



**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE JACKSON TOWN BOARD  
MARCH 20, 2025**

1. **Call to order** – Chairman called the meeting to order at 6:00pm with the Pledge of Allegiance. Clerk Eichner confirmed that the meeting was properly noticed.
2. **Roll call** – Present: Chairman Bob Hartwig, Supervisors Dave Behringer (6:07pm), Joe Kufahl, Marcy Bishop, Steve Fischer, and Clerk Bob Eichner.
3. **Approval of the meeting agenda** - Motion by Kufahl, second by Bishop, to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried 4-0.
4. **Convene to Closed Session** – Motion by Kufahl, second by Bishop, to convene in closed session, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 19.85(1)(c), considering employment, promotion, compensation, or performance criteria and data, Highway Patrolman resignation, replacement, and compensation. Motion carried 4-0.
5. **Reconvene to Open Session**- Motion Kufahl, second by Bishop, to reconvene into open session. Motion carried 5-0.
6. **Discussion and possible action taken by the Town Board respecting the matter(s) discussed in closed session** -
  - A. Motion by Bishop, second by Kufahl, to reluctantly accept the resignation from the Town Board by Steve Fischer. Motion carried 4-0.
  - B. Motion by Bishop, second by Behringer, to hire Steve Fischer at a part-time (32 hour/week) patrolman at a rate of \$28/hour. Motion carried 4-0.
  - C. Motion by Kufahl, second by Bishop, to promote James Brei to Lead Patrolman, a full-time position, at a rate of \$30/hour. Motion carried 4-0. Chairman Hartwig will speak to Brei regarding these changes by Monday, March 24, 2025.
7. **Consider replacement of the one-ton patrol truck** – Motion by Kufahl, second by Behringer, to purchase a one-ton patrol truck with winter accessories and chipper box from the Town of Trenton for \$30,000. Motion carried 4-0.
8. **Consider date for Annual Road Tour** – Item tabled until the regular April 10, 2025 Town Board Meeting. No formal action taken.
9. **Adjournment** – Motion by Kufahl, second by Behringer, to adjourn at 6:40pm. Motion carried 4-0.

Respectfully submitted,

*Robert M Eichner*  
Town Clerk

*Robert H Hartwig*  
Town Chairman