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NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

To the Electors of the Township of Shevlin in the County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That a General Election will be held in all the Election Precincts of the above named Township at the Shevlin Fire Hall in said Precinct, on Tuesday, the Third day of November 2026, at which the polls will be open from the hour of seven (7) o'clock A.M. to the hour of eight (8) o'clock P.M.

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One State Representative for District 2B
One State Senator for District 2
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One State Auditor
One Attorney Genreral
One Constitutional Amendment
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One County Auditor-Treasurer
One County Commissioner for District 3
One County Recorder
One County Sheriff
One County Attorney
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 3
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 4
TOWNSHIP OFFICES
One Town Supervisor for Seat A
One Town Supervisor for Seat B
One Town Treasurer
SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES
Three School Board Members for ISD 162
JUDICIAL OFFICES
Supreme Court Judges:
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Dated: September 30, 2026

Wallace Pettersen
Clerk of Shevlin Township

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

To the Electors of the Township of Itasca in the County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That a General Election will be held in all the Election Precincts of the above named Township at the Itasca Town Hall in said Precinct, on Tuesday, the Third day of November 2026, at which the polls will be open from the hour of ten (10) o'clock A.M. to the hour of eight (8) o'clock P.M. for

FEDERAL OFFICES,
STATE LEGISLATIVE OFFICES,
COUNTY OFFICES,
TOWNSHIP OFFICE,
SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES,
AND JUDICIAL OFFICES

Dated: October 1, 2026

Tom Elgin
Clerk of Itasca Township

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No. 0751

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Community Calendar

See what is happening in Clearwater County. Your event can also be listed here for FREE!

Community Calendar

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

To the Electors of the Township of Popple in the County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That a General Election will be held in all the Election Precincts of the above named City at the Bagley American Legion in said Precinct, on Tuesday, the Third day of November 2026, at which the polls will be open from the hour of seven (7) o'clock A.M. to the hour of eight (8) o'clock P.M.

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One Judge 9th District Court Seat 22

Dated: September 30, 2026

Sharla Evermoen, Clerk of the
Township of Popple

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

To the Electors of the Township of Falk in the County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That a General Election will be held in all the Election Precincts of the above named Township at the LaPrairie Town Hall in said Precinct, on Tuesday, the Third day of November 2026, at which the polls will be open from the hour of ten (10) o'clock A.M. to the hour of eight (8) o'clock P.M.

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Dated: September 30, 2026

Brenda Knable
Clerk of Falk Township

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

THE RIGHT TO VERIFICATION OF THE DEBT AND IDENTITY OF THE ORIGINAL CREDITOR WITHIN THE TIME PROVIDED BY LAW IS NOT AFFECTED BY THIS ACTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That default has occurred in the conditions of the following described mortgage:

DATE OF MORTGAGE: November 1, 2021

ORIGINAL PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF MORTGAGE: $165,415.00

MORTGAGOR(S): Joseph G. Neese, a single man

MORTGAGEE: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Lend Smart Mortgage, LLC

DATE AND PLACE OF FILING: Recorded on November 2, 2021 as Document Number A179362 in the Office of the County Recorder of Clearwater County, Minnesota.

ASSIGNMENTS OF MORTGAGE: Assigned to: Rocket Mortgage, LLC by assignment recorded on August 24, 2026 as Document Number A188166 in the Office of the County Recorder of Clearwater County, Minnesota.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: Lot Two (2) of Block Fourteen (14) of the Plat of Blocks Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14), Fifteen (15), Sixteen (16), Seventeen (17), Eighteen (18), and Nineteen (19) of Gonvick, according to the plat on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder, Clearwater County, Minnesota, and the following: Commencing at the Southeast corner of said Lot 2 of Block 14, as a point of beginning; thence running West along the South line thereof a distance of 150 feet; thence South a distance of 35 feet to the Center line of Third Avenue; thence East along said Center line a distance of 150 feet; thence North a distance of 35 feet to the point of beginning.

STREET ADDRESS OF PROPERTY: 381 ELM ST, GONVICK, MN 56644

COUNTY IN WHICH PROPERTY IS LOCATED: Clearwater County, Minnesota.

THE AMOUNT CLAIMED TO BE DUE ON THE MORTGAGE ON THE DATE OF THE NOTICE: $157,004.47

TRANSACTION AGENT: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc.

NAME OF MORTGAGE ORIGINATOR: Lend Smart Mortgage, LLC

RESIDENTIAL SERVICER: Nationstar Mortgage LLC, n/k/a Rocket Mortgage, LLC successor by merger to Nationstar Mortgage LLC

TAX PARCEL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 25.300.0870

TRANSACTION AGENT'S MORTGAGE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 1006919-1000086278-1

THAT no action or proceeding has been instituted at law to recover the debt then remaining secured by such mortgage, or any part thereof, or, if the action or proceeding has been instituted, that the same has been discontinued, or that an execution upon the judgment rendered therein has been returned unsatisfied, in whole or in part.

PURSUANT, to the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the above described property will be sold by the Sheriff of said county as follows:

DATE AND TIME OF SALE: December 03, 2026 at 10:00 AM.

PLACE OF SALE: Clearwater County Sheriff's Office, 213 Main Avenue North, Bagley, MN 56621.

to pay the debt then secured by said mortgage and taxes, if any actually paid by the mortgagee, on the premises and the costs and disbursements allowed by law. The time allowed by law for redemption by said mortgagor(s), their personal representatives or assigns is six (6) months from the date of sale.

