

Town of Summit

The Town Board met in regular session on August 10th, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. at the town fire hall. President Travis Benthin present, members Frank Redlin & Dale Bauer present. Others present were: Norma Arend-finance officer, Calvin & Becky Pies, Jim Thurman, Connie Brotzel, David Cardwell, Josh Neuhard, Mike Tunnissen, Kathy Quale, Savannah Moe, Donn Richter, Deputy Sudbeck, Nicole Ebson, Tim Gapp, Brooke Pies & Andrew Carrell.

Benthin called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Public communications: Discussion with Andrew Carrell regarding his property. Mike Tunnissen gave written notice that Tunny's LLC will terminate the lease agreement with the Town of Summit effective September 10, 2026.

Motion by Benthin, second by Bauer to approve the minutes, financial reports and claims as presented. Motion carried. ***Insert Claims**

Old Business: Deputy Sudbeck gave the monthly sheriff's office report.

New business: Motion by Benthin, second by Redlin to approve a building permit for Dale Bauer. Motion carried.

Tim Gapp asked the board if the SAEG could advertise the daycare for lease. Motion by Redlin, second by Bauer to allow the SAEG to advertise the daycare for lease. All aye. Motion carried.

Discussion was held regarding the Northside addition lots. Since the new owners of lot 2 are not allowed access to their property via Highway 12 (access was denied by the SDDOT) they would like to swap lot 2 for lot 1. Motion by Redlin, second by Benthin to allow the new owner to swap lot 2 for lot 1. All aye. Motion carried. Our attorney will start the paperwork process.

The first reading of the 2027 budget was held.

Lake Are Vet will be at the Summit Fire Hall Saturday, August 15th from 8:30 to noon for annual pet vaccinations.

Board Communications: Benthin asked the board and public if they would like our engineer to come to a meeting to explain any grants we may be able to apply for. The board and public were in agreement to have Dane from ISG come to a meeting for discussions regarding available grants.

The next regular town board meeting will be Tuesday, September 8th (due to Labor Day) at 7:00pm at the town fire hall.

Norma Arend, Finance Officer