

Town of Johnstown, Polk County, Wisconsin
Minutes of the 2019 Annual Town Meeting
April 16, 2019

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Anderson at 6:30 p.m. at the Town Shed, 2181 County Rd G, Comstock, WI. There were 3 residents, including the Chairman, 2 Supervisors, Clerk and Treasurer present. Reviewed the general rules of order.

Minutes of the 2018 Annual Meeting were presented. **Motion by Mary Erickson, seconded by Pat Kolstad to approve the minutes. Yes – 7, No – 0. Motion Carried.**

Voting was completed by show of hands.

The 2018 Financial Report was presented and reviewed by the clerk. **Motion by Pat Kolstad, seconded by Joe Zaspel to approve the 2018 Financial Report. Yes – 7, No – 0. Motion Carried.**

Salaries: Mike Anderson requested a raise of salary for the position of chairperson. The salaries of elected officials can only be changed by vote of the electors and becomes effective in the next term. It was suggested a study of local town wages and salaries be conducted prior the 2020 Annual Meeting and the topic be revisited.

Town Truck: Discussion - effectiveness of the town truck for the purpose that it was purchased. Concerns were voiced regarding the inability for the truck to effectively remove snow from town roads; too light duty. Would it be the possible to sell the current truck and replacing with something that is heavier duty for snow removal, yet efficient enough to use for road patching and other lighter duty road maintenance.

Town Shed: Past attempts to get a bid and/or contractor to work with the town regarding the expansion of the town shed have gone unanswered.

Road Work for 2019: Long Lake Lane blacktopping and our LRIP project at the intersection of 220th Ave. and 20th St. are currently being advertised for bids with the intention to have both of these jobs completed in 2019. Additional crack sealing and patch spraying will be done as needed.

The 2020 Annual Town Meeting will be held the third Tuesday in April.

There being no further topics for discussion, **Motion by Pat Kolstad, seconded by Mary Erickson to adjourn the meeting at 6:50 p.m. Show of hands was used. Yes – 7, No – 0. Motion Carried.**