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Town of Sumner- Town Board Meeting

Tuesday, October 13, 2026 5:00 p.m.

Town Hall, 1550 24½ Street, Town of Sumner, Wisconsin

1. Call to order: Chair Palmquist
2. Pledge of Allegiance: Recited
3. Verification of proper public notice: Clerk Tomczak
4. Approval of Agenda by Board: Moved Tubbs/Zimmer. No negative vote.
5. Reports and Correspondence: Treasurer; Clerk; Patrolman; Board Members: Treasurer absent, report provided. Clerk: correspondence and election preparations. Patrolman: status report.
6. Building Permits issued: None
7. Minutes of previous meeting: Moved Zimmer/Tubbs to approve. No negative vote.
8. Informal Public Comment (5-minute time limit person): Joy Bartsch informed board of 2027 event plans and the letter from Park Committee requested by treasurer.
9. Discuss combining clerk and treasurer positions to a single position of clerk/treasurer Zimmer suggested waiting before making such a big change. Tubbs recommends a meeting of the electors approve the change at the November tax meeting or April annual meeting.
10. Road project updates: Supervisor Zimmer: Tentative 2027 road projects and Sumner Community Fund funding discussed.
11. Town Hall Project- Supervisor Tubbs: If Town requests a maintenance patch from the Highway Department then they might be able to do the blacktop paving.
12. Approve purchase and installation of a mileage meter for the new plow truck: estimate of $1100. Note: the agenda was incorrect. This is purchase is for the new pickup truck. Moved Tubbs/Zimmer to approve purchase and installation of a mileage meter for the new pickup truck. No negative vote.
13. 2026 Budget adjustments as needed. None needed.
14. Proposed 2027 Budget: approve for posting: Moved Zimmer/Tubbs to post the proposed 2027 budget as discussed. No negative vote.
15. Items intended for future meetings. 2-year road plan.
16. Approval of monthly bills for payment; review bills paid using alternative claims procedure. Moved Tubbs/Zimmer to approve as listed with addition of Allram Lumber for $1926.25. No negative vote.
17. Set date for employee wage reviews. Tentatively set for October 27 at 4:00 p.m.
18. Set Date for next board meeting. November 10, 2026 at 5:00 p.m.
19. Set Date and time for Budget Hearing and Special Town Meeting. November 10, 2026 at 4:30 p.m.
20. Adjournment at 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra Tomczak, Clerk

Approved by Board:
November 13, 2026

Steven J Palmquist
Town Board Chairperson

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