

TOWN OF CARY
5688 ACCOLA ROAD
PITTSVILLE, WI 54466
Town Board Meeting Minutes
(Unofficial)
October 14, 2025

The regular monthly meeting of the Cary Town Board was called to order at 6:00 p.m. on October 14, 2025. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited, and a prayer was given. Present were board members: Mark Gosh, Dennis Brunner, Dale Zawislan, Carey Rucker, Jean Gansch, and Lori Hiebl; also present was one member of the community.

Checks were reviewed and signed.

Minutes of the September 9, 2025 meeting were read, a motion to accept the minutes as read was made by Dennis Brunner, seconded by Dale Zawislan, motion carried. Dale mentioned that he talked to an Embridge representative at the WTA Conference, October 11-12, and they offer a grant to townships for AED devices. Jean will email the rep. and request the forms to apply for this grant.

Clerk reported on the WEC conference attended on September 30-October 1st; it was a valuable source of information on election training.

Assessor's Report—campers on Johnson Road, causing road damage, Assessor can only assess the land and permanent structures, the campers and trailers are still on wheels and do not meet the length standard to be assessed. Assessor also reported other contacts made in the month of September. ATV signs were removed because they make it more difficult to mow around, and since all county roads are ATV accessible in the county as are most town roads it is deemed to be unnecessary to post our roads as ATV accessible. Clerk asked the board to approve "Auto-pay" for some of the reoccurring monthly bill, due to the delay that mailing can cause in getting the checks to the vendors by due dates. Motion to Auto-pay monthly bills—TDS, Clark Electric, Waste Management, and Associated Bank VISA card—following the monthly board meeting to verify charges—was made by Dale Zawislan, seconded by Dennis Brunner, motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Carey gave the monthly reports for August and September, motion was made to file the Treasurer's Reports as presented by Dale Zawislan, seconded by Dennis Brunner, motion carried.

Roads Report: There has been damage reported on Johnson Road due to reckless recreation vehicle traffic, it will be investigated by the Sheriff's department. Also, road damage was reported on Cook Road due to logging activity. The county forester and the land owner will be notified to repair the damage or pay the charges. Concerns about proposed logging on North Johnson Road were discussed, due to the new blacktop on that portion of the road.

New Business: Budget was discussed; Treasurer presented the numbers that will keep our town running.

Motion was made to 'Adopt Resolution 2025-0' (See Attached Copy), by Dennis Brunner, seconded by Dale Zawislan, Motion carried unanimously.

Motion to Approve the use of the unused levy carryforward of \$799.00 of prior year's carryover on the 2025 Levy Limit Worksheet, was made by Dennis Brunner, seconded by Dale Zawislan, motion carried unanimously.

Old Business: Equipment responsibility—lock doors, put equipment away.

Wood County Emergency Management informed the township that it is mandatory that at least one board member attend meeting on October 17, 2025, 12:30-3:30 to be eligible for FEMA funds in case of a disaster. Dennis will attend.

WTA unit meeting will be held at the Wood Town Hall on October 17th at 6:00 p.m. Dale and Mark will attend.

Additional gravel will be purchased and spread on Lindsey Road, south of the bridge ½ mile north of Baltus Road to ½ mile past Steffek Road. A total of 50 loads of gravel will be purchased from Pankratz at the contract price agreed upon earlier in the year.

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Mark discussed part of the 5-Year Plan for Road Development, this is an ongoing process and will be developed further as time goes on.

Proposed

2026

- Apply for Tri-grant for Steffek Road to be Double chip sealed—approx. Cost \$76K
- Granite for South Johnson Road—1 mile
- Granite for Yetter Road—1mile
- Granite for Dickson Road—1-mile

2027

- Apply for grant to asphalt Cary Rock Road 3/4 -mile
- Apply for grant to asphalt Dabrowski Road

Meeting Adjourned at 8:15 p.m. Motion to adjourn was made by Dennis Brunner, seconded by Dale Zawislan, motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted: Jean Gansch, Clerk