TOWN OF NEW DENMARK
MINUTES FROM MONTHLY MEETING
DECEMBER 8, 2025

1. Chairman Krueger calls the regular monthly meeting for the Town of New Denmark to order on Monday, December 8, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.
2. After the Pledge of Allegiance.
3. The Minutes from November's regular monthly meeting are reviewed. Motion by Sup. Calewarts and seconded by Supervisor Goetsch to approve Minutes. MC
4. **MINUTES FROM SPECIAL MEETINGS:** None.
5. **TREASURER'S REPORT:** As of November 30, 2025 the money market, account has a balance on hand of $424,680.19 and $38,568.81 in checking. Clerk submits BMO Harris bank statement with report for review. Local Gov't Investment pool has a balance of $440,651.35 as of November 30, 2025. Motion by Sup. Calewarts and seconded by Supervisor Goetsch to approve report. MC
6. **COMMENTS OR CONCERNS FROM THE PUBLIC**: Linda Feller states Hope Lane was missed on the last snow fall and now plowed. Sup. Goetsch attended monthly Brown County Plan Commission meeting. Majority of business related to Green Bay metro area.

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS

7. APPROVE INFORMATIONAL BUILDING & CULVERT PERMITS: Info permit for ND-785 – Lot 6 of Hidden Hills. Scott Beining advised home started before permits issued and this is an after the fact permit. Inspector and Zoning Administrator time to be covered for review of plans, square footage and discussion. Motion by Sup. Goetsch and seconded by Sup. Calewarts to approve new home permit with double the fees. MC

8. ASSESSOR'S REPORT: Michael Gaworek working on maintenance and partials for work completed as of January 1, 2026. Updating new computer and software.

9. RESOLUTION TO ADOPT 2026/2027 ELECTION OFFICIALS: Motion by Sup. Goetsch and seconded by Sup. Calewarts to approve elections officials in Resolution 2025-03. Mc

10. 2026-2028 BUILDING INSPECTION CONTRACT: Review of contract and pricing. Motion by Sup. Goetsch and seconded by Sup. Calewarts to approve 3 year contract with Beining Building Inspection. MC

11: ROAD & BRIDGE REPORT: Sup. Calewarts County advised if guardrails were paid for by State funding, they need to be maintained or repaired. To review guardrails on Pine Grove and Wanek. A few complaints as to clearing of snow and making one pass versus clearing both lanes. Discussion to post Wanek and Ronk Road with no truck signs. Motion by Sup. Goetsch to approve posting. Seconded by Sup. Calewarts. MC

12. ANY OTHER BUSINESS OF THE TOWN BOARD: Sup. Calewarts inquires about Louie's Lane and ability to discontinue. Attorney Sickel states looking at parcel it is not the original parent parcel (ND-162-1) and the roadway would go back to ND-162 which is owned by Rentmeesters and therefore cannot be discontinued or it would landlock the parcel.

A) Final Adjustment of 2025 budget to balance expenditures: Motion by Sup. Goetsch to move $13,500 from the General Reserve Fund to cover salt expenses for 2025 – and add to Hwy Plowing fund. Remaining accounts to be adjusted to cover shortfall as needed. Seconded by Sup. Calewarts. MC

PLAN COMMISSION RECOMMENDATIONS/ZONING ADMINISTRATOR REPORT:

A) *Rezoning request from Shimanek Trust to rezone 3.55 acres from ND-32 from Ag-Farmland Preservation to AG-R for sale of the existing home located at 4874 CTH P, Denmark.* Recommendation from Plan Commission to approve. Motion by Sup. Goetsch and seconded by Sup. Calewarts to approve rezoning. CSM needs final review and approval and signature.

B) *Ordinance to require 24 Hour Notification for Land Spreading*: Ag vehicles exempt from limit limits. Discussed at Plan and difficult to monitor or enforce. Could designate routes when notified of land spreading. Motion to table and address at later date.

C) Rezoning request from Mark Hardy to rezone parcel ND-436 (.40 acres) from Ag-1 to B-1. This parcel is located on North Avenue, Denmark: Bill Hafs emailed property owner to provide sanitation information from County.

UPCOMING MEETING DATES: Town Bd meeting January 12,2026 at 7 pm

14. CORRESPONDENCE: Christmas card from County Rescue. Rural Mutual letter regarding reinstate of work comp policy. Letter from War Veterans Memorial Park for annual donation. Board would need to see actual budget and operating expenses. Discussion Town one-quarter ownership.

15. PAYMENT OF BILLS: Motion by Sup. Calewarts to pay bills. Seconded by Sup. Goetsch. Motion by Sup. Goetsch and seconded by Sup. Calewarts to adjourn at 7:50 pm MC

Prepared by: Michelle Wallerius, Clerk
Approved: