

TOWN OF OSCEOLA
PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING
Thursday, September 28, 2023 – 7:00 A.M.

Meeting Minutes

The Public Works Committee for the Town of Osceola met for a regular bi-monthly meeting Thursday, September 28, 2023, at 7:00 am at the Osceola Town Hall (garage), Dresser, Wisconsin.

Call Meeting to Order: Chair Lindh called the meeting to order at 7:01 am.

Verification of Meeting Posting: It was confirmed that the notice was posted at the Town Hall, Dresser Post Office, the First National Community Bank, the Town Web site, and the Town Facebook stie.

Present: Chair Lindh, Supervisor Johnson Todd Raddatz, Joe Gaffney

Absent:

Public:

Acceptance of Proposed Agenda:

Approval of previous meeting minutes:

Discussion about current / future road projects

- Discussion on possible future purchase of road broom. \$16,000 to \$20,000 (placed on hold)
- Ditch mowing larger areas next to fields.
- Spray patching has started. We have about 3 day left.
- Road stripping has not begun yet.
- Looked at rust holes on one ton truck dump box. The truck is 2015 Todd will look at cost of new steel dump box is about \$8,500
- Talked about updates on fixing gutters and replacing fallen Town Hall sign.
- Discussion on working with other Town's to perform chip sealing next year.
- Look at cost for new double axel dump truck. Todd to compile numbers.
 - \$185,000 for basic truck 2025 (\$5,000 deposit)
 - \$160,000 for box, blades, and sander
- Discussed inspection and service of current dump trucks for winter season. \$2,000
- Consider upgrading ditch mower. May consider purchase of a different ditch mower at end of year.
- Tony to look at possible road grants for 93rd Ave. No update at this time.
- Discussion on purchasing and hauling sand / salt starting in Oct /Nov
- Discussion on continue to shoulder road in Oct / Nov
- Would like to chip seal at least 6 miles next year.

Discussion about current Public Works budget:

- Went over current budget and future purchases.
- Consider \$4,000 garage expense for next year's budget.
- Work on updating 5-year road plan to have updated information for Oct 12th meeting.
- Discussion on considering clothing budget for damaged clothes with spray patching. 4- pairs of pants / rubber boots.
- Discussion on what is maximum part time hours per week.

Next Public Works Committee Meeting – October 12, 2023

Adjournment:

Being no future business to come before the Public Works Committee, the Meeting was adjourned at 8:05 am.

Dale Lindh, Public Works Committee Member

To be approved: October 12, 2023