TIME AND DATE TO VACATE PROPERTY: Unless said mortgage is reinstated or the property redeemed, or unless the time for redemption is reduced by judicial order, you must vacate the premises by 11:59 p.m. on June 3, 2027.

THE TIME ALLOWED BY LAW FOR REDEMPTION BY THE MORTGAGOR, THE MORTGAGOR'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OR ASSIGNS, MAY BE REDUCED TO FIVE WEEKS IF A JUDICIAL ORDER IS ENTERED UNDER MINNESOTA STATUTES, SECTION 582.032, DETERMINING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE MORTGAGED PREMISES ARE IMPROVED WITH A RESIDENTIAL DWELLING OF LESS THAN FIVE UNITS, ARE NOT PROPERTY USED IN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, AND ARE ABANDONED.

MORTGAGOR(S) RELEASED FROM FINANCIAL OBLIGATION ON MORTGAGE: None

Dated: October 05, 2026
ROCKET MORTGAGE, LLC
Mortgagee
TROTT LAW, P.C.
N. Kibongni Fondungallah, Esq.
Samuel R. Coleman, Esq.
Alexa Marsh, Esq.
Attorneys for Mortgagee
25 Dale Street North
St. Paul, MN 55102
(651) 209-9760
(26-0912-FC01)

Federal law may require reporting to the Financial Crimes Enforcement Network for certain purchases of residential property by entities or trusts. A successful third party bidder may be required to provide ownership and identifying information as a condition to completing the transfer.

THIS IS A COMMUNICATION FROM A DEBT COLLECTOR.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF
CLEARWATER IN
DISTRICT COURT
NINTH JUDICIAL
DISTRICT
NOTICE OF INFORMAL APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS (INTESTATE)
Court File No. 15-PR 26-339

Estate of
Jerold R. Walvatne,
Decedent

Notice is given that an application for informal appointment of personal representative has been filed with the Registrar. No will has been presented for probate. The application has been granted.

Notice is also given that the Registrar has informally appointed Rebecca Houge, whose address is 32491 Long Lake Point Road, Erhard, Minnesota, 56534, as personal representative of the Estate of the Decedent. Any heir or other interested person may be entitled to appointment as personal representative or may object to the appointment of the personal representative. Unless objections are filed with the Court (pursuant to Minnesota Statutes section 524.3-607) and the Court otherwise orders, the personal representative has full power to administer the Estate including, after 30 days from the date of issuance of letters, the power to sell, encumber, lease or distribute real estate.

Any objections to the appointment of the Personal Representative must be filed with this Court and will be heard by the Court after the filing of an appropriate petition and proper notice of hearing.

Notice is also given that (subject to Minnesota Statutes section 524.3-801) all creditors having claims against the Estate are required to present the claims to the personal representative or to the Court Administrator within four months after the date of this Notice or the claims will be barred.

Dated: 9/24/26
Attorney for
Personal Reprsentative
Ashley Boomgaarden
Johnson/Turner
56 E. Broadway Avenue,
Suite 102
Forest Lake, Minnesota, 55025
Attorney License No: 403504
Telephone: (651) 403-8967
FAX: (651) 464-7348
Email:boomgaarden@johnsonturner.com

Leah Leavitt
Registrar
Carissa Scholz
Court Administrator

Senior Transportation Service

Clearwater County residents who are 60 & over. Rides are scheduled Monday-Friday. 48-hour notice required. Call 218-888-2320 to schedule.

This project is made possible in part under the Federal Older Americans Act through an award from the Land of the Dancing Sky Area Agency on Aging under an Area Plan approved by the Minnesota Board on Aging.

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To the Electors of the Township of Sinclair in the County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota:

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One Attorney Genreral
One Constitutional Amendment

COUNTY OFFICES
One County Auditor-Treasurer
One County Recorder
One County Sheriff
One County Attorney
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 3
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 4

TOWNSHIP OFFICES
One Town Supervisor for Seat A
One Town Supervisor for Seat B
One Town Treasurer

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES
Three School Board Members for ISD 2311

JUDICIAL OFFICES
Supreme Court Judges:
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Dated: September 30, 2026

Brooke Pond,
Clerk of Sinclair Township

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

To the Electors of the Township of Nora in the County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota:

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One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 4

TOWNSHIP OFFICES
One Town Supervisor for Seat 1
One Town Clerk
Special Election for One Town Treasurer

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES
Three School Board Members for ISD 162

JUDICIAL OFFICES
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Dated: September 30, 2026

Karla Netland
Clerk of Nora Township

County Board of Commissioners Minutes

Board of Commissioners'
October 13, 2026

The October 13, 2026, meeting for the Clearwater County Board of Commissioners commenced at 9:00 a.m. with Chairman Titera presiding and Commissioners Dukek, Emmel, Larson and Ramsrud were present. The Board recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Agenda- Motion by Commissioner Ramsrud, seconded by Commissioner Dukek and carried, to approve the agenda.

Minutes- Motion by Commissioner Emmel, seconded by Commissioner Larson and carried, to approve September 15, 2026, Board Minutes with a few corrections.

Trail Blazers- Motion by Commissioner Ramsrud, seconded by Commissioner Larson and carried, to approve the revised motion from the September 8th, 2026, meeting to read as "The Clearwater County Board approves the Clearwater Trail Blazers Snowmobile Club, Inc. Off-Site Raffle Drawing to be held on December 20, 2026, at the Sportsman's Lodge, 47571 Sportsman Drive, Gonvick, MN 56644."

