

MINUTES

Town of Waterville – Regular Board Meeting Monday, August 17, 2026, 6:00 p.m. Arkansaw Community Center

Board Members Present: Dennis Milliren, Evan Mercer, Matt Sam, Diane Hoyt, Angie Hartung

Call to order

The regular town meeting was called to order by Chairman Dennis Milliren at 6:02 p.m.

Minutes

Diane read the minutes of the regular meeting held on July 20, 2026. Motion made by Matt and seconded by Evan to accept the minutes as read. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report

Angie gave the July 2026 treasurer's report. The checking account had a balance on July 31, 2026, of \$977,915.22 and the money market's account balance was \$271,594.87.

Citizen Concerns

Dennis reported that he received a request from Sally Klevgard for a burning permit and he let her know to call the Sheriff's department before burning. Dennis also reported that Kevin Lauer contacted him regarding a tree being down on Hatchery Hill for 5 days. Dennis stated that he went and cut it up and let Dale know. It was also reported Herman Fasbender built a shed with a holding tank and that he was told it will need to be emptied and paid for or the cost would be put on his taxes. Matt reported that John Albers is concerned about all the tire marks all over the town of Arkansaw.

Review/Approval of proposed Durand Fire District Proposed 2027 Budget

Dennis discussed the Durand Fire District Proposed 2027 Budget with the Board. A motion was made by Evan and 2nd by Matt to approve the Durand Fire District Proposed 2027 Budget as reported. Motion carried.

Update on road construction and maintenance

Dennis reported that seal coating will be done the week of August 3rd. Dennis also reported that the highway department still needs to grade Pickering Lane by the switch pole.

Paying of Bills

Motion made by Evan and seconded by Matt to approve vouchers 7704 through 7720, in the amount of \$18,091.00. Motion carried.

Review Correspondence/Announcements

- Diane reported that the Partisan Primary Election was held on Tuesday, August 11, 2026, at the Community of Christ Church in Arkansaw and that there are 506 registered voters in the Waterville Township. She reported that 169 of the registered residents voted in this election.
- A Pepin County Unit meeting is scheduled for Thursday, August 20th at 6:00 pm at the Pepin County Highway Shop.
- The next regular meeting will be held on Monday, September 21, 2026, at 6:00 pm at the Community Center.

Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 6:55p.m.

Diane Hoyt, Clerk