

*Unofficial Minutes until approved by the Town Board*

**TOWN OF CAMPBELL  
LA CROSSE COUNTY, WISCONSIN  
PUBLIC HEARING  
&  
SPECIAL TOWN BOARD MEETING  
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2018, 6:00 P.M.  
CAMPBELL TOWN HALL  
2219 BAINBRIDGE STREET, LA CROSSE, WI 54603**

**1) Meeting Called to Order:**

Meeting called to order at 6:03 P.M.

**2) Roll Call & Verify Public Notice:**

Present: Supervisor Kelsey Craig, Supervisor Ralph Thoren, Chairman Terry Schaller, Supervisor Mitch Brohmer and Supervisor Bob Wolfert.

Also present were Fire Chief Nate Melby, Police Chief Drew Gavrilos, and Maintenance Foreman Steve Pintz.

Pursuant to law, written notice of this meeting was given to the press, published in the La Crosse Tribune and posted on the public bulletin boards.

**3) Agenda:**

1. Public Hearing on the General Fund Proposed 2019 Budget and Utility District #1 Proposed 2019 Budget of the Town of Campbell, La Crosse County, will be held.

*Jeff Foellmi, 1503 Caroline St.*, commented about raises given to the Town Office Staff.

*Bruce Becker, 3111 Lakeshore Dr.*, also asked about step increases given to the office staff. Mr. Becker suggested having a working agreement in place for general town employees that outlines pay increases. Mr. Becker also asked Supervisor Thoren about the status of the water issue at Del Ray. Mr. Becker also asked Supervisor Wolfert if he had any new information regarding the sewer contract with the City of La Crosse. Mr. Becker asked which roads were included in the upcoming streets and roads project. Supervisor Thoren mentioned most of the roads south of Goddard St. to Washburn St. Mr. Becker would like to see the County spend some money in repairs to the catch basins on the south end of the Island.

*Lee Weis, 100 Church Dr.*, also inquired about a proposed project regarding drainage issues at Del Ray and whether money was budgeted for next year. Supervisor Thoren stated that one possible solution was not budgeted for 2019 but would cost less than

\$20,000.00. Chairman Schaller stated that he is hoping to have extra money at the end of 2018 that would be put back into the general fund to be used as a reserve for unexpected issues. Mr. Weis wanted to comment regarding the lack of money for street projects as well as park and recreation.

**Immediately following Public Hearing on the proposed budgets, a Special Town Electors Meeting will be held for the following purposes:**

1. To adopt the 2018 Town tax levy to be paid in 2019 pursuant to Section 60.10(1)(a) of Wisconsin Statutes.

Motion to adopt the 2018 Town tax levy to be paid in 2019 in the amount of \$1,080,235.00 made by Gary Simenson, seconded by Terry Schaller.

**Motion Carried 15-3 (by show of hands)**

2. To approve the total year 2019 highway expenditures pursuant to Section 81.01(3) of Wisconsin Statutes.

Motion to approve \$1,479,260.00 for highway expenditures for 2019 made by Bob Wolfert, seconded by Terry Schaller. **Motion carried 20-0 (by show of hands)**

**\*\*SPECIAL TOWN BOARD MEETING\*\***

Immediately following Special Town Electors Meeting the Campbell Town Board will meet:

1. To adopt the 2019 Town General Fund budget.

Motion to adopt the 2019 Town General Fund Budget made by Supervisor Brohmer, seconded by Chairman Schaller. **Motion carried 4-1 (Craig voted "against")**

2. To adopt the 2019 Utility District #1 budget.

Motion to adopt the 2019 Utility District #1 Budget made by Supervisor Brohmer, seconded by Supervisor Wolfert. **Motion carried 5-0**

**4) Adjournment of Meeting:**

Motion to adjourn made by Supervisor Wolfert, seconded by Chairman Schaller.  
**Motion carried 5-0 (6:43 P.M.)**

Respectfully Submitted,

Chadwick Hawkins  
Town Clerk/Treasurer