

The regular monthly meeting of the Town of Weston Board was held on Tuesday, November 12, 2024 at the Town of Weston all. Present were Bruce Podoll, Curtis Heit, Cindy Wang and Pat Pickerign. Supervisor Gavin Styer was absent.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m., by Chairman Bruce Podoll.

The minutes of the October meetings were read. Curt Heit moved to approve the with the following corrections: Menomonie Fire Department will get their share of the 2% state dues; The 2015 Mack truck was sold to another township; The deal on the boom mower didn't turn out. Bruce Podoll seconded. Motion carried.

The treasurer's report was given. Curt Heit moved and Bruce Podoll seconded to accept The treasurer's report. Motion carried.

Public comments: None

Meeting reports. None

Discussion & action items:

Roadwork: Jody Anderson had been grading roads. He reported that 4-wheelers rip up roads after he grades them. The county is not making salt/sand this fall. Could possibly get salt/sand from Pepin County. He had spent a whole day getting a beaver dam out of a culvert.

Menomonie Fire Department: The board signed the Mutual Agreement with the Menomonie Fire Department. The Menomonie Fire Department doubled their assessment.

Elmwood Fire Department: The Elmwood Fire Department are considering raising their assessment from \$450.00 a section to \$840.00 a section. They will meet again to discuss this matter.

Building Inspector contract: Curt Heit moved and Bruce Podoll seconded to sign a contract with Fred Weber as the building inspector. Motion carried.

Dunn County Humane Society contract: A motion was made by Curt Heit and seconded by Bruce Podoll to sign a contract with the Dunn County Humane Society. Motion carried.

Adopt Resolution 2024-02: Curt Heit moved and Bruce Podoll seconded to adopt Resolution 2024-02 giving the board permission to raise the allowable tax levy by 10%. Motion carried.

Set date for budget hearing and elector's meeting: Curt Heit moved and Bruce Podoll seconded to call the lawyer to set the date for budget hearing and elector's meeting as soon as possible. Motion carried.

Vouchers: Curt Heit moved and Bruce Podoll seconded to pay the vouchers. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Curt Heit and seconded by Bruce Podoll to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Pat Pickerign, Clerk

The meeting of the Board of Review for the Town of Weston was held on Thursday, November 21, 2024 at the Town of Town Hall. Present were Bruce Podoll, Curt Heit, Gavin Styer, Pat Pickerign, and Barrett Brenner, the assessor.

The meeting of the Town of Weston Board of Review was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Chairman Bruce Podoll.

No one appeared before the board of Review.

The assessor, Barrett Brenner, signed the assessor's affidavit closing the assessment roll.

Curt Heit moved and Gavin Styer seconded to adjourn the meeting of the Town of Weston Board Review. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Pat Pickerign, Clerk

The budget hearing on the proposed 2025 Town of Weston budget was held on Tuesday, November 26, 2024. Present were Curt Heit, Gavin Styer, Cindy Wang, Pat Pickerign. Keith also attended the meeting of the budget hearing.

The budget hearing was called to order by Supervisor, Gavin Styer at 6:30 p.m. in the absence of the board chairman.

Being no questions on the 2025 proposed budget, Curt Heit moved to adjourn the budget hearing. Gavin Styer seconded the motion. Motion carried. Budget hearing adjourned at 6:37 p.m.

Pat Pickerign, Clerk

A special meeting of the town electors of the Town of Weston was held on Tuesday, November 26, 2024 immediately following the adjournment of the budget hearing. Present were Curt Heit, Gavin Styer, Cindy Wang, Pat Pickerign, and Keith Pickerign. Chairman Bruce Podoll was absent.

The special electors meeting was called was called to order by Supervisor I, Gavin Styer, in the absence of the board chairman at 6:38 p.m.

The purpose of the special meeting of the town elector's meeting was to adopt the town tax Levy.

The electors at the special meeting for the Town of Weston voted to adopt the town levy for 2024 to be collected 2025 in the amount of \$297,474.24. The voting was as follows:

Number of town electors voting aye 5

Number of town electors voting no 0

Number of abstaining or not voting 0

Curt Heit moved to adjourn the special elector's meeting. Keith Pickerign seconded. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Pat Pickerign, Clerk

