

United States of America, State of Minnesota -- Chaska Town Board.

Known all men by these presents -- That the Town of Chaska in the County of Carver in the State of Minnesota acknowledge themselves indebted to the bearer hereof in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars which said sum the said Town of Chaska in the County of Carver, promise to pay to the bearer in the City of New York in the State of New York on or before the first day of September in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy Seven with interest on said sum at the rate of seven per cent per Annum payable Semi-Annually. The above mentioned sum being a part of a loan authorized by an Act of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, approved March 6, 1871 A.D., Entitled "An Act to authorize the Supervisors of the Township of Chaska in the County of Carver to issue the Bonds of said Township for Court House purposes". In testimony whereof the Supervisors of the Town of Chaska have herewith set their hands and seal, the first day of September A.D. 1872. Signed and sealed in presents of;

Philip Henk (seal) Supervisor
Frank Mieseler " "
Jacob Ebinger " "

F.E. Du Toit
Lucius Warner
Attest; Daniel Stone Town Clerk.

Bond no.	1	due	September 1st	1877	\$500.00
"	"	1	Interest Coupon	Mar. 1, 1873	17.50
"	"	2	"	Sept 1 1873	17.50
"	"	3	"	Mar. 1 1874	17.50
"	"	4	"	Sept 1 1874	17.50
"	"	5	"	Mar. 1 1875	17.50
"	"	6	"	Sept 1 1875	17.50
"	"	7	"	Mar. 1 1876	17.50
"	"	8	"	Sept 1 1876	17.50
"	"	9	"	Mar. 1 1877	17.50
"	"	10	"	Sept 1 1877	17.50

Note - There were 15 such bonds, the latter drew \$3.50 interest.

Mar. 12, 1872. Report of John Kerker, Town Treasurer;

Mar. 12, 1872,	balance in Treasuere	\$.45
July 15, 1872	orders frpm County Treasurer	182 .19
Mar. 4, 1873	cash and orders from County Treas.	101.11
Mar. 8, 1873	" " " " " "	130.21
		<u>413.96</u>

July 16, 1872	paid on Bonds of Linenfelsner and Faber	115.00
	orders canceled	218.60
	Treasure fees	8.27
	cash on hand	72.09
		<u>413.96</u>

Mar. 8, 1873	Report of George Faber, Town Treasurer;	
Mar. 8, 1873	cash on hand	\$72.09
	poll tax of L. Noble	3.00
	" " J. and D. Kerker	6.00
July 9, 1873	cash from County Treasurer	405.87
Mar. 5 1873	" " " "	338.98
	cash and orders	269.61
	poll tax from Philip Henk	7.50
		<u>1,103.05</u>
Mar. 5, 1874	road and bonds orders	340.70
	construction house and bond cupons	217.00
	treasures fees	14.89
	town orders	50.95
	road and bridge	113.10
	C. H. bonds cupons	94.50
	treasure fees	5.54
	cash on hand	12.66
		<u>1,103.05</u>

Mar. 9, 1874	Report of William Brinkhaus Town Treasurer	
	cash on hand	\$12.66
	cash from D. Stone & Geo Schoenborn	26.00
	received from County Treasure	637.91
		<u>676.37</u>
	paid by orders	439.42
	cupons received and given to Brinkhaus to be burned and destroyed	234.50
		<u>673.92</u>

Mar. 10, 1874 United States of America, State of Minnesota, Chaska Town Board. Known all men by these presents; That the Town of Chaska in County of Carver in the State of Minnesota acknowledge themselves indebted to the bearer hereof in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars which said sum the said Town of Chaska in the County of Carver promise to pay to bearer in the City of New York in the State of New York on or before the first day of September in the year of our Lord One Thousand-Eight Hundred and Seventy-Seven ~~Dollars~~ with interest on said sum at the rate of Seven per cent per Annum payable semi-annually. The above mentioned sum being a part of a loan authorized by an Act of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, approved Mar. 6, 1871 A.D. Entitled "An Act to authorize the Supervisors of the Town of Chaska in the County of Carver, to issue the bonds of said Town for a Court House purposes. In testimony whereof the Supervisors of the Town of Chaska have herewith set their hands and seal, the first day of September A.D. 1872. Digned and sealed in presence of; Philip Henk, Frank Messler and Jacob Ebinger Supervisors, F.E. Du Toit, Lucius Warner and Daniel Stone Town Clerk.

