

LOVELLS TOWNSHIP BOARD
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2025
APPROVED

LOVELLS TOWNSHIP BOARD: DUNNING, HOPP, KENGEL, NEUMANN, WRIGHT

ATTENDEES: Jo Johnson, Darby Kuenzel, Ann C. Duby, Bill Gergosky, Bryon Bowen, Ken Dawn Minard, Ron Ray, Heather Lovell

CALL TO ORDER: Pledge of Allegiance

ROLL CALL: Dunning (P), Hopp (P), Kengel (P), Neumann (P), Wright (P); All Present

1. **REVIEW AND VOTE ON SNOWPLOW BID:** Motion made by Kengel to rescind the decision to award Richard Wright the snowplowing bid for 25/26 season at the 10/14/25 public meeting. 2nd by Neumann. Four Ayes; zero Nays; one Abstain. Motion approved. Please let us make note and acknowledge that Rick Wright publicly, by way of submitting a bid and recusing himself from the bid process at the public meeting held on 10/14/25 which is greater than 7 days before our meeting today declared his interest in bidding for snowplow contract. The two snowplow bids we have are Ken's Handyman Service & Snowplowing and Richard Wright. The payments will be split into four equal payments beginning in December of 2025, January 2026, February 2026 and ending with March 2026.

1st Bid: Ken's Handyman Service and Snowplowing, Ken Minard:

Snowplow bid covers 10/15/25 to 5/1/2026; For Lovells Township:

- 1) Town Hall & Fire Barn: \$1800.00
- 2) North Down Transfer Station: \$1000.00
- 3) South Transfer Station: \$1000.00
- 4) Pathway to Museum, **heavy equipment is \$250.00 per hour if needed.**

First Truck – 2001 Ford Excursion with v-blade and back blade Second Truck – 2015 F350 with v-blade.

Excludes snow to be shoveled to door and mail box.

Total Price: \$3800.00

2nd Bid: Rick Wright: Township Supervisor

Snowplow bid covers 10/15/25 to 5/1/2026; For Lovells Township:

- 1) Township Hall: \$725.00
- 2) Fire/EMS Barn: \$725.00
- 3) Transfer Station \$725.00
- 4) Transfer Station \$725.00

Total Price: \$2900.00; \$100/HR for extra heavy snow equipment; my plow has a pipe as opposed to shoes. After review of bids and MC Law provided, there were no questions or comments made by the board. There were no motions made to extend the bidding period. Dunning motioned to accept Wright's Bid of \$2900.00, 2nd by Kengel. Roll Call Vote: Dunning; yes, Hopp; yes, Kengel; yes, Neumann; yes. Wright abstained. Motion approved.

PUBLIC COMMENT: Entered at 10:04am Closed at 10:18am

Motion to close meeting made Neumann, 2nd by Dunning

Meeting closed at 10:19am

Next Regular Board Meeting scheduled for November 12, at 10AM – Lovells Township Hall