Engineer – Motion by Commissioner Larson, seconded by Commissioner Ramsrud and carried, to approve payment of the Clearwater County Highway Department bills as presented.

Motion by Commissioner Ramsrud, seconded by Commissioner Dukek and carried, to approve the 5-year Bridge Resolution Replacement Priority list whereas, Clearwater County has identified those bridges that are high priority and that require replacement, rehabilitation, or removal within the next five years.

Motion by Commissioner Ramsrud, seconded by Commissioner Titera and carried, to approve the Contract amendment for Engineering Design Services for SAP 015-635-010 Wild Rice Bridge Replacement as presented. All costs are fully reimbursable by the Bureau of Indian Affairs as documented in the agreement between the White Earth Band of Chippewa Indians and Clearwater County authorized in April 2026.

Motion by Commissioner Ramsrud, seconded by Commissioner Dukek and carried, to accept the Engineer's Certificate of Performance for SAP 015-637-005, SAP 003-637-022, SAP 015-639-007, and CP 26-042 and to authorize final payment to Hawkinson Construction

Hoffman, Phillip & Martell, PLLC – Marit Martell gave discussion on the 2025 Audit Report and the financial status.

Assessor – Motion by Commissioner Emmel, seconded by Commissioner Larson and carried, to advertise for a part-time appraiser for 1040 hours per year at Range 16 Step 1. With possibility to move full-time with the approval from the board. Motion presented by Board Coordinator Lori Lewis

Sheriff – Motion by Commissioner Larson, seconded by Commissioner Dukek and carried, to authorize the promotion of Communication Corrections Officer Ashley Maruska to Jail Programmer/Trainer at Range 15 step 2 effective October 13, 2026.

Auditor – Motion by Commissioner Dukek, seconded by Commissioner Ramsrud and carried, to renew the lease with Department of Public Safety for an additional five years and authorize Board Chairman to sign the lease.

Motion by Commissioner Larson, seconded by Commissioner Emmel and carried, to authorize County Board Chairman and County Auditor to sign the Limited Use Permit with the MN Department of Transportation for a Snowmobile Trail

Motion by Commissioner Larson, seconded by Commissioner Ramsrud and carried, to hire Donna Rae Carlson as the part-time Extension Secretary at Range 10 Step 7 rate $27.05. With a starting date of September 28, 2026.

Motion by Commissioner Dukek, seconded by Commissioner Ramsrud and carried, to post an In-house notice to fill in the Clearwater County Land Commissioner position for five days ending Friday October 23 at 4:30 pm. 2026. Salary for Range 21 is $37.85 - $48.73

Motion by Commissioner Emmel, seconded by Commissioner Titera and carried, to authorize the County Auditor to pay the submitted invoices of $240,323.66 from the County Revenue and $15,572.44 from the Public Health fund. Motions for Auditor's office were presented by Board Coordinator Lori Lewis.

Court Administration Attorney MIS – Motion requesting the County Board to approve funding in the amount of $49,766.00 for the implementation services/installation cost associated with the courtroom technology upgrades, as detailed in the attached quote. (on file). Motion was tabled until further details.

Environmental Services – Motion by Commissioner Ramsrud, seconded by Commissioner Emmel and carried, to adopt the "2027 proposed" solid waste service fee schedule, effective for taxes payable beginning 2027.

Motion by Commissioner Emmel, seconded by Commissioner Larson and carried, to authorize expenses not to exceed $5000.00 for dozer work to expand the yard waste burn area at the demolition landfill.

Motion by Commissioner Dukek, seconded by Commissioner Titera and carried, to adopt the "Revised October 2026" landfill fee schedule.

Emergency Management – Motion by Commissioner Ramsrud, seconded by Commissioner Dukek and carried, to amend the published County Emergency Operations Plan to change the location of the primary and secondary Emergency Operations Center to the Highway Department Building, second floor conference (Primary) and Courthouse Third Floor Meeting Room (Secondary) and for the County Emergency Manager to take needed action to conduct this transition.

Motion by Commissioner Larson, seconded by Commissioner Ramsrud and carried, to allow for the EM Director to purchase office furniture for the new Emergency Operations Center to be paid with non-levied dollars. (not to exceed $2,500.00)

Motion by Commissioner Larson, seconded by Commissioner Emmel and carried, to accept the quote as presented by RJK Electric to install more outlets and a dedicated circuit breaker in the County Emergency Operations Center to be paid for out of donated funds, non-levied dollars

Motion by Commissioner Dukek, seconded by Commissioner Ramsrud and carried, to allow for the County IT Department to order the recommended technology equipment for the Emergency Operations Center. In the amount of $18,785.94. To be paid out of donated funds, non-levied dollars.

Adjourn – Motion by Commissioner Larson, seconded by Commissioner Dukek and carried, to adjourn the meeting at 11:32 a.m.

Dated: October 20, 2026.

Lori Lewis,
Board Coordinator
Mark Titera,
Chairman

Bagley City Council Minutes

BAGLEY CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
September 9, 2026

The Bagley City Council met in a regular session on September 9, 2026 at 5:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall.

Present: Mayor Duane Lewis, Council members John Sutherland, Aaron Kaiser, and Chad Bonik, City Clerk Lyle Mathison, and Deputy Clerk Priscilla Johnson. Council member Dennis Merschman was absent.

Also present: Bill Masterson, Chris Arnold, Justin Netland, Adam Gunderson, and Allie Dalrymple.

Mayor Lewis called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

Motion was made by Kaiser to accept the agenda, seconded by Sutherland, motion carried.

