Town of Lawrence

Proceedings of the SPECIAL Joint Town Board Meeting with Village of Hobart Town Hall, 2400 Shady Court, De Pere WI Monday, June 23, 2025

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Tibaldo at 5:18 p.m.

2. Roll Call

Present In-Person

Chairman: Dr. Lanny Tibaldo

Supervisors: Kari Vannieuwenhoven; Bill Bain, Lori Frigo, Kevin Brienen Others in Attendance: Patrick Wetzel, Administrator; Cindy Kocken, Clerk-Treasurer;

Police Chief, Michael Renkas

3. Approve Agenda

Supervisor Brienen made the motion to approve the agenda as presented. Supervisor Bain seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

4. Discussion and Possible Action on Amendment to Hobart – Lawrence Intergovernmental Police Agreement:

Chief Renkas and Administrator Wetzel reviewed the proposed Third Hobart – Lawrence Intergovernmental Police Agreement. Discussion occurred between the two Boards.

The Town Board engaged in an in-depth discussion concerning Article V – Payment Terms. A key focus was the 10-year fee schedule, which had previously been the subject of joint small group discussions between the Town of Lawrence and the Village of Hobart. Multiple options and structures for the schedule were proposed during those discussions, reflecting differing fiscal strategies and projections between the municipalities.

In addition, the Town Board deliberated whether to include self-initiated field activity calls as part of the formula used to determine fee adjustments or triggers under the agreement. The inclusion of such calls could significantly affect the calculation of service usage and therefore impact the payment obligations of the agreement.

Supervisor Vannieuwenhoven made the motion to approve the Amendment to Hobart-Lawrence Intergovernmental Police Agreement with modifications to the payment terms with zero percent increase for 2026, then five percent increase after that, for a total of \$1,231,605.42 at year 2035, and not including the self-initiated field activity calls. Supervisor Frigo seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

5. Other topics as authorized by law:

No action.

6. Adjourn:

Supervisor Frigo made the motion at 6:19 p.m. to adjourn the meeting. Supervisor Vannieuwenhoven seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by, Cindy Kocken, Clerk-Treasurer