

TOWN OF OSCEOLA

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETING

Monday, May 4, 2026 — 6:30 p.m.

Meeting Minutes

The Board of Supervisors of the Town of Osceola met for a regular monthly meeting Monday, May 4, 2026, at 6:30p.m. at the Osceola Town Hall, Dresser, Wisconsin.

CALL TO ORDER: Chair Lindh called the regular meeting to order at 6:30p.m.

VERIFICATION OF MEETING POSTING: Clerk Pratt confirmed that the meeting notice was posted at the Town Hall, Dresser Post Office, and the Town website.

PLEDGE: Chair Lindh led the Pledge of Allegiance to the United States Flag.

PRESENT: Chair Lindh, Supervisors Cronick, L. Johnson, Mortenson, and Weingarten.

PUBLIC ATTENDEES: Clerk Pratt, Treasurer Carlson, Public Works Supervisor T. Raddatz, Dianne Aarthun, Merle Aarthun, Donna Berg, Jim Berg, Don Burrows, Tim Larkey, Gae Magnafici, Lee Mork, Bruce Smith, Duke Tucker

ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSED AGENDA

MOTION BY LINDH/WEINGARTEN TO APPROVE THE AGENDA. MOTION CARRIED.

CHECK PRESENTATION AND APPROVAL OF BILLS

A packet of check detail was provided by Treasurer Carlson.

MOTION BY CRONICK/JOHNSON TO APPROVE THE LIST OF FROM APRIL 14 – MAY 4, 2026, FOR CHECKS AND ACH PAYMENTS 20379-20424 FOR A TOTAL OF \$39,611.51. MOTION CARRIED

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

MOTION BY JOHNSON/WEINGARTEN TO APPROVE THE 04/13/2026 TOWN BOARD MEETING MINUTES. MOTION CARRIED.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Lee Mork of 70th Avenue spoke to the board regarding a lack of road repair and maintenance on 70th Avenue.

PUBLIC WORKS REPORT

Public Works Supervisor Raddatz presented a detailed report of work efforts made throughout April.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Bank balances as presented.

MOTION BY CRONICK/WEINGARTEN TO APPROVE THE TREASURER'S REPORT. MOTION CARRIED.

CLERK'S REPORT

Clerk Pratt gave a report on work activities during the month of April.

OLD BUSINESS

CONSIDER DRAINAGE ISSUES- 1169 200th St

The DNR contacted the Public Works Department and the DNR stated that they do not recommend re-routing the current drainage culverts.

CONSIDER AUTOMATIC ENTRANCE DOORS

Public Works Supervisor Raddatz is waiting for pricing. No updates at this time.

UPDATE ON UTILITY ACCOMODATION ORDINANCE

Supervisor Johnson found an ordinance to work for the Town. Clerk Pratt is reviewing it for changes that need to be made by the Town.

CONSIDER NUISANCE PROPERTIES – 2390 84th Ave., 742 195th St., 797 200th St., 789 Horse Lake Lane, 897 250th St.
2390 84th Avenue – Supervisor Weingarten verified that the vehicles were removed from that property. 742 195th St. - property owner reached out the Chair Lindh and requested an extension to June 1 for clean-up. 789 Horse Lake Lane – Progress has been made, but additional work to be done. 897 250th St is a new nuisance property; Clerk Pratt will contact the County regarding the excessive vehicles.

CONSIDER COM2 ELECTRONICS RECYCLING EVENT FOR 2026

Chair Lindh contacted Com2 and confirmed that the Town will be hosting an electronic recycling event on September 26, 2026 from 9am -to 1pm at the Town Hall.

NEW BUSINESS

CONSIDER ANNUAL MEETING OUTCOME

The April 21, 2026 Annual meeting was held at the Town of Osceola Town Hall at 6:30p.m. Chair lindh gave a 2025 report of business items and efforts throughout 2025. Presenters included Darell Hall of Dedicated Animal Control Services, Ben Campbell of West Wisconsin Inspection Agency, Jeremy Utke Plan Commission Chair Town of Osceola, Brandon Trauba of St. Croix Valley EMS, Kurt Millermon of Allied Emergency Services, and Bob Schmidt of Osceola Ambulance Association. Town Business by electors consisted of an approved motion to retain the gopher bounty at \$4.50 a tail.

