

April 22, 2026- Annual Meeting

This meeting was called to order by chairman Tom Kearns. The meeting was posted in accordance with WI State Statutes. Roll call board members present. Citizens present were: Shawn Lenzendorf, Brian Reynolds, Travis Zach, Mark Beutow, Ashley & Keith Roberts, Rob Joy, Emile and Camile Smith, Paul Manders, Bethany Anderson, Jay Grimsled, Brock Reymonds, Danny Manders, Karen Snyder, Ron Hartley, and Jay McKlousky.

Minutes from 2025 annual meeting were read and approved as read.

Motion to dispose of excess property by Ron Hartley, 2nd by Don Lenzendorf, motion carried. Motion to exceed the statutory limit for highways and bridges by Don Lenzendorf, 2nd by Dan Snyder, motion carried.

The 2026 annual report was reviewed. Motion to accept the annual report by Dan Snyder, 2nd by Don Lenzendorf, motion carried.

Period for public comment. Discussion regarding new fire station and best location. Shawn Lenzendorf spoke on behalf of the fire department. He discussed the grant/ building price, where to locate and the need to upgrade. He noted the importance to work together and move forward. Tom Kearns spoke of the meeting with Crawford County Land Committee regarding the land behind the county shop and noted firemen prefer location at top of town hall road. Jay Grimsled asked about the land at the end of Seneca Heights and was informed this is not ideal due to it being residential and the slope. Karen Snyder asked why it would be any different than the top of town hall road and driving through school zone. Ron Hartley informed the proposed building is similar to the current town hall. Emile Smith asked about timeline for project. Don Lenzendorf noted there was a bid received from Cleary building and the situation is fluid. The town board is looking at the impact for taxpayers. General discussion held regarding location, timeline and how citizens will be notified of Crawford County land committee decision.

Jay Grimsled brought up the tornado sire and whether it was looked at being repaired. He asked about having Lackore in LaCrosse look at repairing. He also noted the pedestal need to be repaired.

Jay McKlousky brought up the Maribell Transmission line and asked if everyone was aware. He asked everyone to contact legislators and oppose it.

Motion to adjourn at 7:32 pm by Dan Snyder, 2nd by Don Lenzendorf, motion carried.

Julie Payne, Clerk