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August 24, 1876. To the Supervisors of the Town of Chaska, in the County of Carver, State of Minnesota.

The undersigned having been employed by you to make a survey of the Chaska-Victoria and Smithtown-Excelsior roads in the Town of Chaska Twp. 115 Range 23, Carver County, Minnesota, would report that the following is a correct survey, thereof as made by me under your direction to wit; Chaska-Victoria Road;

Commencing at a point on the North line of the Village of Chaska, in the middle of the Chestnut Street of said Village, thence running North 12 degrees East to variation 11" 13 chains and 28 links to Section corner of Section 4, 5, 8 & 9 Twp. 115 Range 23, thence North along West line of said Section 4, 15 chains and 71 links to a Stone, thence North 13 degrees East 7 chains and 63 links to a point, thence North 12 degrees East 2 chains and 90 links to a point, thence North 12 12 degrees West 1 chain and 57 links to a point on a bridge, thence North 31½ degrees West 5 chains and 20 links to a Stone of the West line of said Section which Stone being at a distance of 7 chains and 50 links South from the Quarter Section post between said Section 4 and 5, thence North 24 degrees 8 chains and 27 links to a point on the Quarter Section line running East and West in said Section 5, thence North 24 degrees 10 chains and 30 links to a Stone intersecting the middle line of the Excelsior road, thence North 24 degrees West 1 chain and 30 links to a point which is 50 links South from the South-East corner of Mrs; Catherine Kaiser land, thence North 57½ West parallel with the South line of said Kaiser land 15 chains and 83 links to a point, thence North 49 degree West 2 chains and 26 links to a Stone, thence North 35 degrees West 14 chains and 23 links to a Stone, thence North 53 degrees West 5 chains and 98 links to a point, thence North 66 degrees West 3 chains and 80 links to a Stone on the Quarter Section line running North and South in said Section 5 and which Stone being 5 chains and 81 links South from the Quarter Section post on the North line of said Section 5, thence North 49 degrees West 9 chains and 21 links to a Stone on the Town line and being 7 chains and 9 links West from the Quarter Section post on the North line of said Section 5 its termination. The above described line to be the middle line of the road which is to be 4 rods wide.

Chaska-Smithtown Road; Commencing at a Stone on the Town line which Stone being at a distance of 6 chains and 47 links East from the Quarter Section Post on the North line of Section 5, Twp. 115 Range 23, thence running South 7 degrees West with 11 degrees 3 chains and 91 links to a Stone, thence South 17½ degrees East 7 chains and 80 links to a stone intersecting the center line of the Chaska-Victoria Road its termination. Road to be 4 rods wide.

Chaska-Excelsior Road; Commencing at a Stone on the Town line which Stone being a distance of 5 chains and 50 links West from the North-East corner of Section 5 Twp. 115 Range 23, thence running South 7 degree West with 11 degree East 7 chains and 30 links to the North-East corner of the John Schafer land, thence South 4 degree West 12 chains and 62 links to a post 16 links East from the South-East corner of said Schafer land, thence South 4 degree West 13 chains to a Stone intersecting the Chaska-Victoria Road. its termination. The above described line to be the middle line of the road which is to be 4 rods wide, and that herewith is a correct plat of said roads according to said Survey, dated at Chaska this 24th day of August A.D. 1876 by

H. J. Chevre, County Surveyer.

Aug. 26, 1876. The following releasers of Right of Way; Henry Hammers, John Boss, Catherine Kaiser and John G. Mertz.

Peter Weego Town Clerk

Tax levy for Court House Bonds and Interest at 10 mills. for Town Fund at 7 mills.

