

April 21, 2026 – ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

The 2025 Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. by Town Chairman Dave Wesely. He led the group with the Pledge of Allegiance. Seventeen People, (12) town residents and five (5) town officers were present.

Town residents were given a copy of the minutes from the 2024 Annual Town Meeting prior to the start of the meeting. Clerk Sevcik read the minutes.

Chairman Wesely, thanked the Board, noting that we had a good team.

Chairman Wesely then listed several projects/accomplishments of the board this past year.

- Manure Hauling – County has new program that requires haulers to register, notify when they're hauling & and post warning signs of they're closing a lane, two representatives of haulers were at the last town meeting & were in compliance.
- Clerk Sevcik combined the 3 Zoning forms from 2018 into one, easier to fill out form.
- TV – we can use it for town meetings & PC meetings to show what we're talking about
- Fire Dept – negotiated a 3-year agreement for moderate increases to allow the town & depts to budget better.
- LRIP & AGRIP – we continue to apply for programs that cost share road work

Town residents were also given a copy of the 2025 Annual Town Report prior to the start of the meeting. Various income and expense items were explained. Dean Duckart made a motion to approve the 2025 Annual Town Report. Mark Raisleger seconded the motion, motion carried.

Dying ash trees in the town were discussed. This will continue to be an issue for the town when they fall on roads.

Chairman Wesely asked for approval to borrow money if needed. Dave Wesely moved as such, Mark Raisleger seconded the motion, motion carried.

Chairman Wesely explained the benefits of being a member of the WTA, Jim Wacek moved to continue that membership, Laurie Neverman seconded the motion, motion carried.

Mark Raisleger asked about County Rescue, Service Director, Suzi Sevcik noted that they're currently staffing the Denmark station again & response times have been good.

Chairman Wesely brought up wages as the town in currently among the lowest in the county; Clerk Sevcik brought up a spreadsheet that showed the comparison data that had median range, suggest range and moderate adjustment. Jim Wacek made a motion to pay the elected officials the moderate adjustment, which is Chairman - \$7,500, Clerk \$12,500, Treasurer \$7,500, Supervisors \$4,500. Laurie Neverman seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Laurie Neverman moved to raise the Zoning Administrator and PC/Board of Appeals to a moderate adjustment, which is \$4500 for Zoning Admin & \$35/meeting for PC Board. Betty Schlies seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Brian Kleiman moved raise the poll workers and PC/Board of Appeals Chairman to the moderate adjustment, which was \$20/hour for Poll workers and \$70/meeting for PC/Board of Appeals Chairman. Laurie Neverman seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Dave Wesely made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Brian Kleiman. The vote was unanimous, the motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 7:51 P.M.

Submitted by,

Suzi Sevcik, Town Clerk