Sutherland made a motion to approve the minutes of City Council Meetings from August 12 and 26, 2026. Seconded by Bonik, motion carried.

Sutherland made a motion to approve the consent agenda which included: Checks written in August for the City and Liquor Store, and approval to pay outstanding invoices for the City and Liquor Store. Seconded by Kaiser, motion carried.

Receipt totals for August were $47,793.10. Expenditure totals were $96,779.36. The liquor store financials were gone over for the month of August. Sutherland made a motion to approve the financials, seconded by Bonik, motion carried.

Liquor Store manager presented sales numbers for August to the council. Arnold created a document for future hole sponsorship requests. Former Viking Chad Greenway will be at the store on October 14th signing bottles and Vikings gear.

Fire Chief Netland gave an update for the month. A few firefighters are going to the northern region meeting September 10th. Unit #4 was delivered last Thursday September 3rd. A new bumper is being installed on it.

Police Chief Gunderson reported there were 80 calls for service for the month. He sent out quotes for engine repair on the 2023 Durango. A new remanufactured engine installed would be just under $9,000. Bonik made a motion to proceed with replacing the engine with the quote from Pink's repair for $8,791.93. Seconded by Sutherland, motion carried.

Arnold addressed the council again to inform them that the low dose hemp which is in the THC drinks at the liquor store will become federally illegal on December 15, 2026. The State of Minnesota is going to allow the sales in the state, its not illegal at the state level. The League of MN Cities has informed the city that they won't insure sales of the product after the first of the year. Arnold has confirmation from Illinois Casualty insurance that they will provide insurance for the sale of the low dose hemp products. At some point the council will have to make the decision to continue selling the products.

Masterson gave an update on zoning, the property on Pine Ave has been cleaned up.

Street department started sweeping roads today.

Public Utilities hired a company to trim the powerlines that can't be reached with the bucket.

On Saturday there will be a memorial at the cemetery for a Civil War veteran Pulver.

Raccoons have been digging up a portion of the cemetery. They seem to every few years when the grubs are bad. The street department has reconditioned the soil and there isn't a need to purchase the grub killer to cover the whole cemetery.

Mathison gave an update on the Rural Child Care Innovation Program. On September 30th there will be a Provider Appreciation Event. On October 28th there will be a Town Hall for the program.

The HRDC reached out to get a cost on the property to the south of the tax forfeited property if they end up bidding on it. Discussion was had on the special assessments on the property up on the tax forfeited auction. The special assessments can't be waived, the interest on the specials could get waived. Council is in favor of waving the interest if possible. Bonik made a motion to sell parcel 23.333.0420 for $1,000 to HRDC if they purchase the adjacent lot at tax forfeit sale. Seconded by Sutherland, motion carried.

Being there was no further business to come before the board, motion to adjourn was made by Sutherland, seconded by Bonik, motion carried.

ATTEST:
Duane Lewis,
Mayor
Lyle L. Mathison,
City Clerk Treasurer
Priscilla Johnson
Deputy City Clerk

BAGLEY CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
September 23, 2026

The Bagley City Council met in regular session on September 23, 2026 at 5:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall.

Present: Mayor Duane Lewis, Council members John Sutherland, Dennis Merschman, Chad Bonik, City Clerk Lyle Mathison, and Deputy Clerk Priscilla Johnson. Council member Aaron Kaiser was absent.

Also Present: Chris Arnold, Bill Masterson and Allie Dalrymple.

Mayor Lewis called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

Sutherland made a motion to accept the agenda, seconded by Bonik, motion carried.

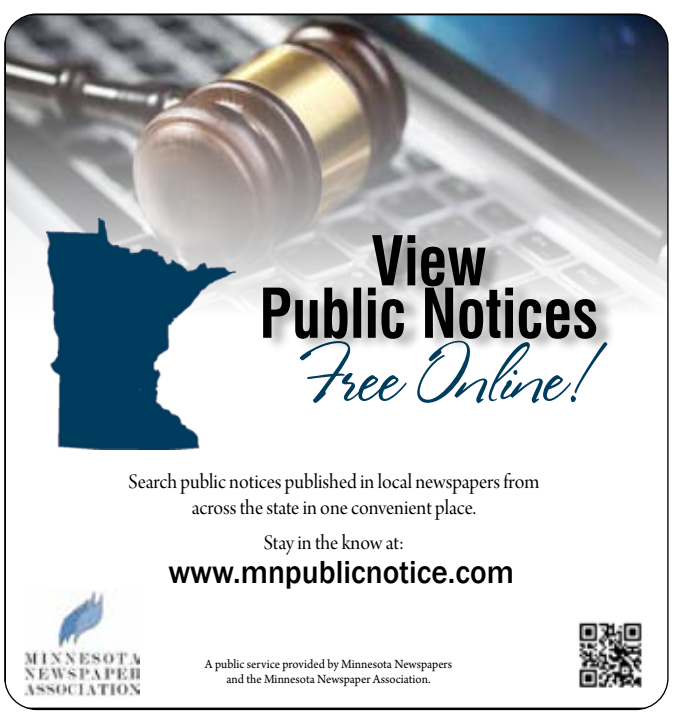
Sutherland made a motion to approve the payment of a Fire Safety USA Invoice for repairs on Engine number 1. Seconded by Merschman, motion carried.

Merschman made a motion to approve the sale of Lot 1 in the Kastner addition parcel: R23.333.0120 for $12,000 plus closing costs. Seconded by Bonik, motion carried.

