



Town of Newport

MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, May 13th, 2025

Newport Memorial Town Hall

N9236 Town Hall Road, Wisconsin Dells, WI 53965

Open Meeting Law Compliance Check: Meeting agenda posted at the Newport Town Hall and on the town website (townofnewport.wi.gov).

Board Members Present: Chair Chris Davis, Supervisors Pat Beghin and Corey Smith, Treasurer Cheryl Davis, and Clerk Christine Graap

Citizens Present: Rose Bavlnka

Agenda Items:

Davis called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m. Beghin moved to approve the Agenda, Smith seconded, motion carried to approve Agenda as presented.

Meeting Minutes from last meeting: Beghin moved, Smith seconded, and motion carried to approve minutes from last meeting.

Treasurers Report: Report was for previous month, will be emailed.

Reports & Road Work: Board of Review is May 28th from 5-7 p.m. New Haven mowing partnership was discussed and more information needs to be gathered. Seal coating and cracking filling should be done by the end of the week. Updates on Ingebretson – Peterson Road progress. Beghin make a motion to approve the pulverize on Freel Road, Smith seconded and motion carried.

Citizen Recognition: Rose Bavlnka requested signage for the boat ramp for no overnight parking and no parking zones.

Nelson Rezone: Haven't heard anything back. Survey is done but don't believe there should be a split utility. Denied by the Town of Newport and sent back to Columbia County.

Liquor Ordinance: Motion to approve Intoxicating Liquor and Fermented Malt Beverages Ordinance 25-01, with said revisions, was made by Beghin, seconded by Smith, and motion carried to approve it.

CUP Non-Payment Fee: Attorney suggested an amendment to the Fee Schedule ordinance for STR's adding a fee for non-payment of it. Also add additional information that was discussed.

Vouchers: Beghin moved and Smith seconded, to approve checks 9133 - 9141 for a total of \$30,636.43. Motion carried.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, June 10th, at 7:00 P.M.

Agenda items for next meeting: Fee Schedule, Road Work, Liquor License Approvals, Boat Landing, CUP Ordinance for STR amendment.

Adjourn: Davis moved to adjourn, Smith seconded, at 7:48 P.M. Motion carried.