

Minutes of Special Meeting Of the Electors
Perry Town Hall

1. Call to order. Chairman Pat Downing called the meeting to order at 8:50 PM, following the public hearing on the 2013 budget. Supervisors Roger Kittleson and Mick Klein Kennedy, Treasurer Stephanie Zwettler and Clerk Mary Price were present. Also in attendance: Ken Bartz, Phoebe Blackman, Craig Bluschke, Linda Bluschke, Barrett Browning, Hildegard Browning, Deborah Dennis, Cornelius Fink, Helen Fink, Dan Frick, David Gehl, Susan Gehl, Norbert Haag, Duane Iverson, Howard Kietzke, Doug King, Marjorie King, Jack Klein, Gamze Ligler, Steve Ligler, Gerhard Luetschwager, Sonja Luetschwager, Fritz Mani, Jack Markin, Andy Mlsna, Doug Nelson, Linda Nelson, Larry Price, Brent Radke, Nancy Radke, Fred Smith, Ed Sutter.

2. Marjorie King moved and Larry Price seconded a motion to adopt the 2012 Town tax levy, to be paid in 2013 pursuant to Section 60.10(1)(a) of Wis. Statutes - \$228,940.00.

Ken Bartz moved and Duane Iverson seconded a motion to adopt written ballots as the voting method. Jack Markin questioned the need for written ballots and indicated his concern for voters who might be afraid of ramifications for voting by voice vote. Steve Ligler advised a written ballot would insure an accurate count. Voters were asked to stand to indicate a "Yes" vote. Yes - 19, No - 18. Motion carried.

Chairman Pat Downing explained the process required to increase the levy over the allowable levy limit, including a Town Board resolution and a resolution approved at a special meeting of the electors, requiring a Class 2 notice.

Doug King advised support for the proposed levy. Dan Frick suggested that the proposed levy could be defeated and the Town could bill a town tax levy at a later date. Treasurer Stephanie Zwettler stated that the WI statute requires tax bills to be prepared and sent by Dec. 17, 2012. Phoebe Blackman indicated support for the proposed levy. Doug Nelson advised voters that defeating the proposed levy was unwise and borrowing would be required to provide town services in 2013.

Roger Kittleson called the question.

Written ballots were distributed and counted by Linda Bluschke and Craig Bluschke.

Yes - 27; No - 9; Abstain - 1. Motion carried.

3. Adjourn. Mick Klein Kennedy moved and Roger Kittleson seconded a motion to adjourn. Motion carried on voice vote. The meeting adjourned at 9:45 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Price, Clerk