

BANDON TOWNSHIP MONTHLY MEETING

July 14, 2026

The regular monthly meeting was called to order by Chairman Joshua Buysse at 7:00 pm at the town hall followed by the flag pledge.

Attendance: Joshua Buysse, Tom Gruendemann, Todd Sather, Thomas Weikle, Paul Simonsen and guest Ron Louisiana.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read, and on a motion by Gruendemann and 2nd, approved.

Supervisor Gruendemann requested that we add a discussion on weeds to the agenda.

There was no Old business.

New Business: Guest Louisiana commented that weeds are getting harder to control.

There was short discussion on the flag pole light. Albrecht electric has been contacted. Also, availability of keys to the shed and town hall were discussed.

L&S Construction has finished hauling gravel and the final billing has been received.

Roadside mowing has been completed by the county.

Sather reported that the tile and culvert work done by Hillman Construction has been completed and a bill was e-mailed to him. After discussion, he will contact them to request that a hard copy be sent to the township with proof of insurance. Grass will also be re-seeded in affected areas.

Supervisor Gruendemann brought up a concern about increasing amounts of weeds in road ditches. Spraying either this fall or next spring will be considered and looked into further.

Election judge training and selection was discussed for the upcoming Primary on August 11. After discussion, Gruendemann moved that the election judges will be the town board and any others from the township who complete the required training. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

The annual District 5 MAT meeting will be in Willmar on August 13.

Monthly bills were presented for review. Sather made a motion to pay the bills. 2nd and passed.

Treasurer Weikle reported a current checkbook balance of \$94,812.62, using checks #3259-3265.

The next meeting is scheduled for August 10 at 7:00 p.m.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Paul Simonsen, Township Clerk