



Town of Rome  
Nekoosa, WI 54457  
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## AGENDA TOWN OF ROME BOARD MEETING

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2026**

**5:00 P.M.**

**ROME MUNICIPAL BUILDING  
1156 Alpine Drive  
Nekoosa, WI 54457**

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Certify Posting of Meeting
4. Approve the Agenda
5. Pledge of Allegiance
6. Citizen Comments – During the Citizen Comment period of the agenda the Town Board welcomes comments from any town resident, not a member of the Town Board, on any item not on the agenda. Please know that pursuant to State law the Board cannot engage in conversation with you but may ask questions. The Board may refer the item to staff, a standing committee or a future board agenda for discussion and action. Each person wishing to speak will have up to 3 minutes to speak. Speakers are asked to submit a card to the Clerk providing their name, address and topic for discussion
  - a. The board will also take comment from the public on agenda items as called by the Chair, but not during Citizen Comment. Please note that once the board begins discussion on an agenda item no further comment will be allowed from the public on that issue

### **NO ACTION CONTEMPLATED EXCEPT POSSIBLE REFERRAL TO FUTURE AGENDA:**

7. Information Updates, Meeting Recaps, Recent Correspondence, Current Events, Announcements
8. Department and Committee Reports
  - Administration
  - EMS District/Lifestar
  - Lester Public Library of Rome
  - Park & Recreation Committee
  - Police and Fire Commission
  - Rome Fire Department
  - Rome Police Department
  - Rome Public Works Department
  - Rome Water Utility
  - Visit Rome, WI
  - Zoning Department
9. Discussion only – Proposed Solar Array/Installation update
10. Discussion only – Discussion on potential ATV/UTV Ordinance Amendments

11. Discussion Only – Discussion on Wake boats
12. Discussion Only – Discussion on Parks and Recreation suggestions
13. Discussion Only – Discussion on Grants through Innovation grants offered by the State

**DISCUSS AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:**

14. Discussion and possible action – Approval of the February 5, 2026 meeting minutes
15. Discussion and possible action – Checks, Vouchers, Receipts and Journal Entries - approve checks #50179 – 50336 totaling \$7,280,483.33; Auto-payments totaling \$150,088.53; State / Social Security / Medicare / Withholdings totaling \$45,090.43; Payroll Vouchers V24829 – V24955 totaling \$116,969.02 and checks 21706 totaling \$289.62; Receipts #27104 – 27178 totaling \$7,736,408.28
16. Discussion and possible action – Approval of Ordinance No. 26 - \_\_\_\_; Recommendation from the Plan Commission on consideration of proposed Ordinance - Article XXXII Entitled “Solar Energy Systems Siting”
17. Discussion and possible action – Recommended appointments to the Comprehensive Plan Sub-Committee: Jerry Wiessinger and Bruce Hoepfner
18. Discussion and possible action – Appointment of Town Board member to the Comprehensive Plan Sub-Committee
19. Discussion and possible action – Restart the Grant Committee

**DATES AND ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDA/MEETINGS**

20. Next agenda items
21. Next meeting date and time

**ADJOURNMENT**

“Speak Your Peace” Commitment – A reminder that the Town Board Members have adopted the Nine Tools of Civility which commits the Board Members and Public to be mindful of how we treat each other at meetings.

Notification of this meeting has been posted in accordance with the Open Meeting Laws of the State of Wisconsin. The Town Board may take action on any item on the agenda. It is possible that the members of and possibly a quorum of members of other governmental bodies of the municipality may be in attendance at the above-stated meeting to gather information; no action will be taken by any governmental body at the above-stated meeting other than the Town Board of Supervisors. Please note that, upon reasonable notice, efforts will be made to accommodate the needs of disabled individuals through appropriate aids and services. For additional information or to request this service, contact Wendy Newsom, Town Clerk, at 1156 Alpine Drive, Nekoosa, WI 54457, ph. 715-325-8046.

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strengthen our community and promote prosperity.*