TOWN OF PRINCETON
Princeton, WI 54968
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November 11, 2026

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

Budget Hearing – Chairman Weckwerth called meeting to order at 7:00 pm. Open meeting law requirement met through posting and publication. Eight Town of Princeton electors are present. Proposed 2027 budget was discussed.

Special Meeting of Electors and Budget Meeting – Discussion held. Motion Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to adopt the 2026 tax levy of $433,853.00 to be paid in 2027. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried. Motion Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to approve the 2027 highway tax expenditures. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried.

Regular Meeting – Regular monthly meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Town of Princeton, called to order by Chairman Weckwerth. Open meeting law requirement met through posting and publication. Motion Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to approve agenda. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried. Motion Gary Anderson/Dan Kuglin to approve minutes of the October 14, 2026 meeting minutes as published. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report – Treasurer Wagner gives report. Discussion Held. Motion Gary Anderson/Dan Kuglin to submit treasurer's report for audit. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried. General Account: $214, 393.23; Recycling Account: $949.94; Road Construction: $373,847.27; Equipment Fund: $0; Fire Equipment Fund: $55,823.89; Revaluation Fund: $0; Tax Account: $0; Dog License: $15.00; Total Town Money: $645,014.33.

Maintenance Supervisor Report – Chairman Weckwerth gives report. The plows are on.

Public Appearances – Caryl Witt makes a statement about the conditions and problems on South Lakeshore Drive. Engineer Lukasz Lyzwa from General Engineering (GEC) explains the project and the cost.

Payment of Claims – Brightspeed bill went up considerably. Discussion held. Brightspeed will be contacted and landline phone will be canceled. Motion by Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to pay claims submitted for audit. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried.
General: $31,704.77 Recycling: $860.00

Adopt 2027 Budget – Motion Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to adopt 2027 budget as published. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried.

Green Lake Association County K Marsh Restoration Project -- Taylor Strauser and John Strauser share project information on County K Marsh Restoration Project to re-establish aquatic plant communities, enhance fish and wildlife habitat and improve water clarity. John Strauser gives presentation on project on behalf of the GLA. Doug Knutson speaks in regard to the GLA and GLSD and is concerned about potential boating ordinance and requests that town board clearly evaluates forthcoming ordinances. Discussion held.

Grid project impact fee use – Power line project is going through the Town of Princeton. Transmission impact fee of approximately $700,000.00 will be paid to town by ATC, as well as an $83,000 annual fee for an unknown time. Elizabeth Shumate from GEC explains the fee that will be paid to the town and what needs to be done to obtain the funds and what the funds can be used for. Discussion held on what to use the funds for, as well as other possible grant options. A new town hall is a possible option for the funds, as well as a portion to fund a new fire station. Discussion held. This matter will be tabled to the December agenda. A $6000 check was sent from ATC for the road agreement, to use our roads for the transmission line placement. Chairman Weckwerth reads agreement. Motion Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to approve transmission line easement on the public access lot on Oxbow Trail which already has a pole on it with compensation of $11,850.00, including herbicide rights, off right-of-way access, and right-of-way value. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried.

2027 proposed road project -- Discussion in regard to road project on S. Lakeshore Drive from Sandy Beach to Swansons Road was held during public appearances. South Lakeshore Drive from Sandy Beach to Swansons Road potential project is discussed. Oak Tree Acres project is also discussed. Discussion held. Motion Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to hire Lukasz Lyzwa, General Engineering (GEC), to head the project and handle all aspects of the project, including engineering, bidding and oversight. All ayes. None opposed. Lukasz Lyzwa explains how the project will proceed.

Chairman's Report and Correspondence – Court action taken against Aaron Teska was dismissed after an agreement was reached between the parties. Board of Review was held on October 29, 2026, with one appeal appointment with no changes.

Clerk's Report and Correspondence – There were 902 voters for the 11/3/2026 election.

Next Meeting Date – Fire District Meeting December 2, 2026 at 7:00 pm. Next Regular Town of Princeton Board meeting to be held on December 9, 2026 at 7:00 pm.

Adjourn – Motion Dan Kuglin/Gary Anderson to adjourn. All ayes. None opposed. Motion carried.

Minutes subject to approval at December Meeting. Jill Bartol, Clerk