOCATION:** Cambridge Township Hall located in the Isanti County Historical Society Building (33525 FLANDERS ST. NE, CAMBRIDGE).

1. Chairman Jim Fridstrom called the Monthly Board Meeting to order at 7:00pm.
2. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was recited.
3. **Approval of the Agenda**  
**MOTION: TO APPROVE THE AGENDA AS PRESENTED**  
**M/S: MIKE FURLONG / DALE B. ANDERSON (VOTE: 3-0) TO APPROVE.**  
**M = OFFICER MAKING THE MOTION**  
**S = OFFICER SECONDING THE MOTION**
4. **Approval of the MINUTES of the JANUARY 12, 2026, MONTHLY BOARD MEETING.**  
**CORRECTION: 6B. – JEFF SANDQUIST’S “OLD HEAVEN HILL” – IN THE STATEMENT:**  
**“....CONCERNS AS THE VARIOUS ENTRANCES TO THE 4 PLATS WERE .....  
THAT SHOULD HAVE READ 4 LOTS.....**  
**MOTION: TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE JANUARY 12, 2026, MONTHLY BOARD MEETING WITH THE STATED CORRECTION TO 6B.**  
**M/S: MIKE FURLONG /DALE B. ANDERSON (VOTE: 3-0) TO APPROVE**
- 4A. **Approval of the MINUTES of the JANUARY 27, 2026, Special Board Meeting.**  
**M/S: DALE B. ANDERSON / MIKE FURLONG (VOTE: 3-0) TO APPROVE**
5. **FINANCIAL REPORTS** were prepared by Arianna Weiler, Treasurer, and Darrell Vosika, Township Clerk.
  - A. **MISC. INCOME:**

i) Filing Fee for 2026 Annual Twp Election – Jim Fridstrom	\$ 2.00
ii) Filing Fee for 2026 Annual Twp Election – D. Vosika	\$ 2.00
iii) Liquor License – Purple Hawk Country Club, Inc. (Pro-rated: 4/1/2026 – 6/30/2026 – Twp Fee 20%)	\$ 186.67
iv) 2025 Year End Tax settlement – Isanti County	\$ 5,385.93
  - B. The following **FINANCIAL REPORTS:**
    - CLERK’S REPORTS:**
      - i) **Bank Account Reports:** JANUARY 31, 2026
      - ii) **Interest & Dividend reports:** JANUARY 2026
      - iii) Copy of First Bank & Trust JANUARY 31,2026, Checking Account Balance Form.
    - TREASURER’S REPORTS:**

- i) CTAS REPORTS available are as follows:
  - a) 1/24/2026 – Net Pay Account Distribution
  - b) 1/24/2026 – Payroll Register - Landscape
  - c) 1/30/2026 – Claims List for Approval
  - d) 2/9/2026 – Claims List for Approval

**CLERK & TREASURER’S MONTHLY EXPENSE REPORT**

- a) Clerk’s **JANUARY 2026** Expenses: \$ 28,264.43
- b) Treasurer’s **JANUARY 2026** Expenses: \$ 28,264.43

**REPLACEMENT EXPENSE SHEET FOR NOVEMBER 2025**

Check #14363 has been officially voided,

**C. FINANCIAL REPORTS:**

**MOTION: TO APPROVE FINANCIAL REPORTS AS PRESENTED AT THE FEBRUARY 9, 2026, MEETING.**

**M/S: MIKE FURLONG / DALE B. ANDERSON (VOTE: 3-0) TO APPROVE**

**6. SCHEDULED BUSINESS: NONE**

**7. NEW BUSINESS AT PUBLIC REQUEST:**

- A. **TODD HANSON, CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP P-T EMPLOYEE**, had a question regarding the PAID LEAVE PROGRAM that was to become effective 1/1/2026. According to his paycheck summary section, nothing has been withheld for the program. The Board directed his question to Arianna the Paid Leave Program Administrator for the township. She explained that the Minnesota State CTAS system has yet to include the Paid Leave Program deductions into the payroll section of the system. She has contacted MAT and they have given her directions on how to manually handle the problem until the CTAS system is updated. The concern the township has is regarding any penalties for not reporting or collecting deductions.