Mar. 13, 1877. Town Election results as following;

Chairman of Supervisors,	Florian Linenfelsler	167	votes.	electe
"	J.W. Gregg	44	"	
Supervisor	Jacob Ehrmantrou	147	"	electe
"	Herman Brinkhaus	182	"	electe
"	Henry Jaspers	40	"	
"	Philip Henk	25	"	
"	J.W. Gregg	25	"	
Town Clerk	Peter Weego	210	"	electe
Treasurer	F.W. Henning	118	"	electe
"	William Brinkhaus	91	"	
Assessor	Charles Moeschler	117	"	electe
"	Mathias Schmidt	92	"	
Justice of the Peace	J.F. Dilley	175	"	electe
"	Peter Barthel	33	"	
"	Peter Iltis	2	"	
Constable	L.W. Noble	203	"	electe
"	Bruno Schubert	196	"	electe
"	John Doelz	13	"	
Overseer of Highway	J. Kitzmann	by acclamation		
Pound Master	Leonard Grates	by acclamation (resign)		
"	Gotthelf Schubert	appointed		
County Commissioner	Fredetick Iltis	1st. Dist.	162	elected
"	Joseph Vogel	" "	44	
"	Charles Kenning	" "	1	
"	Andrew Riedele	" "	1	

Notice was served to M. Quance and Catherine Kaiser to remove their fence on the Chaska-Excelsior Road. "Grasshoppers Year"

June 22, 1877. All board members were present, following bills allowed;

Andrew Schrimpf	lumber	\$37.99	Charles Kenning	work	\$16.51
E. Buchholz	grasshopper dozer	16.00	Joseph Ess	rep scraper	4.65
Heinemann & Seeger	sheet iron	3.32	Math Schmidt	Ele Judge	2.00
Henry Ehrmantrou	grasshopper	8.00	John Kitzmann	Overseer	30.00
Jacob	ex.road & Ele Judge	11.75	Chas May	haul stones	2.00
H. Brinkhaus	" " "	5.75	Peter Weego	Ele Clérk	2.00
J.F. Dilley	team for Supervis.	4.50	Jacob May	haul brush	3.00
F. Linenfelsler	ex.rd. Ele Jud	11.75	Super. Chm.	salary	35.00 yr
Clerk salary	per year	50.00	Supervisors	salary	25.00 yr
Gerhard Deuhe	boarding C Rude	10.00	per month (pauper?)		

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Henry Buckenfeld	73	A	W ¹ / ₂ of NE	Sect. 8, raised	\$50
Jacob Ebinger	106	A	SW ¹ / ₂	" 8 "	50

Warner & James	Lot 9 & 10	Block 29,	raised	\$55.00	in Valuat
F. Teubert	" 9	" 45	reduced	25.00	" "
F. Delzing	" 5, 6, 7, 8, 9	" 25	raised	25.00	" "
Fred Greiner	" 1	" 35	raised	25.00	" "
Paul Lang	" 5	" 6	reduced	50.00	" "
Herman Brinkhaus	" 1	" 27	raised	100.00	" "
L.W. Noble	" 6	" 30	"	50.00	" "
G. Kraenbuhl	" 4	" 38	"	90.00	" "
Mathias Zimmer	" 5	" 42	reduced	50.00	" "
J. Ehrmantrou	" 5	" 38	"	25.00	" "
J.A. Gargent	" 1	" 39	raised	75.00	" "
Mathias Schmidt	" 1	" 36	"	50.00	" "
Mrs. M. Young	" 3	" 37	"	100.00	" "
Joseph Ess	" 3	" 37	"	25.00	" "
Adam Reus	" 1, 2	" 40	"	35.00	" "
Philip Henk	" 10	" 44	"	200.00	" "
Sarah Richardson		" 67	"	25.00	" "
T.D. Smith	" 8 - 12	" 66	"	100.00	" "
Theresa Gobelhei	" 1	" 47	"	25.00	" "

On motion the Board of Review adjourned sine die at 6 o'clock P.M.

