

Town of Mercer
Special Board Meeting
Mercer Town Hall
October 23, 2025 at 5pm
Approved minutes

1. Order of business of the Special Meeting
 - a. Eric called the special meeting to order
 - b. Pledge of allegiance
 - c. Roll call: Present were Supervisors Mike Lambert, Scot Lundquist, Christan Brandt, Rick Boes, Chairman Eric Snow, Clerk Deb Hohner and Road Foreman Jake Saarnio.
 - d. The Clerk acknowledged that the meeting was properly posted

2. Items for Discussion/Possible Action
 - a. Selection of 2026 health insurance policy: Scot made a motion to go with the last plan on the list, seconded by Rick. Carried
 - b. Work on 2026 budget: Work included looking at items to sell that are no longer used, what roads we can afford to blacktop, potentially leasing a new loader, how the library should handle fine/fees, checking with Fritz to see which organizations the town can provide funds to, reviewing how much funds are in town/park room tax funds, adding a line item in the budget for the Tourism Commission.

3. At 7:33 Christan made a motion to into closed session per Wis Statute 19.85 (1) (c) considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility, seconded by Mike. Roll call vote all yes

4. Scot made a motion to return from closed session at 7:59

5. Any possible action: Scot made a motion, seconded by Rick to increase fire wages to \$25/hour. Carried Rick made a motion, seconded by Scot to raise the road crew wages by \$1/hr other than Conner Brandt and Tommy Hohner to increase to \$1.50. Carried with Christan abstaining. Rick made a motion, seconded by Mike to increase Jerry and Sharon's wages by \$1/hr. Carried

The meeting adjourned at 8:01

Respectfully submitted,
Debbie Hohner- Clerk Town of Mercer