

TOWN OF WORCESTER
Regular Town Board Meeting
June 17th, 2025

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. at the Worcester Town Hall.

Present: Chairman Jim Michler
 Supervisor Jeremy Pesko
 Supervisor Russ Long
 Clerk/Treasurer Regina Damjanovic
 7 Visitors

Approve the Minutes

Motion is made and seconded to approve May 20th, 2025, special town board meeting minutes, motion carried.

Motion is made and seconded to approve May 20th, 2025, Board of Review minutes, motion carried.

Motion is made and seconded to approve May 20th, 2025, town board meeting minutes, motion carried.

Motion is made and seconded to approve June 5th, 2025, special town board meeting minutes, motion carried.

Motion is made and seconded to approve June 10th, 2025, special town board meeting minutes, motion carried.

Clerk/Treasurer Report

The Treasurer presents the town's financial report. Started the month of May with \$223,924.59 and ended with a balance of \$489,933.53. Transferred \$45,000 from BCMMA to checking account to cover checks written, payroll taxes, and IRA.

- Posting locations – The Clerk repropose to remove the posting location at Comfort Cove. Motion is made and seconded to remove the Comfort Cove posting location. Motion carried.

The Clerk discusses switching to wi.gov emails and provides preliminary information, will have a quote and more information to present as an actionable item on the agenda at the next board meeting.

Chair Report

- Disappearing Creek reimbursement – We received \$305,000 from the state, which is 50% of the cost. We are gathering the paperwork to provide the County for reimbursement of \$150,000.
- Hills Road bridge – Right of Way acquisition is complete, started engineering on that project for construction in 2026.

- Wake boats – Condition report was approved by DNR with some minor changes. We are required to hold a public hearing 30 days before the Board approves the ordinance. The Board has decided to make the hearing a special meeting so all board members can attend.
- 25 acres – Once legal description is completed, then the Board can approve the covenants, and the lots will be ready to be put up for sale.
- Transfer LRIP from Swiss Point Road to Liberty Lane – In the process of completing the paperwork to switch the roads on the LRIP grant.

Road Crew Report and Transfer Station Report

They found another large culvert that is going bad, will need to put on the list for the County to replace. The flagpole has been installed. Grading roads, mowing ditches, hauling gravel to touch up, and replacing culverts. Cutting branches and cleaning up at the recycling center. New recycling center attendants are working out well. Will possibly need to think about crushing gravel next year.

Items for Discussion and possible action:

Increase load of gravel charge

Motion is made and seconded to change the driveway permit gravel charge to \$200.00 for a 10-yard load, motion carried.

Review the alcohol license applications

The following businesses have submitted applications for a Class B Retail Liquor and Beer license: Midway Tavern and Cabins, Rock Garden Tavern, Sunset Haven Resort, John's 3 Mile Corner Bar and Grill, Timbers Roadhouse, Sunset Lake House, The 173. The following have submitted applications for a Temporary Class B license: Price County Fair Association and Price County Rodeo. Motion is made and seconded to approve all alcohol license applications, motion carried.

Discuss contracting out shoulder mowing

The Board discusses a proposal for shoulder mowing. The Board decides to continue to have the road crew do the shoulder mowing.

Open crack sealing bids

The Board opens the proposals. The Board would like to ask both companies to re-quote and price by each road with more specific instructions given. Motion is made and seconded to table the crack sealing bids until next month, motion carried.

Review of the ARIP engineering contract

The Board reviews the engineering contract. Motion is made and seconded to approve the ARIP engineering contract from MSA, motion carried.

Discuss selling unused town land

The board discusses the process of selling town land. Motion is made and seconded to move forward with the process to sell unused town land, motion carried.

Approve the vouchers

Motion is made and seconded to approve the June vouchers in the amount of \$43,922.01, motion carried.

Adjourn

Motion is made and seconded to adjourn at 8:24 pm, motion carried.

Regina Damjanovic, Clerk/Treasurer