Attest. Peter Weego
Town Clerk

Florian Linenfelser
Herman Brinkhaus
J. Ehrmantrou
Supervisors

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March 11, 1879. Annual Town meeting called to order by Peter Weego, town clerk. On motion F.E. Du Toit was chosen Moderator. The Moderator called the meeting to order and stated the order of business as follows; First, adopting of by-laws, Second, election of Overseer of Highways, Third, reading of the annual report, Fourth, levy of Taxes, Fifth, misselaneous business, Sixth, opening of the Poll.

On motion, Charles Raasch was elected Overseer of Highway by acclamation. On motion. Christ Kremer was elected Pound Master by acclamation.

Annual report of Supervisors was read and approved and filed.

The following rates of tax were voted for the current year; Town tax of 5 mills, Poor tax at 2 mills, Interest on Court House Bonds 5 mills

Polls were declared open and the following Judges and Clerks were duly sworn by F.C. Riebe a Notary Public. Judges; Florian Linenfelser, H. Brinkhaus and Theodore Bitting, Clerks; Peter Weego and M. Melvin.

Election results as following;

Chairman of Supervisors;	F.W. Henning	208 votes, electe
	Florian Linenfelser	2 "

Supervisor	Herman Brinkhaus	169	votes, elected
"	Jacob Byhoffer	137	" elected
"	Andrew Schrimpf	62	"
"	Ferdinand Hammer	88	"
"	J. Ehrmentraut	1	"
Clerk	Peter Weego	277	" elected
"	Joseph Franken	1	"
Treasurer	Michael Hammer	228	" elected
Assessor	Charles Moeschler	113	" elected
"	Math Muyres	97	"
Justice of the Peace	J.F. Dilly	206	" elected
"	F.C. Riebe	22	"
Constable	Math Loglin	225	" elected
"	Bruno Schubert	205	" elected
"	John Reis	11	"
"	L.W. Noble	2	"
"	J.C. Wagner	1	"

Election Judges and Clerks received \$2.00 each.

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May 2, 1879. Petition of Conrad Fink and others for laying out a Public Cartway being 2 rods wide as follows; Commencing at a point on the S line of Sect 9 Twp 115 Range 23 which point being at a distance of 2 chains and 98 links E from the SW corner of said Sect. 9, thence with a variation of 10 degree E running N 27 degree E one chain and 58 links to a point, thence N 10 degree E to a point, thence N 16 1/2 degree W 6 chains and 70 links to a point on the S side of Creek, thence N 34 1/2 degree W 2 chains and 30 links to a point, thence N 10 degree 5 chains and 60 links to a point; thence N 23 1/2 degree E 7 chains and 10 links to a point in the Levee Street in the Village of Chaaska its termination. The names of owners of the land over which said Cartway will pass are; Frank Miesler and Warner & James.

May 20, 1879. Board of Supervisors met pursuant to adjournment. On motion the Petition of Conrad Fink and others asking for a Public Cartway was considered, affidavit of Conrad Fink of service of notices of hearing was presented and filed. A remonstrance was presented by Frank Miesler and others against the laying out of said Cartway was presented and filed. On motion resolved that the Board proceed to examine the proposed route, they adjourned until 3 O'clock P.M. At 3 o'clock P.M. the Board resumed and on motion resolved that further consideration on action on the Petition of Conrad Fink and others be postponed until Thursday May 22, 1879 at 5 O'clock P.M.

May 22, 1879 at 5 O'clock the Board of Supervisors met pursuant to the adjournment. All members were present. The Board was called to order by F.W. Henning chairman. On motion the minutes of the last meeting was read and approved. On motion Resolved that the Petition of Conrad Fink and others praying for a Public Cartway through the land of Frank Miesler and others be and the same is hereby rejected. On motion the Board of Supervisors adjourned.