Mathison went over the preliminary budget and levy for 2027. Bonik made a motion to accept the preliminary budget and levy as presented with a 2% levy increase. Seconded by Merschman, motion carried.

Being there was no further business to come before the board; motion to adjourn was made by Merschman, seconded by Sutherland, motion carried.

ATTEST:
Duane Lewis,
Mayor
Lyle L. Mathison,
City Clerk Treasurer
Priscilla Johnson
Deputy City Clerk



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JOB POSTING CLEARWATER COUNTY
DEPUTY ASSESSOR

Applications are now being accepted for the position of **Part-Time Deputy Assessor**. Under the general supervision of the County Assessor, the Deputy Assessor performs a variety of duties related to property appraisal, assessment, and taxation.

Key Responsibilities

- Inspect and evaluate real and personal property, as applicable, to determine property values and classifications for tax assessment purposes.
- Maintain and update assessment records, property data, and related departmental documentation.
- Respond to inquiries regarding property values, classifications, and property taxes.
- Address property assessment concerns and assist in resolving disagreements and disputes.
- Interpret and apply applicable laws, regulations, and statutes related to property assessment.
- Review and analyze Clearwater County property sales data to support accurate and equitable property valuations.
- Utilize maps, assessment software, and other technology to assist with property inspections, valuation, and assessment activities.

The ideal candidate will demonstrate strong attention to detail, effective communication and problem-solving skills, and the ability to interpret regulations and analyze property data accurately.

Applicants must have a high school diploma or equivalent and minimum of 2 years of additional education. Relevant experience in property assessment, real estate, or appraisals is preferred but not required. Applicants must possess a valid driver's license and have experience using computers and Microsoft Office applications. Candidates must demonstrate strong computer skills and be willing to learn and adapt to various software applications.

Starting salary is $29.40 – 37.93 an hour with no benefits currently.

Applications must be submitted to Allen Paulson, Clearwater County Auditor-Treasurer no later than November 6th, 2026. Applications may be obtained from the Clearwater County Service Center located on the 2nd floor of the Courthouse or on the website at www.co.clearwater.mn.us

Clearwater County is an Equal Opportunity Employer

Community Calendar

See what is happening in Clearwater County. Your event can also be listed here for FREE!

Community Calendar

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NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

To the Electors of the Township of Holst in the County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: Notice is hereby given to the residents of Holst Township that a General Election will be held at the Eddy Town Hall on November 3, 2026. Polls will be open from 10 a.m. – 8 p.m.

FEDERAL OFFICES
One United States Senator
One United States Representative for District 8

STATE LEGISLATIVE OFFICES
One State Representative for District 2B
One State Senator for District 2
One Governor and Lieutenant Governor
One Secretary of State
One State Auditor
One Attorney Genreral
One Constitutional Amendment

COUNTY OFFICES
One County Auditor-Treasurer
One County Commissioner for District 5
One County Recorder
One County Sheriff
One County Attorney
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 3
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 4

TOWN OFFICES
One Town Supervisor Town of Holst
One Town Treasurer Town of Holst

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES
Three School Board Members for ISD 162
Three School Board Members for ISD 2311

JUDICIAL OFFICES
Supreme Court Judges:
One Associate Justice of Supreme Court Seat 1
One Associate Justice of Supreme Court Seat 4
Appeals Court Judges:
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 1
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 7
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 13
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 15
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 18
District Court Judges:
9th Judicial District:
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 1
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 2
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 4
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 5
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 12
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One Judge 9th District Court Seat 19
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 20
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 21
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 22

Dated: October 19, 2026
Stephanie Anderson
Clerk of Township of Holst

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

To the Electors of the Township of LaPrairie in the County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That a General Election will be held in all the Election Precincts of the above named Township at the LaPrairie Town Hall in said Precinct, on Tuesday, the Third day of November 2026, at which the polls will be open from the hour of ten (10) o'clock A.M. to the hour of eight (8) o'clock P.M.

FEDERAL OFFICES
One United States Senator
One United States Representative for District 8

STATE LEGISLATIVE OFFICES
One State Representative for District 2B
One State Senator for District 2
One Governor and Lieutenant Governor
One Secretary of State
One State Auditor
One Attorney Genreral
One Constitutional Amendment

COUNTY OFFICES
One County Auditor-Treasurer
One County Recorder
One County Sheriff
One County Attorney
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 3
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 4

TOWNSHIP OFFICES
One Town Supervisor for Seat 1
One Town Supervisor for Seat 2

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES
Three School Board Members for ISD 162

JUDICIAL OFFICES
Supreme Court Judges:
One Associate Justice of Supreme Court Seat 1
One Associate Justice of Supreme Court Seat 4
Appeals Court Judges:
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 1
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 7
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 13
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 15
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 18
District Court Judges:
9th Judicial District:
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One Judge 9th District Court Seat 15
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 19
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 20
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 21
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 22

Dated: September 30, 2026
Sue Knutson
Clerk of LaPrairie Township

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

To the Electors of the Township of Eddy in the County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That a General Election will be held in all the Election Precincts of the above named Township at the Eddy Town Hall in said Precinct, on Tuesday, the Third day of November 2026, at which the polls will be open from the hour of ten (10) o'clock A.M. to the hour of eight (8) o'clock P.M.

