

TOWN OF EAU PLEINE
MONTHLY BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, September 8th, 2026

- I. CALL TO ORDER:** The Town of Eau Pleine monthly town board meeting was called to order by Chairman Mark Radke at 7:30pm on September 8th, 2026, at the Town of Eau Pleine Town Hall, 111630 Equity St, Stratford, WI 54484. The clerk verified Proper posting of Meeting Notice and Agenda.
- II. ATTENDANCE:** Mark Radke (hereinafter MR), Kurt Schwarze (hereinafter KS), Brian Radke (hereinafter BR), Heather Kops, Shirley Hein, Randy Lau, Rick Sisco, Alan Leffel, Don Zuelke, Warren Manecke, Ed Crownhart
- III. PUBLIC COMMENT/INPUT:**
- Don Zuelke has burdock growing in the ditches near his property. The board will investigate options on how to remove these.
 - Ed Crownhart asks the board how it is decided when to grade the roads. MR explains that the most traveled roads get visited by the patrolman more frequently and the board takes input from residents on specific needs. The road agreement between the Town of Eau Pleine and the Village of Stratford is discussed with residents. The board also communicates with residents that the State of Wisconsin law says that the speed limit on unposted roads is 55mph.
 - Resident states that he hired Handy Rent for brush cutting in the ditch near his property. The board requests that residents bring a quote for work that needs to be done instead of hiring and bringing a bill to the monthly meetings. The board decided to decline paying the invoice to prevent future issues of the same kind.
- IV. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING:** The board had previously received copies of the minutes from the last board meeting on August 10th, 2026. Motion/Second by KS/BR to dispense with reading and approve the minutes as written. Motion carried.
- V. TREASURER'S REPORT:** Shirley read the Treasurer's report. Balance on hand as of 8/31/26 General Account \$68,641.59, Tax Account \$5.73, Money Market Account \$97,407.57, Total Cash on Hand \$166,054.89. Motion/Second by KS/BR to accept the treasurer's report as read. Motion carried.
- VI. CLERK'S REPORT:** None.
- VII. ROADS & SIGNS:**
- The Town of Eau Pleine sign on County Road E has been repaired and put back where it belongs.
 - MR states that the Abe Lincoln bridge project has resumed and should be completed by the end of September.
- VIII. SANITATION/RECYCLING:** None.
- IX. ZONING:** None.
- X. FIRE COMMISSIONER'S REPORT:** KS informs the board that the Fire Department's budget meeting is Wednesday, September 9th. They will discuss the parking lot project.
- XI. CORRESPONDENCE/OTHER:**
- MR has been working with residents Ress and Seelow on their fence dispute. MR has measured and printed documents to help both residents understand their properties and responsibilities.
- XII. PAYMENT OF BILLS:** Motion/Second by BR/KS to approve payment of the bills. Motion carried.
- XIII. NEXT MEETING:** The October town board meeting is scheduled for Tuesday October 6th, 2026 at 7:30pm.
- XIV. ADJOURNMENT:** Motion/Second by KS/BR to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 8:19pm.

Heather Kops, Clerk

Town of Eau Pleine, Marathon County

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