Attest: Peter Weego Town Clerk

Mar. 9, 1880. Annual Town meeting called to order by Peter Weego. On motion the Tax rate as follows; Town at 5 mills, Poor at 2 mills Principal and Interest on Court House at 5 mills. The Judges of election were; Mathias Schmidt, M.H. Muyres & Frederick Salter, the Clerks of election were; P. Weego & Henry Byhoffer. The Polls were declared open by the Moderator at 10 o'clock A.M. and were closed at 5 o'clock P.M. Election results as follows;

Supervisor	Chairman	F.W. Henning	188	elected
"	"	Ferdinand Hammer	170	elected
"	"	Herman Brinkhaus	144	elected
"	"	Frank Missler	53	
Clerk		Peter Weego	184	elected
"		Joseph Franken	1	
Assessor		Charles Moeschler	184	elected
"		F. Ohland	3	
Treasurer		Michael Hammer	185	elected
"		Christ Eder	1	
Justice of the Peace		Peter Iltis	179	elected
"	"	P. Barthel	4	
Overseer of Highway		Charles Raasch	by acclamation	
Pound Master		Fred Hacken	" "	

Chairmen of the Board authorized to purchase the necessary clothing for Mrs. C. Rude (pauper)

June 28, 1880. Town Board of Review met according to law. Resolved that 700 dollars be taken from the assessment of personal property of Henry Wetterau on article 22 be stricken off as the Mortgage has been nearly paid, and the balance being necessary for his support.

Resolved that the application of Mathias Ohnsorg for abatement of 1000 dollars from personal property class 22, be and the same is hereby rejected.

Resolved that 400 dollars be stricken from the assessment of Henry Jaspers class 22, on account of debts over and above said amount.

Resolved that the following persons be raised on stock and furniture in Saloons;

Anton Riedele	\$20.00	Mrs. C. Ehrmentrout	\$15.00
Peter Iltis	25.00	P. Barthel	12.00
William Oche	15.00	J. Van Muelken Jr.	13.00
J.G. Loy	7.00		
Joseph Ess wagons	20.00	Xavier Ohnsorg tools & impl.	37.00
Joseph Ess mds.	60.00	John Schmidt horses	100.00
Mathilda Schmidt horse	50.00	Geo Karcher mfg. mat.	25.00
J.A. Sargent household	22.00	Linenfelser & Faber mds.	75.00

F.X. Eisele \$25.00 reduction on structure on Lot 4 Block 37.

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Estates in the Village of Chaska be increased as follows;

R. Hansemann	B	7	\$50.00	David Ulmer	L 1-2	B 8	\$50.00
Leonard Grates	L 5,	B 8	50.00	O. Goodridge	L 10	B 21	35.00
Mrs. C. Schmidt	2,	21	45.00	H. Goodridge	3-4	22	100.00
M.H. Muyres	4,	25	35.00	F. Delsing	3,	25	35.00
G. Krayenbuhl	5-6	21	100.00	Mrs. H. Marder	8	29	15.00
C.B. Schultz	1	31	30.00	Math Schmidt	1	36	70.00
Philip Henk	9,10	44	200.00	" "	8,9,10	46	50.00
G. Schroers	1	45	25.00	August Klammer	sect. 5		35.00
Wm Brinkhaus	73 A	sect. 8	50.00	H. Wetterau	"	9	75.00
Strissguth and Strobach	13	acres in section 9					160.00

Aug, 20, 1880. I hereby certify that I did on the 20th day of Aug. A.D. 1880 post notices of a special Town Meeting in the following places; one at the Post Office, one in the store of Linenfelser & Faber, one in the Merchants Hotel, one in the Court House and one at the Saloon of Henry Hammers, also one at the Valley Herald for publication of said Special Meeting to be held at the School House on the 30th of August A.D. 1880.

Aug. 30, 1880. Special Town meeting for the purpose of taking into consideration the rebuilding the Bridge on the Chaska-Carver road near the Jacob Ebinger place. A committee was appointed of Florian Linenfelser, Peter Iltis and Frank Miesler.