FEDERAL OFFICES
One United States Senator
One United States Representative for District 8

STATE LEGISLATIVE OFFICES
One State Representative for District 2B
One State Senator for District 2
One Governor and Lieutenant Governor
One Secretary of State
One State Auditor
One Attorney Genreral
One Constitutional Amendment

COUNTY OFFICES
One County Auditor-Treasurer
One County Commissioner for District 5
One County Recorder
One County Sheriff
One County Attorney
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 3
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 4

TOWNSHIP OFFICES
One Town Supervisor for Seat 1
One Town Supervisor for Seat 2
One Town Treasurer

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES
Three School Board Members for ISD 162
Three School Board Members for ISD 2311

JUDICIAL OFFICES
Supreme Court Judges:
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One Judge 9th District Court Seat 22

Dated: September 30, 2026
Marilyn Shamp
Clerk of Eddy Township

2026 STATE GENERAL ELECTION PRECINCTS November 3, 2026

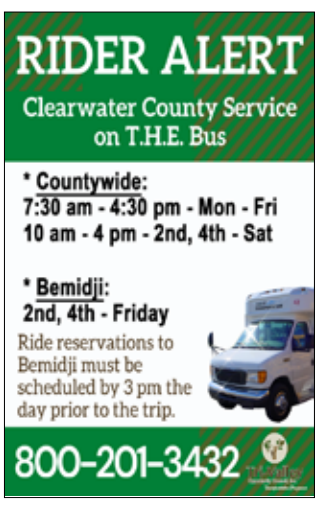
PRECINCTS		POLLS OPEN
1) City of Clearbrook Leon Township Sinclair Township	**Clearbrook City hall (Old School Building)**	**7:00 A.M.**
2) City of Gonvick Pine Lake Township Winsor Township Greenwood Township	**Gonvick Community Center**	**7:00 A.M.**
3) Holst Township Eddy Township	**Eddy Town Hall**	**10:00 A.M.**
4) City of Bagley	**Bagley City Public Library**	**7:00 A.M.**
5) Copley Township	**Copley Town Hall**	**7:00 A.M.**
6) Falk Township LaPrairie Township	**Laprairie Town Hall**	**10:00 A.M.**
7) Nora Township Popple Township	**Bagley American Legion**	**7:00 A.M.**
8) Itasca Township	**Itasca Town Hall**	**10:00 A.M.**
9) Minerva Township	**Minerva Town Hall**	**10:00 A.M.**
10) Shevlin Township City of Shevlin Moose Creek Township Bear Creek Township	**Shevlin Fire Hall**	**7:00 A.M.**
11) Red Lake Unorganized Long Lost Lake Township City of Leonard Unorganized 143-36 Township Hangaard Township Rice Township Dudley Township Clover Township	**Auditor's Office**	**7:00 A.M.**

Clearwater County Food Shelf Hours

Clearwater County Food Shelf is open every Wednesday from 10 a.m.-2:00 p.m. in the basement of the Bagley American Legion (go to the back door).

Monetary contributions can be mailed to Clearwater County Food Shelf, PO Box 578, Bagley, MN 56621.

Food donations can be dropped off at the Food Shelf on Wednesdays. tf-psa



Bemidji DAV Van

The Bemidji DAV Van runs through Shevlin, Bagley, Fosston, Clearbrook, and Leonard at no cost to Veterans 5 days a week except on holidays.

Call **855-277-9787** for your free ride: Clearwater CVSO has our schedules with names and numbers.

PSA

Veterans
Are welcome to join their peers at the D&R Café in Bagley on Wednesday mornings at 9 a.m. for coffee and a chat.

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

To the Electors of the Township of Minerva in the County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That a General Election will be held in all the Election Precincts of the above named Township at the Minerva Town Hall in said Precinct, on Tuesday, the Third day of November 2026, at which the polls will be open from the hour of ten (10) o'clock A.M. to the hour of eight (8) o'clock P.M.

FEDERAL OFFICES
One United States Senator
One United States Representative for District 8

STATE LEGISLATIVE OFFICES
One State Representative for District 2B
One State Senator for District 2
One Governor and Lieutenant Governor
One Secretary of State
One State Auditor
One Attorney Genreral
One Constitutional Amendment

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One County Auditor-Treasurer
One County Recorder
One County Sheriff
One County Attorney
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 3
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 4

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES
Three School Board Members for ISD 162

JUDICIAL OFFICES
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One Judge 9th District Court Seat 20
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 21
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 22

Dated: September 30, 2026
Susan Sunderland
Clerk of Minerva Township

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Clearwater County **State of Minnesota** **November 3, 2026**

State General Election Ballot

Instructions to Voters:

To vote, completely fill in the oval(s) next to your choice(s) like this: ⬬

Federal Offices

U.S. Senator Vote for One
- Marisa Simonetti, Independent
- Rebecca Whiting, Libertarian
- Peggy Flanagan, Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- Michele Tafoya, Republican
- write-in, if any

U.S. Representative District 8 Vote for One
- Pete Stauber, Republican
- Trina Swanson, Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- write-in, if any

State Offices

State Senator District 2 Vote for One
- Dan R. Rogers, Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- Steve Green, Republican
- Calvin Larson Jr, United New Independence
- write-in, if any

State Representative District 2A Vote for One
- Reed J. Olson, Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- Bidal Duran Jr, Republican
- write-in, if any

State Representative District 2B Vote for One
- Emily Thabes, Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- Matt Bliss, Republican
- write-in, if any

Governor and Lieutenant Governor Vote for One Team
- Steven Young and Jane Kirby, Green
- Amy Klobuchar and Ben Schierer, Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- Lisa Demuth and Ryan Wilson, Republican
- write-in, if any

