Town Board Meeting – Town of Hammel – July 14, 2026

The Town board meeting was called to order by Chairman Joe Zenner at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 14, 2026 at the Hammel town hall. All board members were present. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Treasurer Rhonda Seidl gave the treasurer's report. Supervisor Ecklund made a motion to approve the treasurer's report. Supervisor Emmerich seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Open session: Grader operator Brian Doberstein was introduced. Discussion was held regarding dust control. Discussion was held regarding speed bumps versus signage around the Turtle Club corner as there is a lot of speeding. Chairman Zenner contacted the Sheriff's department and asked for increased patrol in that area.

Road conditions: Supervisor Emmerich reported that we are behind on mowing and grading with the transition in grader operators.

Bids were opened for the asphalt project on Center Avenue. Only one was received, that being from American Asphalt. The bid came in at $226,422.20 which includes 1.2 miles of approaches, 3-inch blacktop at $82.70/ton, 2575 tons. Resident Steve Deml inquired if 2" of asphalt would be cheaper. Chairman Zenner will contact Preston at American Asphalt and inquire.

Supervisor Ecklund inquired what needs to be done with the culvert at the end of Frank's Road. Options will be looked into.

The bills were examined. Supervisor Emmerich made a motion to pay the bills. Supervisor Ecklund seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Tire recycle will take place on August 8 at the Fairgrounds and Gilman and August 16 in Holway. Hammel will be represented by Adam Zuelsdorff on that day to collect money and organize the workers.

Next meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 10, 2026 at 6 p.m. as there is an election on August 11, 2026.

Chairman Zenner made a motion to adjourn. Supervisor Ecklund seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Renee Zenner, Town Clerk