Welcome to Florence Township's 2025 annual meeting! It'll begin just after an 8 p.m. announcement from chief election judge Jan Bruce that polls for our annual township election have closed. **Note: This is our annual "people's meeting."** It will be moderated by a citizen whom you all will nominate and elect. Town Board members will be in the audience, but will not speak unless citizens have questions for them.

FLORENCE TOWNSHIP ANNUAL MEETING, 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 11, 2025, Town Hall

Current Town Board members: Supervisors Mike Blair (chair), Ed Hruska and Jim McIlrath, treasurer Tom Gnotke; clerk Pam Miller

ANNUAL MEETING AGENDA

Town clerk calls meeting to order.

Citizen moderator elected to lead the meeting.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Town clerk reads minutes from 2024 annual meeting, then steps aside to take official notes for this meeting.

Reports about the past year from the township's three volunteer citizen commissions: Planning, Parks and Heritage Preservation.

Audit report for 2024 presented by township treasurer Tom Gnotke.

Proposed budget for 2026 presented by township treasurer Tom Gnotke.

Public comments and discussion.

Township election results announced by chief election judge Jan Bruce.

Time/date of 2026 meeting established. (If citizens go with precedent, this will be at 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 10, 2026. Designating this time and date is a statutory requirement; if citizens don't pick a date for the annual meeting, it will automatically fall at 9 a.m. on the second Tuesday in March 2026.)

Meeting adjourned.

Thank you, fellow citizens and good neighbors, for attending! And please join us in a warm thank-you from all of us to township supervisor Jim McIlrath, who is stepping down after years of many kinds of service to the township. Jim will serve until March 21, 2025.