

Town of Trenton, Washington County, Wisconsin

Official Minutes from the Town of Trenton Annual Meeting of Electors

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 15, 2025, 6:30 PM

Location: Town of Trenton Town Hall, 1071 Highway 33 East, West Bend, WI 53095

Elected and Appointed Officials Present:

Town Board Chairman Mike Lipscomb, Town Board Supervisors Tony Thoma and Barbara Davies, Administrator Cindy Komro, Director of Public Works Charles Schmidt (all are town residents), Treasurer Nicole Cozzuli-Meer, Police Chief Andrew Mammen, Building Inspector Walter Grotelueschen.

Other Town Residents Present:

Chris Becker	Gene DuPree	Korie Hall	Mark Mrozek	Scott Schweizer
Mike Diaz	Barb Eckert	Mark Haznaw	Robert Reischel	Claire Slagle
Monica Diaz	Ed Eckert	Douglas Hein	Bob Roden	Michael Slagle
Heidi Dohmen	John Falk	Elizabeth James-Lipscomb	Cindy Roden	George Spaeth
John Dohmen	Robert Falk	Lee Kidney	Thomas Rogge	Jim Stefaniak
Charlotte DuPree	Chris Gonzalez	Mary Kidney	Joy Schroeder	Paul Wilkens

Total qualified electors of the Town present at the beginning of the Annual Meeting: 35

1. Call to Order:

Mike Lipscomb called the annual town meeting of electors to order at 6:30p.m. Lipscomb explained that the qualified electors present are responsible for the business taking place at the Annual Meeting, by presenting and voting on the motions. Elected officials are present to hear reports, answer questions, and help facilitate the meeting. All reports are available on the town website, and a limited number of printed copies are available. Please contact Administrator Cindy Komro if you would like printed copies of the Town reports. Contact the Fire Department or Sheriff Department for printed copies of their reports.

2. Verification of Public Notice:

Lipscomb verified that the annual meeting notice was properly posted on the town hall bulletin board and the town official website.

3. Pledge of Allegiance:

Mike Lipscomb asked those in attendance to join in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

4. Agenda Presentation:

Mike Lipscomb presented the agenda.

5. Approve Minutes of April 16, 2024 Annual Meeting:

John Falk moved, and Mike Slagle seconded to approve the Minutes of the April 16, 2024 Annual Meeting. Motion carried.

6. Approve Minutes of November 11, 2024 Special Town Meeting:

Cindy Komro moved, and Lee Kidney seconded to approve the Minutes of the November 11, 2024 Special Town Meeting. Motion carried.

7. Set Time and Date for 2026 Annual Town Meeting:

Mike Lipscomb explained that Wisconsin Statutes require the annual town meeting to take place on the third Tuesday in April, unless the town residents choose an alternate date. The third Tuesday in April 2026 is April 21. John Falk moved, and Monica Diaz seconded to set the 2026 annual town meeting to April 21, 2026 at 6:30 p.m. Motion carried.

8. Fiscal Year 2024 Town Financial Report:

Mike Lipscomb presented the Town's 2024 Financial Report.

9. Fiscal Year 2024 Town Building Report:

Building Inspector Walt Grotelueschen presented the Fiscal Year 2024 Town Building Report.

10. Fiscal Year 2024 Town Administrator Report

Mike Lipscomb presented the Fiscal Year 2024 Town Zoning Report.

11. Fiscal Year 2024 Town Clerk and Elections Report:

Mike Lipscomb presented the Fiscal Year 2024 Clerk and Elections Report.

12. Fiscal Year 2024 Town Public Works Department Report:
Mike Lipscomb presented the Fiscal Year 2024 Department of Public Works Report.
13. Fiscal Year 2024 Town Refuse & Recycling Report:
Mike Lipscomb presented the Fiscal Year 2024 Town Refuse & Recycling Report.
14. Fiscal Year 2024 Town Police Department Report:
Police Chief Andrew Mammen presented the Fiscal Year 2024 Town Police Department Report.
15. Fiscal Year 2023 Town Emergency Government Report:
Mike Lipscomb presented the Fiscal Year 2023 Town Emergency Government Report.
16. Fiscal Year 2024 Fire Department Report:
Fire Chief Brad Karnitz presented the Fiscal year 2024 Newburg Fire Department Report, including Town of Trenton service calls. Discussion followed regarding the increase in call volume and future increase in costs for Fire and Emergency Medical Services.
17. Fiscal Year 2024 Washington County Sheriff's Department Report:
Lieutenant Guslick presented the Fiscal Year 2024 Washington County Sheriff's Department Report, including Town of Trenton service calls.
18. Fiscal Year 2024 Mid-Moraine Municipal Court Report:
Mike Lipscomb presented the Fiscal Year 2024 Mid-Moraine Municipal Court (MMMC) Report.
19. Fiscal Year 2024 Washington County Board Report:
County Supervisor Tony Thoma reported on Washington County activities, including the sale of the Samaritan, Next Generation Housing, UWM-WC Campus and Fire/EMS County grant funding for municipalities.
20. Any Matter that May Come Before the Annual Meeting:
Joy Schroeder, 6725 N Trenton Road, encouraged the Town Board to review and pursue adopting an Operations Ordinance to assist the Town in overseeing large farms. Discussion followed.
Mike Lipscomb commented on the Town's limited abilities to regulate farms that fall under the state rules. He encouraged the government entities and residents to all work together.
21. Announcements:
The draft of the annual meeting minutes will be posted on the website.
22. Adjournment:
Bob Reischel moved and Charlotte DuPree seconded to adjourn the Annual meeting at 8:08 p.m.
Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,



Cindy A. Komro

Town Administrator

Affidavit of Posting: These Minutes were posted on the Town of Trenton Town Hall Bulletin Board at 1071 STH 33 East, West Bend, WI on April 17, 2025. Cindy A. Komro, Town Administrator.

Subject to Approval: These Minutes were approved at the April 21, 2026 meeting of town electors and posted on the Town of Trenton website on April 28, 2026.