

**TOWN OF PRINCETON**  
**Princeton, WI 54968**

**\*MINUTES**

**July 12, 2023**

Present: Allan Weckwerth, Chairman  
Dan Kuglin, Supervisor #1  
Gary Anderson, Supervisor #2  
Becky Wagner, Treasurer  
Jill Bartol, Clerk

Regular monthly meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Town of Princeton called to order at 7:00 PM by Chairman Weckwerth. Open meeting laws met through posting and publication. Motion Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to approve agenda. All ayes. Motion carried. Motion Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to approve minutes of the June 14, 2023 meeting as posted. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report – Treasurer Wagner gives report. Bend Road project discussed. Project is close to completion. Payment will need to be made next month. Projected amount to borrow is between \$250,000 to \$260,000. The DOT is projected to pay approximately \$400,000. Motion Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to approve treasurer's report and submit for audit. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried.

Maintenance Supervisor Report – Chairman Weckwerth gives report. Warranty work was done to re-sealcoat approximately 1000 feet of Soda Road. There was no additional cost to the town. Bend Road is paved with two layers of asphalt. As of today's date, half of the shouldering is complete and should be finished in a couple of days. A letter was received from Derek Mashuda of the Green Lake County Highway Department in regards to faded signs throughout municipalities in Green Lake County. Signs will be ordered and replaced as needed by the town. Tree work is continuing. Brian Stibb is helping with this. Hand spraying of chemicals is in process to combat buckthorn and wild parsnip. Bittersweet vine is becoming an issue.

Public Appearances – None

Payment of Claims – Motion Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to pay claims as submitted. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried.

General	\$ 42,278.64	Recycling	\$ 816.84
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Official Bank Depository Reconsideration – Becky Wagner outlines proposals from US Bank and National Exchange Bank & Trust. Wagner recommends we continue to use US Bank. Protection insurance will remain. Accounts will be put into a program called Positive Pay which offers better fraud protection. Wagner and Bartol will receive training on Positive Pay. Motion Allan Weckwerth/Dan Kuglin to accept recommendation from Becky Wagner to retain US Bank as our official bank depository and to enroll in Positive Pay with collateral protection for both Town of Princeton accounts. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried.

Free Little Library – Chris Goulet, Resident of Oxbow Trail, gives presentation on project. There is a grant available for this project. There would be no cost incurred by the town. Goulet is in the midst of applying for the grant. Site of project is discussed. Chris Goulet will do further research on best location for the Free Little Library. Goulet and the Princeton Women's Club will be the stewards of the library. The board is in support of this project. This will be placed on the August agenda.

Chairman's Report and Correspondence – On July 20, 2023, at 6:30 pm, the quarterly Green Lake County WTA Unit meeting will be held at Christiano's in Green Lake. Fire truck was delivered today. State budget has passed. Municipalities will be getting more shared revenue. However, the governor vetoed the per mile increase for transportation aid. The levy limit may need to be exceeded and will be placed on August agenda.

Clerk's Report and Correspondence – The accessibility grant currently being offered by the Wisconsin Elections Commission only pertains to voting equipment. Therefore, the ramp replacement would not be eligible for the grant, per the WEC.

Next Meeting Date – WTA Unit Meeting to be held on July 20, 2023, at 6:30 pm at Christiano's in Green Lake. Next regular meeting date will be August 9, 2023, at 7:00 pm.

Adjourn – Motion by Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to adjourn at 8:01 pm. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried.

Jill Bartol, Clerk

\*Minutes subject to approval at August meeting.