TOWN OF WORCESTER
Regular Town Board Meeting
August 18th, 2026

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. at the Worcester Town Hall.

Present: Chairman Jim Michler
Supervisor Jeremy Pesko
Supervisor Russ Long
Clerk/Treasurer Regina Damjanovic
Visitors

Approve the Minutes
Motion is made and seconded to approve July 21st, 2026, town board meeting minutes. Motion carried.

Budget working meeting. Motion

Closed special town meeting July 31st, 2026

Motion is made and seconded to approve July 21st, 2026, town board meeting minutes. Motion carried.

Clerk/Treasurer Report

- Financial report - Started the month of July with $418,072.88. Total non-tax income was $295,507.17. $41,000 was transferred to cover checks, payroll taxes, and IRA. There was $1,431.54 in outstanding checks leaving the ending cash balance totaling $656,187.10.

Chair Report

Road Crew Report and Transfer Station Report
Have not been able to grade gravel roads due to lack of rain.

Doing corner and curb damage. Looking for better ways to solve this problem. Possibility of using regrind. Hot patch. On top of the regrind. Seeing how this works. Open to suggestions on better options. East and west Solberg.

Need proper drainage on the roadways. Seeing puddles is what starts pot holes which then damages the road.

Goal is to get all city road in decent condition.

Went into mowing which will be discussed later.

Transfer Station –

Items for Discussion and possible action:

Review alcohol license application – Sunset Haven Resort
Motion is made and seconded to approve the alcohol license application for Sunset Haven Resort. Motion carried.

Motion to approve Sunset Haven Resort.

ARIP – Little Chicago Rd./Cranberry Lake Ln.
Culverts installed. Almost all have been graveled but 60% of one road. Set to be scheduled to be black top the first week of September 2026

Approve pay application for Jake's Excavating
It is not necessary for the board to approve it. Asking for 138K. All in favor.

Mowing
The guys have been having issues with the mower. Can get a flale attachment to add to the back of the tractor.

Recommend from one that we buy new flale motor , **** or do both.

Motion carried to buy the valve body.

Salt Storage
Would like to pave this to avoid damage to the road. Motion for 4" of asphalt as long as it does not 10k. Motion carried.

Transfer station rates
Tandem axle traler, should they be raised on the priced. Raise the bag fee for small from $2-3, Large bag $5 . Tandem axle raised to $10. Motion Carried

Voucher List
Motion is made and seconded to approve checks on the August voucher list totaling $44,632.67. Motion carried. Motion carried.

Public comment
Thanked for the signs and also agreed on the raised prices of the tags for garbage.

What are done with the metal culverts? We won't be making extra trips for one metal. Who hauls scrap – will be discusses at next meeting.

Complaints about budget, about how Jim is doing his job

Beneficial thought on the mower/tractor.

Issues of gravel pot holes.

Adjourn
Motion is made and seconded to adjourn at pm, motion carried.

Amy Ossmann, Deputy Clerk/Treasurer