**8. ROAD BUSINESS**

**A. ROB’S REPORT:**

- i) **SNOWPLOWING REPORT** – slower than in previous months
- ii) **CAT 140H BLADE** – the blade is a 2000 model (year). The Board approved to have Cat come out on Friday, February 6, 2026, and perform tests and do an eye observation exam of the blade. The general conclusion was that the blade is in good condition for its age and that the township should continue to keep it.
- iii) **328<sup>th</sup> AVE NE** – Discussion on future plans regarding the tarring of the road. The Board had asked Rob to get an estimate of what it would cost to pave 328<sup>th</sup> Ave (approximately 1 mile + 400’). The Knife River Corp. was contacted and supplied the township with an estimate of \$330,459.60 to do 328<sup>th</sup> Ave NE.
- iv) **2026 Gravel Quotes** – Advertise for quotes to be received for the March 9, 2026, monthly meeting.
- v) **Veit Disposal** requested from Rob the Road Restrictions for 2026.
- vi) **2017 FORD F450** – Rob reports that he has to add approximately 3qt/mo. of

engine oil. Possible crank case breather – oil goes thru emissions or turbo.

Rob received an estimate from Lake State Repair, LLC of \$687.29

**MOTION: TO ACCEPT THE ESTIMATE FROM LAKE STATE REPAIR, LLC OF \$687.29 TO REPAIR THE FORD F450.**

**M/S: DALE B. ANDERSON / MIKE FURLONG (VOTE: 3-0) TO APPROVE**

vii) **PETERSBURG ST & 328<sup>TH</sup> AVE NE** – Trees need to be removed

West: 150 – 200’

East: 20’

Rob has contacted Tree Fellers and received an estimate of \$1,000.

**MOTION: TO HIRE TREE FELLERS TO REMOVE THE TREES ON PETERSBURG AT AN ESTIMATED COST OF \$1,000.**

**M/S: MIKE FURLONG / DALE B. ANDERSON (VOTE: 3-0) APPROVED**

B. **ROAD ORDINANCE REVIEW** – The Board will continue to be updating the Cambridge Township Road Ordinance 101.

Special Board Meeting: February 11, 2026 @ 6pm

Location: Township Office / Garage

3568 337<sup>th</sup> Ave NE

Cambridge, Mn 55008

Attorney is scheduled to be present.

C. **UTILTIY PERMITS** – None for 2026

D. **STATE OF MN/GRANDY** – Rob met previously with a Mn State Highway representative in Grandy at the intersection of 368<sup>th</sup> Lane and State Hwy 65 to discuss future reconstruction in that area. The Mn State Department of Transportation has sent the Township a Cooperative Construction Agreement to be signed and a required resolution passed by the Board authorizing the Township to enter into the agreement and naming the officers authorized to sign the agreement on its behalf. The executed agreement and resolution are to be sent to the following:

Luke Wehseler, PE  
District 3 Project Development  
Project Manager/Consultant Coordinator/Local Partnership Program (LPP) Manager –  
State Aid – LPP 7694 Industrial Park Road  
Baxter, MN 56425

**MOTION (10/13/2025): TO SIGN THE COOPERATIVE CONSTRUCTION AGREEMENT WITH THE MN STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND APPROVE CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP RESOLUTION #2025-10: RESOLUTON IN SUPPORT OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP COOPERATIVE CONSTRUCTION AGREEMENT.**

**M/S: MIKE FURLONG / DALE B. ANDERONS**

VOTE: 3 - 0

YES    NO

JIM FRIDSTROM

X

DALE B. ANDERSON

X

MIKE FURLONG

X

**MOTION APPROVED**

**INFORMATION:** The preliminary costs: Camb Twp Paving, \$ 13,983.00  
Construction Engineering (8%) \$ 1,118.64  
Total: \$ 15,101.64

Costs may vary once bids have been accepted in February.

**UPDATE (11/10/2025) – The Agreement & Resolution #25-10 have been sent to the Minnesota Department of Transportation. Once the contractors bids are received, they will develop a revised schedule 1 with the actual bid prices. At that time, the township’s cost share of the project will be due.**

**DECEMBER UPDATE:** Rob reported that the “bid pkg” for this project will not be held until the end of January 2026.

**FEBRUARY UPDATE:** The Township received from the MN Dept. of Transportation a letter describing the official detour route for the project that has been scheduled to be performed on T.H. 65. They are planning to utilize Cambridge Township’s 343<sup>rd</sup> Ave as part of the official detour route. The detour will need to be in place from approximately June 16, 2026, thru August 31, 2026. The State does have a formula used to calculate detour compensation for the Township.

