

Geneva Township

Regular Meeting

Sept 9, 2025

The regular meeting of the Geneva Township Board was called to order at 7 p.m. with all board members present and 11 residents in attendance.

The special Meeting and Regular meeting minutes from August 12, 2025.

The Treasurer's report dated August 31, 2025 will be held for audit with bills paid in the amount of \$29,629.45 and balance in all accounts of \$2,548,277.99.

Van Buren County Sheriff Department - Deputy Kyle Gabielse gave report.

Reports presented and on file:

South Haven Airport - Jonathan Woodhams - Absent

South Haven Area Emergency Services - Cody Sedlak

Senior Services of Van Buren County - Clare Olney

BOARD ACTION & DISCUSSION ITEMS:

1. **Resolution - Whispering Pines LLC** - Ownership change resolution adopted and attached.
2. **Mechanical Inspector Fees** - Walter DeVisser Jr. requested we adopt new mechanical permit fees in line with all of his jurisdictions. Motion by Marty Pfaff, seconded by Brandie Rainey, to approve the updated mechanical permit fees. Motion was carried with all voting yes.

County Commissioner - Kurt Doroh - Brief update on county happenings.

County Road Director - Bret Witkowski - Gave board update on happenings at the on county roads and local roads.

Board Member Comments - Township is upgrading computers, due to age.

Public Comment - None

Meeting adjourned at 8:12 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Brandie Rainey
Geneva Township Clerk

Resolution - Whispering Pines Estate LLC

WHEREAS, the Township Board of Geneva Township recognizes Whispering Pines Estates LLC, mobile home park, owns and operates a drinking water system serving the residents of Whispering Pines Estates, LLC located at 67663 CR 388, section 80-09-008-027-11 owned by Schewe, and

WHEREAS, Whispering Pines Estates, LLC possesses the ability and willingness to continue effective operation and maintenance of said system, and

WHEREAS, Geneva Township recognizes the need for effective and continued operation and maintenance of said system to protect the public health, and

WHEREAS, Geneva township deems it impractical for the Township to own, operate and administer this particular drinking water supply.

THEREFOR, BE IT RESOLVED, that Geneva Township Board refuses to accept ownership of or operation, maintenance, and administrative responsibilities for said particular drinking water supply.

Moved by board member Clare Olney, supported by Marty Pfaff. Roll Call Vote - 5 yes, 0 no, 0 absent. The supervisor declared the revised resolution adopted September 9, 2025

Brandie Rainey, Geneva Township Clerk