

TOWN OF AURORA
MINUTES OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING
RESCHEDULED
Wednesday, April 15, 2026

The Aurora Town Board met at the town hall on Wednesday, April 15, 2026. Officers present were Chairman CJ Young, Supervisor I Jeff Toll, Supervisor II Andy Przybyl, Treasurer Melissa Zamzow, and Clerk Ann Mosling. Dean Anderson-Waushara County Highway Commissioner and Thomas Mosling-District 1 County Supervisor also attended the meeting.

CJ called the monthly meeting to order at 7:04 pm.

The Clerk verified the meeting Agenda was posted on April 13, 2026 at these locations: 1) Town of Aurora website (www.townaurora.com), 2) Town Hall board, and 3) Town board located at Midway Gas and Oil. **A motion was made by CJ, and seconded by Andy, to move the Road Report/discussion to the first order of Business, approve the agenda with this change, and proceed with the meeting. Motion carried.**

A motion was made by CJ, and seconded by Jeff, to approve the minutes from the March 12, 2026 Regular Board Meeting and enter them into the official record. Motion carried.

Officers' Reports:

A) Treasurer's Report:

The checking account beginning balance for **March 2026** was \$264,645.02

Deposits: \$140.25 including \$30.25 in earned interest

Payments: \$66,528.36, with five outstanding checks totaling \$254.56

The month-end cash on-hand balance was \$198,002.35

YTD Receipts: \$855,879.15 YTD Disbursements: \$1,511,034.18

A motion was made by Jeff, and seconded by Andy, to approve the Treasurer's report. Motion carried.

B) Clerk:

- Fire Extinguisher Annual inspection performed 4/7/26 by Fire Inspection Services: they found the fire alarm system test is outdated. Corrective action: Ahern scheduled to come in on April 21st to perform fire alarm system test. Fire Inspection Services will return afterwards.
- 2025 Lottery Credit Settlement received from Waushara County \$3,949.02 from county
- Reschedule June Board Meeting to June 17, 2026 7pm
- **Upcoming Events:**

Open Book: April 28, 2026 9-11am over the phone: Call *Action Appraisers* 920-766-7323

Board of Review: May 14, 2026 5-7pm at the Aurora Town Hall

C) Board: n/a

Business:

1. Road report: discussion and decisions pertaining to maintenance and improvement.

Discussion with Dave-Hwy Commissioner:

- A. County suggests to swap county and town ownership of roadways 34th (cuf-off road to Walmart) and Cty XX.

Issues: board reports there are still semi-trucks heavily using Cty XX

34th is currently posted "no trucks"

Cty XX is 1.5 miles longer than 34th for maintenance purposes

semis can't make S-curve on Cty XX so the shoulder is being torn up.

Dave will first put new optical traffic counters on both roads to monitor traffic before making any decision.

- B. Dave is recommending using Geo-grid mat -- but not this year; he wants wait to see how other road installations perform

- C. Apply for LRIP: Program is 5yr rotation cycle and comes up in next 2 years. Start by Oct'27 to meet due date 1-15-28. Bid projects as asphalt only.
- D. Apply for ARIP for 34th cut-off road to Walmart.
- E. Cost \$100K to crack fill & chip seal 5 miles of roadway

Current projects:

- i. Get quotes for 34th cutoff road for Aug/Sept timeframe. *Eligible for LTRP funds – apply this year thru county. CJ getting quotes*
- ii. Replace culvert on Chicago. *ordered*

Future projects:

- Blacktop town hall parking lot and repair storm drainage *WEC election audit rpt requirement*
 - 2026 crack fill/seal coating projects if we have the money:
 - o E. Waushara – from Retzlaff's to top of the hill, approximately 1 mile
 - o Side streets off of E. Waushara
 - o 32nd Dr (road to Walmart): ditching, need quote on overlay, roadway sagging at culvert (culvert itself verified OK)
 - o Cypress -- Fill crossline cracks to prevent dipping
 - o 34th-CJ to work with Dave-Hwy Commissioner
2. Discussion with possible decision to change Emergency Medical Services (EMS) from City of Berlin to Waushara County

*Aurora is already paying for EMS service in our Waushara Cty tax levy regardless of whether we use it. Aurora paid Berlin EMS \$30,938 in 2025.

*Waushara EMS time-tested several routes in Aurora. The majority of Aurora is reachable within 15 minutes of the Poy Sippi EMS station. The longest route is 20 minutes from the Poy Sippi EMS station to the daycare on 36th in Aurora

*Faster dispatch service with Waushara EMS: no dispatch switch to Berlin required which can save up to several minutes

*Waushara County EMS stations located in Wautoma, Wild Rose, Hancock and Poy Sippi. Each station provides full-time services with at least 1 vehicle at each station.

*Aurora could also independently contract with Poy Sippi EMS or Village of Redgranite EMS

*Waushara EMS will send 2 ambulances/4 EMTs/1 Chief for a major crisis and can bring more resources as needed.

*Waushara EMS will physically move its resources between stations to cover if an ambulance is out on a call; also Waushara Cty has agreement with Berlin EMS to cover each other at no extra cost.

*Waushara EMS provides critical care and full-time EMTs with personnel certified as EMT, Advanced EMT, Paramedic, and Critical Care Medic. Poy Sippi EMS station has 3 persons who are license-qualified to upgrade their role from EMT to Critical Care Medic.

*Community assistants are available to answer questions in a timely manner about medications, etc., to support ambulance services while out on call

*State-wide EMS services experiencing tone dropping when switching from one dispatch to another Ex: switching from Waushara EMS to Berlin, or to Neshkoro in Marquette Cty: A 911 dispatch committee has been formed to resolve dispatch issues. Waushara EMS has established procedures to work around these issues and whenever possible will begin to move EMS to head off a call actually coming in.

CJ made a motion, seconded by Andy, to switch EMS services from the City of Berlin to Waushara County starting June 1, 2026, and designate Poy Sippi EMS as First Responders supporting the Town of Aurora. CJ will make necessary phone calls to start the process of switching EMS services. Motion Carried.

- 3. **A motion was made by Andy, and seconded by Jeff, to approve the scheduled payments. Motion carried.**

As there was no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:451 pm.

Ann Mosling, Clerk