

TOWN OF RICHLAND PUBLIC BUDGET MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, December 13, 2023 at 6:00 PM

1. Chairman, Matt Williams, called to order The Public Budget Meeting at 6:00 P.M. Board officials present: Chairman-Matt Williams, Supervisors-Aaron Palmer and Matt Schmitz, Clerk-Kayla Williams and Treasurer-Jane Ewing.
 - A. The Public Budget Meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.
 - B. The meeting was posted in the Richland Observer, outside the town garage and on the town's website.
 - C. Aaron Palmer made a motion to approve the agenda, it was seconded by Matt Schmitz. The motion carried.
2. Town clerk reviewed the 2024 proposed budget.
3. Aaron Palmer made a motion to adjourn the public budget meeting, it was seconded by Matt Williams. The motion carried at 6:07 PM.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING OF THE TOWN ELECTORS

Minutes

1. Aaron Palmer made a motion to appoint Matt Schmitz to lead the Town Meeting of the Town Electors. It was seconded by Matt Williams. The motion carried.
2. Matt Schmitz called to order the Special Town Meeting of the Town Electors
 - A. The meeting notice was posted in the Richland Observer, outside the town garage and on the town's website.
 - B. Matt Williams made a motion to approve the agenda, it was seconded by Aaron Palmer. The motion carried.
3. Establish compensation for elected town officers pursuant to s. 60.10(1)(b)1, Wis. Stat.: Aaron Palmer made a motion to increase the chairman's salary to \$2000. it was seconded by Gordon Palmer. The motion carried. Matt Williams made a motion to increase the supervisor's salary to \$1500 per year. It was seconded by Gordon Palmer. The motion carried.
4. Approval of the Town Tax Levy for 2023 payable in 2024: Aaron Palmer made a motion to approve the town's levy in the amount of \$179,558. It was seconded by Matt Williams. The motion carried.
5. Discussion and Approval of the Highway Expenditures for 2024: Board members discussed Maple Grove Road as first priority. Then McAvoy Hill Road. Aaron Palmer made a motion to

use left over money used on highways, then Maple Grove Road and then McAvoy Hill Road. It was seconded by Matt Williams. The motion carried.

6. Aaron Palmer made a motion to approve the proposed 2024 Budget. It was seconded by Matt Williams. The motion carried.

7. Matt Schmitz made a motion to adjourn the special town meeting of the town electors. It was seconded by Gordon Palmer. The motion carried at 6:14 PM.