

HOMER TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING MINUTES

REGULAR BOARD MEETING

DECEMBER 17TH, 2025

Members Present; Varner, Turk, VanWert, Norton, Johnson, Pruiett Member Excused: Lee

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m.

The November 19th meeting minutes approved as written.

Guest; 7

Public Comment was heard by the Board.

Candidate for 35th District Justin Tunney spoke.

Agenda approved with (1) additional add of Planning Commission Members Appointment Clerk and Treasurer reconciled through September 2025.

Fire report: Repairs to Engine 320 seatbelt. New tables received. YTD 532 Runs

Commissioner Larry Schuelke spoke.

Pruiett, second by Norton to pay bills as presented. Motion carried 6 yeas and 0 nays.

Business:

Audit Y/E June 30, 2025 Report : 33 page submission presented by AHP (Duane) was heard by the Board.

Pruiett, second by Norton to approve the Audit Report as presented. Motion carried 6 yeas and 0 nays.

Johnson, second by Norton to approve up to \$1,200.00 for completion of W-2's and 1099's from AHP. Motion carried 6 yeas and 0 nays.

Norton, second by Pruiett to reimburse Garbage assessment error on property 040-036-300-153-00 Mark Pelton for 2024 reimburse him the charge that was paid.

Motion carried 6 yeas and 0 nays.

Resolution dated December 17, 2025 of FOIA (6) pages procedures and guidelines be ADOPTED as Policies and Guidelines for said FOIA request of Homer Township. Presented by Varner. Norton, second by VanWert to adopt said resolution. Roll Call Vote for Resolution Adoption: Norton yay, VanWert yay, Turk yay, Varner yay, Pruiett yay, Johnson yay. Lee absent. Resolution ADOPTED.

Varner presented determining of scheduled regular meetings of year 2026. Also received Planning Commission dates for 2026.

Varner, second by Pruiett to approve 2026 meeting dates. Motion carried 6 yeas and 0 nays.

Pruett second by Norton to approve \$370.32 for the 2026 invoice for monitoring and services from Guardian Alarm Company, at township hall.

Motion carried 6 yeas and 0 nays.

Replacement of (3) paper towel dispensers at the township hall to match what was installed in restrooms at new pavilion. Vanwert, second by Norton to approve up to \$600.00 for (3) new dispensers.

Motion carried 6 yeas and 0 nays.

Review: Varner presented 2026 Local Road Formula and projected 2026 construction estimates PLEASE review and be ready for January 2026 meeting for determinations of work being approved.

Garbage Updates: Several complaints being made, dumpsters not being dumped Varner to schedule a meeting with a Priority representative to attend a meeting. Contract goes through December 2028.

Varner appoints Brian Horton, Darcie Johnson, Stephanie Kirkpatrick and Joe Cronkright for 3 year terms to Planning Commission ending December 31, 2028.

Norton, second by Johnson to approve 4 members for 3 year terms.

Motion carried 5 yeas and 0 nays. Supervisor appointments approved.

Public Comments: Joe and Renita Bonadies

Meeting adjourned at 8:19 p.m. Next scheduled meeting is January 21st 2026 @ 7:00 p.m.

Russ Varner, Supervisor

Korene Labadie, Deputy Clerk