E. **343<sup>rd</sup> AVE NE & BNSF CROSSING** – Table until the March monthly meeting.

F. **MATIT-** On 11/4/2025 the clerk met with a representative from the company (OVERLAND SOLUTIONS / EXL) that MATIT partners with which manages the property value appraisal process. Property value is covered under the CLC (Consolidated Liability Coverage) policy. To maintain accuracy, MATIT conducts a review of property value every five years for townships insured for amounts exceeding \$35,000.

**DECEMBER UPDATE:** The township has received a property appraisal report back from MATIT. Presently the main garage/office is valued at \$260,587.00 and the Salt Shed at \$5,000. The appraisal report has the value of the salt shed at \$54,715.00 with \$5,000 coverage and \$1,000 deductible. The clerk called MATIT for clarification and they will be getting back to the township.

**FEBRUARY UPDATE:** The Board evaluated the property appraisal report and the deductible amounts and approved the following motion:

**MOTION: TO INSURE THE MAINTENANCE BUILDING (\$260,582) FOR ITS REPLACEMENT COST WITH A \$1,000 DEDUCTIBLE AND TO INCREASE THE SALT SHED FOR ITS REPLACEMENT COST OF \$54,715 WITH A \$1,000 DEDUCTIBLE.**

**M/S: MIKE FURLONG / DALE B. ANDERSON (VOTE: 3-0) APPROVED**

The clerk will notify MATIT (Policy #J0181CLC25) of the changes.

G. **ISANTI SWCD – EMAIL FROM TIFFANY DETERMAN**

**MPCA SMART SALTING FOR RUAL ROADS CERTIFICATION TRAINING**

No one from the Township attended

H. **2026 LAWN CARE ESTIMATE** – The Township received an estimate from Country Care Lawn Service for 2026.

1) Mowing \$85.00 weekly

2) Fertilizer/weed control – new seeded areas \$225 (1<sup>st</sup> application includes pre-emergent) - Decline

**MOTION: TO ACCEPT COUNTRY CARE LAWN SERVICE ESTIMATE FOR LAWN MOWING IN 2026 AT \$85.00 WEEKLY. DECLINE THE FERTILIZER/WEED CONTROL**

**M/S: DALE B. ANDERSON / MIKE FURLONG (VOTE: 3-0) TO APPROVE**

**I. ISANTI COUNTY DITCH MEETING**

The Isanti County Commissioners plan to hold a meeting regarding the County Ditches: 3/17/2026 – approximately 10:30am – get there before (follows the regularly scheduled Commissioners meeting)

**9. OLD BUSINESS**

**A. 2026 MATIT WORKERS' COMPENSATION RENEWAL & AUDIT**

i) **Audit – due by February 15, 2026** – Clerk gave his information to Treasurer Arianna and she completed the audit.

**B. ISANTI COUNTY TOWNSHIP OFFICERS ASSOCIATION MEETING**

Time: January 29, 2026 @ 7pm – Isanti County Government Center was attended by Supervisor Jim Fridstrom & Clerk Darrell Vosika

SUMMARY:

1. No Isanti Co. Township Officers Ass'n dues for 2026
2. .Gov website – only if you do your own absentee ballots
3. County Commissioners: 1.99% levy – started at 15%  
County started a Capital Improvement fund – Highway Dept
4. Ditch Meeting: 3/17/2026 approximately 10:30am
5. Sanford Twp – a case where a person wants to claim building rights from government state reserve land to increase # of building rights on his land (?).

**10. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. REPORT FROM ISANTI PLANNING COMMISSION SUBCOMMITTEE – Jim**

The Zoning Ordinance Amendments. The topics:

1) Discussion on an amendment to the Isanti County Zoning Ordinance regarding Contractor's Yards.