Secretary of State Vote for One
- Steve Simon, Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- Seth Kuhl-Stennes, Green
- Tad Jude, Republican
- George "Chip" Tangen, Libertarian
- write-in, if any

Publication Ballot

City Offices

Council Member City of Bagley Vote for Up to Two
- John Michael Sutherland
- write-in, if any
- write-in, if any

Council Member City of Clearbrook Vote for Up to Two
- Rachel Nelson
- Jeff Newman
- write-in, if any
- write-in, if any

Council Member City of Gonvick Vote for Up to Two
- Adam Burman
- Dan Sundquist
- Shane Olson
- write-in, if any
- write-in, if any

Council Member City of Leonard Vote for Up to Two
- Tammie Harr
- Sam Seyller
- write-in, if any
- write-in, if any

Town Offices

Town Supervisor Seat 1 Town of Hangaard Vote for One
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 1 Town of La Prairie Vote for One
- Deborah L McCollum
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 1 Town of Nora Vote for One
- Bruce P. Christianson
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 2 Town of Hangaard Vote for One
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 2 Town of La Prairie Vote for One
- Carl A McCollum
- write-in, if any

Publication Ballot

State Offices

State Auditor Vote for One
- Jay Reeves, Forward Independence Party
- Scott Jensen, Republican
- Zack Filipovich, Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- write-in, if any

Attorney General Vote for One
- Keith Ellison, Democratic-Farmer-Labor
- Ronald J. Schutz, Republican
- write-in, if any

Constitutional Amendments

Failure to vote on a constitutional amendment will have the same effect as voting no on the amendment.

To vote for a proposed constitutional amendment, fill in the oval next to the word "Yes" on that question. To vote against a proposed constitutional amendment, fill in the oval next to the word "No" on that question.

Increasing funding to school districts

Shall the Minnesota Constitution be amended to increase the funding going to all school districts from the permanent school fund, which is a fund that supports school districts without raising individual income or property taxes, effective July 1, 2027?
- Yes
- No

County Offices

County Commissioner District 1 Vote for One
- Mark Titera
- write-in, if any

County Commissioner District 3 Vote for One
- Stuart Dukek
- write-in, if any

County Commissioner District 5 Vote for One
- Mark Larson
- write-in, if any

County Auditor - Treasurer Vote for One
- Niki Broten
- Taylor Engelstad
- write-in, if any

County Recorder Vote for One
- Rodney C. Knutson
- write-in, if any

Town Offices

Town Supervisor Seat 3 Town of Holst Vote for One
- Kelly Christensen
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat A Town of Greenwood Vote for One
- Duane Petterson
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 1 Town of Copley Vote for One
- Tim Hoyt
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 1 Town of Eddy Vote for One
- Erick Thoresen
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 1 Town of Falk Vote for One
- Gene Warren
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 1 Town of Itasca Vote for One
- Marvin Sauer
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 1 Town of Long Lost Lake Vote for One
- John Anderson
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 1 Town of Popple Vote for One
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 1 Town of Winsor Vote for One
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 2 Town of Eddy Vote for One
- Mike Nordlund
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat 2 Town of Itasca Vote for One
- Gary L Anderson
- write-in, if any

County Offices

County Sheriff Vote for One
- Clarence LaCroix
- Adam Gunderson
- write-in, if any

County Attorney Vote for One
- Karin R. Hughes
- write-in, if any

Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor District 3 Vote for One
- write-in, if any

Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor District 4 Vote for One
- Douglas Alan Sloan
- write-in, if any

City Offices

Mayor City of Bagley Vote for One
- Duane Lewis
- write-in, if any

Mayor City of Clearbrook Vote for One
- Dylan Goudge
- write-in, if any

Mayor City of Gonvick Vote for One
- Susan Sims
- write-in, if any

Mayor City of Leonard Vote for One
- Andrew Lundmark
- write-in, if any

Mayor City of Shevlin Vote for One
- Calvin A Larson Sr
- write-in, if any

Council Member City of Shevlin Vote for One
- Bradley Spaulding
- write-in, if any

Town Offices

Town Supervisor Seat A Town of Moose Creek Vote for One
- Ray Teige
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat A Town of Rice Vote for One
- Casey LaVine
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat A Town of Shevlin Vote for One
- Kyle Gray
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat A Town of Sinclair Vote for One
- Larry Pond Jr.
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat B Town of Moose Creek Vote for One
- Kenneth Christenson
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat B Town of Rice Vote for One
- Owen Shegrud
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat B Town of Shevlin Vote for One
- Daniel Johnshoy
- write-in, if any

Town Supervisor Seat B Town of Sinclair Vote for One
- Hilary Johnson
- write-in, if any

Special Election for Town Treasurer Town of Nora To fill vacancy in term expiring January 01, 2029 Vote for One
- write-in, if any

Town Clerk Town of Nora Vote for One
- write-in, if any

Town Treasurer Town of Eddy Vote for One
- write-in, if any

Town Offices

Town Treasurer Town of Greenwood Vote for One
- Sheryll Petterson
- write-in, if any

Town Treasurer Town of Hangaard Vote for One
- write-in, if any

Town Treasurer Town of Holst Vote for One
- Bonnie Engen
- write-in, if any

Town Treasurer Town of Itasca Vote for One
- Lynn Riggs
- write-in, if any

Town Treasurer Town of Long Lost Lake Vote for One
- Nicholas C. Larson
- write-in, if any

Town Treasurer Town of Moose Creek Vote for One
- Janet A. Olson
- write-in, if any

