

NEWKIRK TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

DRAFT MINUTES

TUESDAY July 15, 2025

The regular meeting of the Newkirk Township was held Tuesday July 15, 2025, at 6:00 p.m. at the Newkirk Township Hall.

Called to Order and Pledge of Allegiance

Visitors: Ron DenBraber, Sheriff Martin, Don Divis, Lake County Road Commission, , Jeff Black, Wm Tenhaven, Kim Pendley, Jim Bacon, Todd Charles

Visitor Comments: Ron DenBraber said the Fire Department does not use the fire hydrant on M63 by Twin Creek and Don Divis will check with the Road Commission about taking it out.

Don Divis, the Brine is complete.

Jeff Black, no improvements regarding blite on M63 a Township Citation will be posted.

Sheriff Martin gave updates in Lake County. (Retirements, New Staff, ORV sign costs, ORV crashes, and prison updates.

Agenda approval: R. Hall made the motion to approve, M. Gray supported, **motion carried 5-0**

Approval of June 17, 2025, draft minutes, and financial report, R. Hall made the motion and G. Allan supported, **motion carried 5-0**

Correspondence: Thank you from Lions Club

Expenses:

a.	26.74	Great Lakes Energy	streetlight
b.	229.13	Richard Hall	15.5
		cemetery hours	
c.	86.33	Richard Hall	86.33 mower
		parts	
d.	44.80	Richard Hall	mileage for
		cemetery mower parts	
e.	58.24	CV Kwik Mart	
		cemetery mower fuel	
f.	398.25	The Pioneer Group	Supervisors
		(Truth & Taxation Ad)	

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| g. | 1750.00 | Luther Newkirk Hall | 2 nd and 3 rd |
| | | quarter payments | |
| h. | 10995.00 | UHY LLP | Audit |
| i. | 5022.00 | Acrisure | Insurance |
| j. | 147.82 | Marilyn Gray | 10 hours |
| | | deputy treasurer | |
| k. | 17.67 | Consumers Energy | streetlight |
| l. | 93.49 | Lark Lawn & Garden | |
| | | mower repairs | |
| m. | 6.96 | Lake County Treasurer | |
| | | chargebacks | |
| n. | 17444.81 | Luther Fire Dist. 1 | August |
| | | payment | |

S. Gray made the motion to pay the expenses, R. Hall supported, **motion carried 5-0 on a roll call vote.**

No Old Business: see visitor comments

New Business:

Truth and Taxation hearing took place, Resolution was adopted, R. Hall made the motion and S. Gray second, **motion carried on a roll vote 4-1 call**

Additional visitor comments:

Adjournment: R. Hall made the motion to adjourn G. Allan seconded, **motion carried, 5-0**

Cheryl J. Fullerton

Newkirk Township Clerk

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