# TOWN OF EASTON, MARATHON COUNTY, WI REGULAR MEETING MINUTES OF THE TOWN BOARD

# Monday, February 10, 2025, at 7:00 p.m.

# 1. Meeting called to order by Chairman Beck

Chairman Beck called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

#### 2. Roll Call

Board Members Present
Dean Beck Yes
Susan Kurth Yes
Mark Pingel Yes

Melanie Neuendank Yes (Joined the meeting at 7:20 p.m.)

Sherry Weinkauf Yes

Also present were Mark Schlund, Public Works Rob Weinkauf, and Fire Chief Dustin Merriam. There were two other Town of Easton residents present.

# 3. Approval of January 13, 2025, Regular Meeting Minutes

Motion by Supervisor Kurth, seconded by Supervisor Pingel to approve the January 13, 2025, Regular Meeting Minutes. All in favor. Motion carried.

#### 4. Public Comments

No comments.

### 5. New Business

#### a. Right-of-way order for removal form

Beck explained the need to use the right-of-way form and said that to enforce we may need to update our ordinances. He will contact the Town attorney to discuss it.

# b. Election Inspector meals

Weinkauf said it would be nice to be able to provide lunch and dinner for the Election inspectors who are putting in a very long day. She asked the Board if they would consider acting on this matter. *Motion by Supervisor Kurth*,

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seconded by Supervisor Pingel to approve providing meals for the Election Inspectors on election day. All in favor. Motion carried.

# c. Presentation of bills for approval

Motion by Supervisor Kurth, seconded by Supervisor Pingel to approve and pay the bills as presented. All in favor. Motion carried. There was a short discussion on notices that Weinkauf received from the Internal Revenue Service.

### 6. Reports

#### a. Treasurer

Neuendank gave a brief update on revenue figures. It was also noted that both Neuendank and Weinkauf plan to meet so they can work on entering the income figures into the financial software.

# b. Fire Department

There was a short discussion on Marathon County's ordinance Chapter 12, Sec. 12.04 – Licenses and Permits - Assemblies. It was stated that the ordinance will take effect on May 1, 2025.

#### c. Clerk

#### Election Update

Weinkauf indicated there will be a primary election held on February 18<sup>th</sup>. She said there will only be 3 election inspectors working. She is expecting a low turn-out.

#### d. Public Works

There was a short discussion on the Public Works report provided by Rob Weinkauf.

# 7. Remarks from Supervisors

There was a brief discussion regarding the furnace and having back-up power for the municipal center.

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#### 8. Remarks from Chairman

It was indicated that the workers' compensation audit is coming due. Weinkauf said she is working on it. There was a short discussion regarding the delinquent tax report. Beck gave an update on a solar farm meeting he recently attended.

It was indicated that the Annual Meeting will be held on April 15<sup>th</sup>.

# 9. Adjourn

Motion by Supervisor Kurth, seconded by Supervisor Pingel to adjourn the meeting at 8:29 p.m. All in favor. Motion carried.