August 10, 2026 MONTHLY TOWN BOARD MEETING FOR TOWN OF FRANKLIN

The August monthly meeting for the Town of Franklin was called to order at 7:00 pm by Chairman Wesely following the Pledge of Allegiance.

Officers present: Dave Wesely, Katie Duckart, Dusty Smidle, Sandy Smidle, & Suzi Sevcik.

Supervisor Duckart moved to approve the agenda. Supervisor Smidle seconded the motion. Motion approved.

Supervisor Duckart moved to accept the minutes from the July Town Board meeting. Supervisor Smidle seconded the motion. Motion approved.

Treasurer's Report, which shows a balance of $314,003.20

Scott Browne, County Supervisor, was not present

Suzi Sevcik, Zoning administrator noted there were 3 building permits, one new home, 2 sheds.

Suzi Sevcik, Franklin EMR noted that 5 EMR's renewed their licenses through 2029.

Road work – Scott Construction started their road work. Jensen will work on the culvert in Curran shortly.

Vacancies. – Chairman Wesley moved to appoint Paul Chervenka as a regular member of the Planning Commission. Supervisor Duckart seconded the motion, motion carried. Chairman Wesley moved to reappoint Laurie Neverman and Matt Miller to the Zoning Board of Appeals. Supervisor Duckart seconded the motion, motion carried.

Nathan Reihl from County Rescue was present to talk about the new 5 year contract. It hadn't been updated in 10 years and the costs have gone up more than the 2.5% increase each year. The new contract is as follows:

Year Per Capita Rate

2027 $20.00

2028 $25.00

2029 $33.00

2030 $41.00

2031 $46.00

Renewal:

After the initial term, the per capita fee will transition to a 5% annual increase at the beginning of each

calendar year

Chairman Wesely moved to accept the contract as stated. Supervisor Duckart seconded the motion, motion carried.

Clerk Sevcik noted we're all set for the August 11th election.

Town Disbursements were discussed, approved and paid.

Our next monthly meeting will be September 14, 2026 following the public hearing at 6:30.

There being no further discussion, the Town Board meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Suzi Sevcik Town Clerk