

**TOWN OF DAY, MARATHON COUNTY, WISCONSIN
REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2026**

Call to Order

Chairman Brueggen called the meeting to order at 7:05 pm.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Roll Call

Present: Chairman – Joe Brueggen, Supervisor – Chad Hoffman, Supervisor – Trine Spindler,
Clerk – Rebecca Post, Treasurer – Marci Griesbach

Approval of Agenda

Motion (Hoffman/Spindler) to accept agenda as written. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes

Motion (Hoffman/Spindler) to accept minutes from February 4, 2026, with change to clarify that it is the cemetery that is being surveyed. Motion carried.

Approval of Payments

Motion (Hoffman/Spindler) to accept payments as written. Motion carried.

Reports

- Treasurer Report: Treasurer Griesbach provided information regarding deposits, outstanding check amounts, tax collections and account balances.
- Clerk Report: Clerk Post stated the February 17 election had a low turnout. The Wisconsin Elections Commission did a surprise visit to check ADA compliance during the election.
- Plan Commission Report: Provided by Chairman Brueggen. Our zoning code will go before the Marathon County Board on February 19 for approval. After that it will go before the Town Board for approval.
- Road Commission Report: Provided by Supervisor Hoffman. They met to discuss job requirements for the open road maintenance worker position. They will look at the roads in the Spring. Chairman Brueggen was advised there will be a shortage of salt this year which will affect the availability of dust control. The town will be doing all the intersections, and 100 feet on each side of resident driveways.

Correspondence

- Clerk Post shared correspondence received over the past month. There will be a Public Hearing of the Marathon County Executive Committee Meeting on March 12, 2026, at 3 pm to consider adopting the updated County's Comprehensive Plan.
- A Town of Day resident mailed in a letter voicing concerns about all the intrusive lights in the township.

Public Comment

- Rod Bauer expressed his interest in the road maintenance worker position and shared his qualifications.
- Dave Falkowsky from McMillan Township stated he is an Alliant Energy local wind representative. He stated he was here to answer any questions as a number of Town of Day residents invited him to stop by.
- Matthew Boor, Alliant Energy employee, specifically working on the Hub City Wind project, provided an update on the project. Alliant Energy expanded their project by acquiring the leases from the Marathon

Wind project. Hub City Wind is now approximately a 150 MW project. They will be having an open house around Memorial Day.

- Joan Carey-Gebelein expressed gratitude for the menu bars being made more visible on the website.

Continued Business

- The Board discussed the possibility of having both Kevin Breit, and Three C's Construction Consultants provide building inspection services, allowing residents to choose who they wanted to use. Chairman Brueggen will ask the county if it would be an issue for them to list them both.
- There were no updates to share on renewable energy.
- Clerk Post removed the reference to town policy on the Mailbox and Post Damage Claim Form as we don't have a town policy. We will follow the USPS guidelines.
- Surveying of the cemetery will be done approximately around the end of March.
- Supervisor Spindler is editing the personnel manual so it is compliance with state law.

New Business

- Open Book will be Friday, April 17, 2026, from 4-6 pm. Board of Review will be Friday, May 8, 2026, from 4:30-6:30 pm.
- Clerk Post clarified our tax-exempt status with Menards is only honored at the store in Marshfield as that is where our government account is set up. If we wanted to physically go to and purchase at other locations, further paperwork would need to be completed.
- Chairman Brueggen suggested having a mobile shredding company come to the hall and opening the service to residents as well. The Board declined to move forward with this.
- Chairman Brueggen shared information about recycling batteries and aerosol cans.
- We don't qualify for the Local Small Structure Improvement Program (LSSIP).
- The Board discussed purchasing an 11-foot Road Groom with carbide teeth from Road Groom Manufacturing. Chairman Brueggen will look into the best deal they can offer and report back to the Board in March.
- The Board finalized the job description and application for the road maintenance worker position, both of which were posted on the website.

Adjournment

Motion (Hoffman/Spindler) to adjourn at 9:35 pm. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by Rebecca Post, Clerk

Next Board meetings are Wednesday, March 4 and Wednesday March 18, 2026, at 7 pm.