

**MINUTES OF THE TOWN OF MERRILL ANNUAL MEETING  
HELD AT THE TOWN OF MERRILL COMMUNITY CENTER  
APRIL 21st, 2026, AT 5:30 P.M.**

Chairman Tony Baumann called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

Roll Call: Chairman Tony Baumann, Supervisors Darrel Dengel, Matt Leder, Tim Mueske and Scott Oberg, Clerk Mitzi Flegner, and Treasurer Kay Tautges in attendance.

Also present: See sign in sheet.

Motion by Kathy Pophal to open the meeting, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brandon Peterson. Motion Carried

Chairman Tony Baumann read the minutes from last year's annual meeting.

Motion by Brandon Peterson to accept minutes of April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025, Annual Town Meeting as printed, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Erin McCarthy. Motion Carried.

The annual report was read.

Motion by Kathy Pophal to accept the annual report, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brandon Peterson. Motion carried.

Discussion on increasing the wages for the Chairman and Supervisors for other work outside of their duties. Kathy Pophal asked what the threshold is to be considered outside of their duties. Brandon Peterson suggested to be paid the same as the road employees, when doing road work.

Motion by Kathy Pophal that in the event that a board member is required to perform township duties above and beyond what is within the normal scope of their board responsibilities, they shall be compensated \$25/hr for such work, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brandon Peterson. Motion carried.

New Business – None

The date for the next annual meeting will be Tuesday April 20, 2027, at 5:30 p.m.

Motion made by Brandon Peterson to adjourn the meeting, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kathy Pophal. Motion carried.  
Adjourn at 5:58 p.m.

Mitzi Flegner, Clerk