Point discussed: a) possible – live on land

**B. MINNESOTA'S NEW "PAID LEAVE" PROGRAM AND LAW GOES INTO EFFECT ON JANUARY 1, 2026.**

Three steps to get ready for Paid Leave:

- 1) Notify employees – Done by Clerk (both poster & individual notice)
- 2) Set workplace policies
- 3) Set up your employer accounts – Paid Leave Administrator

The Treasurer already has access to Employer account at uimn.org

The Treasurer has registered as Paid Leave Administrator for the program.

This was discussed in section 7A.

**C. 2026 TOWNSHIP DONATIONS – Checks were processed this meeting.**

**11. ISANTI COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS REPORT – Bill Berg, District 2 County Commissioner, was unable to attend.**

**12. MAILINGS AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED:**

- A. ISANTI COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY – newsletter – winter 2026

13. OFFICERS BUSINESS

- A. CLERK Nothing to report
- B. TREASURER Nothing to report
- C. SUPERVISORS: Nothing to report

14. REPORT OF ISANTI COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION – JIM

- 2/12/2026 – Rick Osbone – Conditional Use Permit – wireless telecommunications tower
- 2/12/2026 – Jeff Sandquist – Plat of “Old Heaven Hill”

15. REPORT OF ISANTI COUNTY BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT – JIM

- 12/11/2025 – Change in maximum length of a cul-de-sac in a proposed subdivision

16. REPORT OF NORTH TH 65 CORRIDOR COALITION – MIKE – Nothing to report for the township

17. NOTICES:

- A. **FEBRUARY 11, 2026 @ 6PM – SPECIAL BOARD MEETING TO DISCUSS REVISIONS IN ROAD ORDINANCE – ATTORNEY WILL BE PRESENT**  
**LOCATION: TOWNSHIP OFFICE / GARAGE**
- B. **FEBRUARY 19, 2026 – CAMBRIDGE FIRE DEPT. TOWNSHIP MEETING**  
**TIME: 6PM**  
**LOCATION: Cambridge City Hall in the Fire Dept. Training Room**  
**RSVP: Cory Bustrom 763-843-6094**  
[cbustrom@advantagecollections.com](mailto:cbustrom@advantagecollections.com)
- C. **TOWNSHIP DAY AT THE CAPITOL 2026**  
**DATE: MARCH 2, 2026 (MONDAY)**  
**TIME: 10AM – 5PM IN ST PAUL**  
**COST: NO FEE FOR TOWNSHIP OFFICERS**
- D. **MARCH 9, 2026 @ 7PM – NEXT CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP MONTHLY BOARD MEETING**
- E. **MARCH 10, 2026 – AT CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP HALL (aka Isanti County Historical Society Building)**  
**10AM – 8PM – TOWNSHIP ANNUAL OFFICER ELECTION**  
**8:05PM – CAMBRIDGE TOWNSHIP ANNUAL MEETING**
- F. **MARCH 24, 2026 – MAT SPRING SHORT COURSES**  
**LOCATION: HOLIDAY INN AND SUITES – ST CLOUD**  
**TIME: 8AM – REGISTRATION**  
**9AM – 3PM – SPRING SHORT COURSE SESSIONS**

18. OTHER BUSINESS:

- A. CAROL WILLIAMS KAHRING will remain the Treasurer’s Deputy.
- B. The Board set **February 24, 2026**, as the date for the **Board of Audit for 2025 & the Proposed 2027 Budget Meeting.**  
**Time: 6pm**  
**Location: Cambridge Township Office / Garage**  
**3568 337<sup>th</sup> Ave NE, Cambridge, MN 55008**

- C. **2026 Boundary and Annexation Survey – U.S. Census Bureau**  
GOVID: 32705909388 (Cambridge Township)

19. **MOTION TO PAY THE BILLS AS PRESENTED FOR PAYMENT ON FEBRUARY 9, 2026.**  
**M/S: MIKE FURLONG / DALE B. ANDERSON (VOTE: 3-0) TO APPROVE**

20. **MOTION MADE TO ADJOURN AT 8:30PM.**  
**M/S: DALE B. ANDERSON / MIKE FURLONG (VOTE: 3-0) TO ADJOURN**

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**Darrell Vosika**  
**Cambridge Township Clerk**

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**Jim Fridstrom**  
**Cambridge Township Chairman**