PROPOSED MINUTES	Hartford Township Regular Board Meeting, February 13, 2025
	Hartford Township Board Regular Meeting Thursday, February 13, 2025 at 7:30 p.m. Hartford Township Hall 61310 CR 687, Hartford, MI 49057
	MINUTES
CALL TO ORDER	Supervisor Sefcik called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.
ROLL CALL	Members present: Supervisor Sefcik, Clerk Sweet, Treasurer Layer, Trustee Meachum & Trustee Phillips
	Absent: n/a
	Others present: Hartford Fire Chief Harting and members of the public
PUBLIC COMMENT	Public comment began at 7:31 p.m. Closed at 7:31 p.m.
AGENDA APPROVAL	Motion by Layer, seconded by Sefcik to approve the agenda. CARRIED
MINUTES APPROVED January 9, 2025	Motion by Phillips, seconded by Meachum to approve the minutes of the January 9, 2025 Regular Board Meeting. CARRIED
EXTERNAL REPORTS	Fired Department report given by Chief Harting.
•Fire Dept	VBCO Road Commission update not available.
■VBCO Road Commission	VBCO Sheriff report on file
•VBCO Sheriff •VBCO Commissioner	VBCO Commissioner Chappell unavailable.
FINANCIALS Bills & Payroll	Motion by Sefcik, seconded by Phillips to approve bills & payroll in the amount of \$230,005.85 CARRIED
REPORTS Road Committee Cemetery Report Planning Comm Treasurer's Report Zoning Admin	Road Committee – did not meet Cemetery – on file Planning Commission – on file Treasurers report on file. Zoning Administrator report on file.

OLD BUSINESS • Amend Resolution 25-1 Depositories and authorized users	Motion by Sweet, seconded by Layer to approve the amended Resolution 25-1 Depositories and authorized users. Yes: Sefcik, Sweet, Meachum, Layer, Phillips. No: n/a CARRIED
NEW BUSINESS •Update employee handbook days closed	Motion by Sefcik, seconded by Layer to change days Township Hall closed to "If Van Buren County Courthouse is closed, Hartford Township will be closed" CARRIED
 Resolution 25-3 Federal Poverty Guidelines of Poverty 	Motion by Sefcik, seconded by Meachum to approve Resolution 25-3 Federal Poverty Guidelines of Poverty Exemptions for 2025. Yes: Layer, Sefcik, Sweet, Phillips, Meachum. No: n/a CARRIED
Exemptions for 2025	Motion by Sefcik, seconded by Layer to approve the yearly audit (3 yrs) quote from Siegfried Crandall PC Accounting Firm. CARRIED
•Siegfried Crandall PC Accounting Firm	Motion by Sefcik, seconded by Layer to offer Landfill passes for the months of June & September. CARRIED
 Landfill Passes Maple Hill Cemetery limb & shrub trimming quote 	Motion by Sefcik, seconded by Phillips to approve the quote from Willie Nearn Tree Service in the amount of \$1,300 to clean up limbs and shrubs along Northeast fence line. CARRIED
ADJOURN	Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.
Minutes prepared and submitted by, Julie Sweet Clerk	CERTIFICATE