

Minutes

Town of Washington Board of Supervisors Monday, March 3, 2025, 5:15 pm, at the Washington Town Hall Located at 2301 Town Hall Rd

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Board Members Present:

Jim Egan	Town Chairman	
Art Granat	Town Supervisor	
Carole Linn	Town Supervisor	
Tiffany Bolte	Town Treasurer	
Nancy Sobralski	Town Clerk	
There were 8 other people in attendance		

Meeting Minutes:

1	Call to Order	Meeting called to order at 5:15 pm
2	Pledge of Allegiance	Recited by all
3	Verification of Postings	Sobralski stated the agenda was properly posted at the Wild Eagle Corner Store, MJ's Wayside, the Town Hall and on the Town's website. Local news media were notified more than 24 hours in advance.
4	Approval of the agenda to be discussed in any order at the discretion of the Chairman	Motion - Linn Seconded – Granat All voting aye - Approved
5	Approval of the previous minutes from February 10, 2025	Motion – Linn Seconded – Granat All voting aye - Approved
6	Open Road Bids – 2025 Town of Washington Road Work	One road work bid was received by Pitlik & Wick and opened during tonight's meeting. The bid in the amount of \$260,094.00 is for .94 miles on East Anvil Lake Rd. Motion Egan to approve bid as submitted Seconded – Linn All voting aye - Approved
7	Fire Truck Obligation – One Time Increase to Tax Levy in 2026	A resolution will be presented to the board in October 2025 to increase the tax levy for the fire truck purchase. The original amount was estimated at \$213,480.00, however, due to additional funding sources, our obligation has been reduced to \$201,267.00; due January 2026. The approved resolution and anticipated approval by town residents will occur at the November 2025 Special Elector meeting. This information is posted on the town website and in the town electronic newsletter.
8	Treasurer's Report	Bolte presented the February 2025 treasurer's report.

9	Town Foreman Report	Minimal road work in February. All 3 trucks were serviced for maintenance during the month. Davey Tomlanovich is working at the Transfer Station in March due to Mike's absence.
10	Mountain Bike Trail	Gary Schween is part of Lakeland Area Mountain Biking (LAMBO) and presented a land agreement and map for a proposed bike trail on public land located off of Deerview Rd. The organization is asking for consideration to extend the existing Sucker Springs Trail and would be at no cost to the Town. The Sucker Spring Trail is located on Vilas County land and maintained by Vilas County Forestry, Recreation & Land Department, however LAMBO would be responsible for the build and maintenance of the Town of Washington land. Motion Egan to consider the proposal and obtain legal guidance Seconded – Linn All approved - aye
11	Update on Stewardship Plan (Forest Management Plan)	Linn advised the progress regarding Stewardship Plan continues to be delayed due to staffing issues and the project is deemed a low priority at the WDNR. Linn continues to make regular contact with the WDNR for any status updates.
12	Annual Review of Fee Schedule	Motion Egan to approve annual fee schedule with no changes Seconded - Granat All voting aye - Approved
13	Topics for Town E-News	Notices for Transfer Station closure on Easter and Spring hours, 2025 fee schedule, annual meeting and short-term rental renewals reminders and fire truck purchase with associated proposed tax levy increase for 2026.
14	Approval of Bills	Motion Granat Seconded Egan All voting aye - Approved
15	Adjournment	Motion Linn Seconded Egan All voting aye – Approved Meeting adjourned at 5:46 pm

Nancy Sobralski – Town Clerk Date of Approval - 04/15/2025