CONSIDER DESIGNATED SUPERVISOR AND DESIGNATED ALTERNATE

MOTION BY LINDH/WEINGARTEN TO NOMINATE JON CRONICK FOR DESIGNATED SUPERVISOR AND LANETTE JOHNSON AS THE DESINATED ALTERNATE SUPERVIOSR. MOTION CARRIED.

CONSIDER PLAN COMMISSION (PC) MEMBER 3 Year APPOINTMENT

MOTION BY LINDH/JOHNSON TO APPOINT TO THE PLAN COMMISSION GAE MAGNAFICI AND DIANNE AARTHUN FOR A THREE-YEAR TERM PLAN TERM. MOTION CARRIED.

CONSIDER UPDATES TO EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN

Updates to the Towns Emergency Plan are made annually, or as needed.

MOTION BY LINDH/CRONICK TO APPROVE THE TOWN OF OSCEOLA MAY 2026 EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN. MOTION CARRIED.

CONSIDER ALCOHOL OPERATOR'S LICENSE FOR JAYDEN ZABEL #25-26-55 OF DOLLAR GENERAL, MAY 5-JUNE 30, 2026

MOTION BY LINDH/CRONICK TO APPROVE ALCOHOL OPERATOR'S LICENSE FOR JAYDEN ZAYBEL #25-26-55 OF DOLLAR GENERAL, MAY 5 - JUNE 30, 2026. MOTION CARRIED.

CONSIDER BUDGET RESOLUTION #05-01-2026

MOTION BY LINDH/WEINGARTEN TO APPROVE THE RESOLUTION AMENDING THE 2026 BUDGET, RESOLUTION 26-05-01. ROLL CALL VOTE. JOHNSON-YES, CRONICK- YES, LINDH- YES, WEINGARTEN-YES. MOTION CARRIED

CONSIDER ROAD FUNDING RESOLUTION

The Wisconsin Towns Association is asking municipalities to pass a road funding resolution to share with legislators in hopes of increasing state funding for roads.

MOTION BY LINDH/WEINGARTEN TO APPROVE THE TRANSPORTATION RESOLUTION 26-05-02. ROLL CALL VOTE. JOHNSON-YES, CRONICK- YES, LINDH- YES, WEINGARTEN-YES. MOTION CARRIED

CHAIR'S REPORT: In April Lindh attended a fireboard meeting and a Wisconsin Towns Association meeting at the WTA meeting he listened to speakers from Monarch and Fahrner presenting products that are available. Polk County also presented information on the updated Shoreline Ordinance.

SUPERVISORS' REPORT

- a) Cronick – Nothing to report for Plan Commission, did not meet in April.
- b) Johnson – Working on updating the Utility Accommodation
- c) Mortenson – Nothing to report.
- d) Weingarten – Nothing to report.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Finance – The Finance Committee met ahead of the meeting to review accounts.
Media & Technology – New Computer seems to have corrected the Teams Meetings issues.
Personnel – Nothing to report
Public Works – Continued regular meetings.

REQUEST FOR FUTURE MEETING AGENDA ITEMS

Nuisance Properties, Welder Purchase, Utility Accommodation Ordinance, Automatic Door Entrance, Com2 Recycling, Plan Commission, Emergency Plan, Alcohol Licensing, Budget Resolution

COMMUNITY MEETINGS BOARD MEMBERS ATTEND:

Next Plan Commission Meeting – Tuesday, May 26, 2026, 6:00 p.m.

Next Town Board Meeting – Monday, June 1, 2026, 6:30 p.m.

Public Works Committee Meetings: Thursdays, May 14 and May 28, 2026, 7:00 a.m.

Board of Review Meeting: May 18, 2026 4:00 p.m. - 6:00p.m.

Community meeting board members attend: May 13 Ambulance Association.

ADJOURN

MOTION BY MORTENSON/WEINGARTEN TO ADJOURN THE TOWN BOARD MEETING, MONDAY, MAY 4, 2026. MOTION CARRIED. Meeting Adjourned at 7:09p.m.

To be approved: JUNE 1, 2026

Approved: le-1-26

Danni Pratt
Town Clerk