Resolved that the sum of 700 dollars is hereby appropriated for the purpose of rebuilding said bridge, also that the Board of Town Supervisors be and are hereby empowered to issue the necessary Bonds or orders bearing interest at 10 per cent per annum and payable in one, two and three years from date of issue.

Polls were opened to vote by ballot on the above Resolution. At 5 o'clock P.M. the Polls were declared closed. There was a total of 33 votes cast. Of these there were 32 Yes, and 1 No. The Resolution was declared adopted, on motion the Board adjourned.

Peter Weego Town Clerk.

Mar. 7, 1881. The following Bills were allowed;

H.J. Chevre	surveying	\$12.00	Charles Raasch	rd. work	\$14.25
F.W. Henning & Bros.	goods for paupers				16.24
F.W. Henning	Chairman of Supervisors	salary			35.00
Ferdinand Hammer	"	"			25.00
William Brinkhaus	"	"			25.00
Peter Weego	Town Clerk				45.00

Mar. 8, 1881. Annual Town meeting called to order by Peter Weego town clerk. On motion Michael Hammer was chosen Moderator. Highway labor shall be 2 days labor. Town Tax levied at 5 mills, Poor tax 3 mills, Special Bridge tax 3 mills.

Charles Raasch was elected Overseer of Highway by acclamation.
Casper Bohling " " Pound Master " "

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The Polls were then declared open by the Moderator. Judges & Clerks having duly sworn. At 5 o'clock P.M. the Polls were closed and the votes canvassed with the following results;

Supervisor	Chairman	Fred W. Henning	225	elected
"	"	Herman Brinkhaus	225	elected
"	"	Ferdinand Hammer	224	elected
Town Clerk		Peter Weego	224	elected
Treasurer		Michael Hammer	223	elected
Assessor		Charles Moeschler	137	elected
"		August Klammer	87	
Justice of the Peace		W.B. Griswold	167	elected
"	"	Peter Barthel	53	
Constable		Bruno Schubert	214	elected
"		Mathias Loglin	209	elected
"		Charles Raasch	14	

Votes for restraining cattle, 6 votes. Against restraining 152 votes

Election Judges; F.W. Henning, Henry Brinkhaus and Fred Salter.
 " Clerks; Peter Weego and Henry Byhoffer.

June 24, 1881. Special Town meeting called to order by Peter Weego, On motion F.W. Henning was chosen Moderator. On motion that the discussion be allowed to be made in the German language. Resolved that a committee of 3 be appointed by this meeting to act in conjunction with the Board of Supervisors to determine whether the Bridge on the Chaska-Carver road shall be rebuilt in the present location, or to change the location of the Road and Bridge. The following committee was appointed, George Faber, Frank Miesler and Philip Henk.

June 27, 1881. Board of Review met in accordance with the law. Resolved that 1,000 dollars be stricken off the assessment (from a Mortgage) of Math Ohnsorg on account of being a cripple and unable to support himself.

Resolved that the following be raised in their assessment;

Peter Iltis class 19	brewry	\$100.00	N. Schoenborn 9,	organ	\$20.00
Mike Schuschitzke 19,	tools	20.00	Riedele & Co. 9,	oxen	50.00
Linenfeler & Faber 17,	mds.	200.00	Anton Riedele 11,	ho'ld	25.00
Philip Henk 17,	mds.	200.00	J. Van Muelken 27,	saloon	15.00
Joseph Franken 17,	drug	100.00	Fred Seeger 7,	sew. Mach.	15.00
J.F. Dilly 9,	organ	25.00	Fred Seeger 11,	ho'ld	75.00
L.W. Noble 11,	household	21.00	Jos Winninghoff 10,	piano	50.00
W. Ramsdill 1,	horse	25.00	George Faber 10,	piano	50.00
J.A. Sargent 11,	household	50.00	Aug. Weber 27,	saloon	23.00
Michael Hammer 17,	mds.	25.00	Gregg & Griswold 19,	tool	50.00
Philip Henk class 22	mortgages per list	\$1,100.00			

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