Town Treasurer Town of Poople Vote for One
- write-in, if any

Town Treasurer Town of Rice Vote for One
- Kurt Wannebo
- write-in, if any

Town Treasurer Town of Shevlin Vote for One
- Amanda Haugan
- write-in, if any

Town Treasurer Town of Sinclair Vote for One
- write-in, if any

Town Treasurer Town of Winsor Vote for One
- write-in, if any

Publication Ballot

Judicial Offices

Supreme Court

Associate Justice 1 - Supreme Court Vote for One
- Sarah Hennesy, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Associate Justice 4 - Supreme Court Vote for One
- Paul Thissen, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Court of Appeals

Judge 1 - Court of Appeals Vote for One
- Elizabeth Bentley, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 7 - Court of Appeals Vote for One
- Rachel Bond, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 13 - Court of Appeals Vote for One
- Jeanne Cochran, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 15 - Court of Appeals Vote for One
- Kevin G. Ross, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 18 - Court of Appeals Vote for One
- JaPaul J. Harris, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

9th District Court

Judge 1 - District Court Vote for One
- Matti Adam, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 2 - District Court Vote for One
- Henry C. Ambelang
- Matthew R. Mallie, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 4 - District Court Vote for One
- Charles D. Halverson, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 5 - District Court Vote for One
- Kimberly Wimmer, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 12 - District Court Vote for One
- Sarah L. McBroom, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Town Offices

Town Clerk - Treasurer Town of Copley Vote for One
- Cindy Olson
- write-in, if any

School District Offices

School Board Member At Large NO. 38 (Red Lake) Vote for Up to Four
- Tina Stately
- Dustin Thunder-Harris
- Jennifer Schoenborn
- Vestanna Cook
- Ryan Holthusen
- Sharon Kingbird
- Robert Pemberton Sr
- Deanna Pemberton
- write-in, if any
- write-in, if any
- write-in, if any
- write-in, if any

School Board Member NO. 162 (Bagley) Vote for Up to Three
- Christine Bjerke
- Mercedes Jesness
- Elliott Stai
- Kayci Styles
- Amanda Koop
- Wendy Fultz
- write-in, if any
- write-in, if any
- write-in, if any

School Board Member NO. 2311 (Clearbrook-Gonvick) Vote for Up to Three
- Dan Larson
- Randall Bodensteiner
- Scott Anderson
- Corey Petterson
- write-in, if any
- write-in, if any
- write-in, if any

Judicial Offices

9th District Court

Judge 13 - District Court Vote for One
- Daniel M. Hawley, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 14 - District Court Vote for One
- Kathryn A. Lorsbach, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 15 - District Court Vote for One
- Tamara L. Yon, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 19 - District Court Vote for One
- Jana Austad, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 20 - District Court Vote for One
- Michael Patrick Grover, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 21 - District Court Vote for One
- Patricia A. Aanes, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Judge 22 - District Court Vote for One
- Seamus P. Duffy, Incumbent
- write-in, if any

Publication Ballot

Bagley Senior Center Menu

November 2 - 6

Monday: Fish patty on bun, oven browned potatoes, steamed broccoli and cookie

Tuesday: Chicken Alfredo over pasta, garlic breadstick, mixed veggies and fruited gelatin

Wednesday: Meatballs, mashed potatoes with gravy, creamed cabbage and Rice Krispy bar

Thursday: Ham and beans, corn bread, fruit juice and bars

Friday: Cook's choice

Low fat milk, margarine and bread included with meals.
- Meals are subject to change.
- Reservations by 10 am
- Meals Served at 11:30 am

Call Kay 9:30-1:00
Mon-Fri 218-694-6873

Suggested Donation for Seniors is $6.00.
Under 60 is $10.00

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Friday: Cook's choice

- Reservations by 9 am the day of 218-776-3154
- Low fat milk, margarine and Bread included with meals.
- Meals are subject to change.

NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS OF MOOSE CREEK TOWNSHIP

The general election will be held on November 3, 2026, from 7 AM – 8 PM at the Shevlin Fire Hall. Terms will begin on January 1, 2027.

Megan Teige, Clerk
Moose Creek Township

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT #2311 CLEARBROOK-GONVICK PUBLIC SCHOOLS STATE OF MINNESOTA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the general election has been called and will be held in and for Independent School District No. 2311, Clearbrook-Gonvick, State of Minnesota, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of November 2026, for the purpose of electing three (3) school board members for four-year terms. The ballot shall provide as follows:

Instructions to Voters:

To vote, completely fill in the oval(s) next to your choice(s) like this: ⬬

School Board Member Vote for Up to THREE:
- Randall Bodensteiner
- Scott Anderson
- Dan Larson
- Corey Petterson
- _____ write-in, if any
- _____ write-in, if any
- _____ write-in, if any

BY ORDER OF THE SCHOOL BOARD
Kayla Walberg School District Clerk

Farmers Publishing Co. ANNUAL MEETING

October 29, 2026 7:00 pm

The annual meeting will be held at the Farmers Independent office.

The business of the annual meeting will consist of a review of the annual financial reports, election of two directors, and the handling of any other business brought properly before the board.

Ken Brein, President
Farmers Publishing Co.

Clearwater County Agricultural Society 2026 ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE

The Clearwater County Ag Society will hold their annual directors meeting on Thursday, November 5 at 8:00 pm in the Clearwater County Courthouse in Bagley MN in the Commissioners Board Room on the second floor.

Curt Nyegaard, Manager

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