

The Town Board Meeting and Public Hearing for the Town of Addison was held on Thursday, November 6, 2025, 6:00pm at the Town Hall. The following were present:

Supervisor	Jack Thompson
Council Member	Alice Weale
Council Member	John Lyons
Council Member	Joseph Trappler
Council Member	Jason Becker
Attorney	Vacant
Town Clerk	Robin Carr
Assessor	Teresa Lyons
Hwy Superintendent	Kenny Peoples Jr.
Bookkeeper	Linda Austin

Hope Trappler Micaela Becker Kristina Mujica Sheila Thompson

Supervisor Thompson called the meeting to order at 6:02pm asking all to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance.

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC: None

Motion by Supervisor Thompson, seconded by Council Member Lyons, to go out of the Regular Meeting and into the Public Hearing at 6:03pm

Ayes: Thompson, Weale, Lyons, Trappler and Becker

Noes: None

Proof of Notice having been furnished, the Public Hearing on the 2026 Preliminary Budget was called to order. Supervisor Thompson asked if anyone wanted the Budget read line by line, all attendees declined. Supervisor Thompson then asked if anyone wanted to speak in favor of or against any item in the 2026 Preliminary Budget.

No one spoke for or against the 2026 Preliminary Budget.

All persons desiring to be heard, having been heard, the Public Hearing was terminated.

Motion by Council Member Becker, seconded by Council Member Lyons, to go out of the Public Hearing and back into the Regular Meeting at 6:10pm.

Ayes: Thompson, Weale, Lyons, Trappler and Becker

Noes: None

APPROVE MINUTES: Motion by Council Member Trappler, seconded by Council Member Weale, to approve the October 9, 2025 minutes as written.

Ayes: Weale, Lyons, Trappler and Becker

Noes: None

Abstain: Thompson – absent from last month's meeting

ORGANIZATION APPOINTMENTS: None

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS:

- a. Assessor – Working on Ag Exemption

b. Hwy Superintendent – Graded Mose Road again. Cleaned out cold storage to put the Roller, Grader and Tractor in for the winter. Prepared Ford P/U for winter and had to take to Wilbri to have the plow fixed, solenoid replaced and we have the truck back ready. Truck 1 taken to B&W to be fixed so we are prepared for winter. Fixed potholes on Hallet Road, cut trees from Fred Rial Road that fell and helped County with loading top soil at the Village Dump. Met with Dawn at DOT for CHIPS, estimated to receive \$312,588.84 reimbursement. Fuel log submitted, used 174.3 gallons of diesel fuel.

c. Town Clerk, Fire/Ambulance, Justice, DCO and Bookkeepers reports were read as submitted. Town Clerk noted that there are currently 26 expired dog licenses and that his office will be closed the week of November 17, 2025. Received report from the Fire Department and Ambulance Corps. Made 1 runs for 2.6 hours, 114 miles and used 0 gallons of fuel. Bookkeeper reported the following collections: Justice - \$1,639.00, Town Clerk – \$472.20, \$36,243.83 sales tax, Capital Credit of \$135.33 from Steuben Rural Electric, and expecting \$312,588.84 from CHIPS, POP, PaveNY and EWR. Received \$2,290.22 in interest over all accounts.

OLD BUSINESS:

- a. Sell Rock Crusher – Brett Tuscany offered \$2,000. Board tabled till next month, want to see if the fly wheel will turn over and investigate the value of the crusher before proceeding.
- b. New Law Requiring .gov – Domain is approved and connected to Wix, working on cleaning up the WEB pages.
- c. Town Barn Heating – Superintendent will have heater serviced, get a quote on replacing and look into getting a pellet stove to assist with heating the Town Barn. Also look into weather stripping for around the doors and windows.

NEW BUSINESS:

- a. Removal of downed tree in the cemetery – looking for a large chain saw to cut into three sections so the Highway Department can remove.
- b. Budget Transfers:

\$ 85.00	from A1355.402 (Assessors Mileage)	to A1355.404 (Assessors Dues)
\$ 100.00	from A1220.2 (Supervisor Equipment)	to A5132.408 (Garage Supplies)
\$ 150.00	from A5132.405 (Garage Trash)	to A5132.408 (Garage Supplies)
\$ 266.38	from A5132.411 (Garage Culligans)	to A5132.408 (Garage Supplies)
\$ 3,000.00	from A5142.12 (Snow O/T)	to DA5132.403 (Machinery Repairs)
\$ 2,327.01	from DA9060.8 (Hospital Ins)	to DA5132.403 (Machinery Repairs)
\$ 3,000.00	from A1990.4 (Contingent)	to DA5132.404 (Snow Salt)
\$ 3,353.00	from DA5142.11 (Snow Pers Svc)	to DA5142.404 (Snow Salt)

Motion by Supervisor Thompson, seconded by Council Member Trappler, to approve the budget transfers as listed:

Ayes: Thompson, Weale, Lyons Trappler and Becker

Noes: None

- c. Adopt the 2026 Preliminary Budget – Motion by Council Member Trappler, seconded by Council Member Weale, to Approve **Resolution #7 of 2025**, to Adopt the 2026 Preliminary Budget. Supervisor - \$6,000; Town Clerk/Tax Collector - \$25,090; Superintendent of Highways - \$54,600; Town Justice - \$10,752; Council Persons – 4 each @\$1,200 - \$4,800. Total to be raised by Taxes is \$464,858.80 which is a 1.516% increase. Roll Call Taken: Thompson – Yes, Weale – Yes, Lyons – Yes, Trappler – Yes, and Becker – Yes. Motion is Adopted 5-0

- d. Pay back CSR Fund upon receiving CHIPS money. Motion by Supervisor Thompson, seconded by Council Member Trappler, to reimburse the Cash Special Reserve Fund \$78,500 upon receipt of CHIPS money.
 - Ayes: Thompson, Weale, Lyons, Trappler and Becker
 - Noes: None
- e. NYMIR Insurance Information – provided equipment and building values. Council Member Trappler requested clarification of equipment replacement value. Previous meeting with insurance representative stated equipment would be replaced new. Town Clerk will reach out to the insurance company for clarification.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: None

COMMUNICATIONS: None

OTHER BUSINESS:

Claim Numbers, General Fund Claim, Nos. 164-182, totaling \$8,200.27; Highway DA Fund Claim Nos. 48-52, totaling \$3,759.60; Highway DB Fund Claim Nos. 35-37, totaling \$3,676.99; and Trust & Agency Claim, Nos. 30-32, totaling \$578.00, for a Grand Total of \$16,214.95. Motion by Council Member Trappler, seconded by Council Member Lyons, to pay the bills in their usual manner.

Ayes: Thompson, Weale, Lyons, Trappler and Becker
Noes: None

SUPERVISOR REPORT: Motion by Council Member Trappler, seconded by Council Member Weale, to approve the Supervisor Report for October 2025 as presented.

Ayes: Thompson, Weale, Lyons, Trappler and Becker
Noes: None

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC: None.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion by Council Member Weale, seconded by Council Member Lyons, that the meeting be adjourned at 6:47pm, the next scheduled board meetings will be Thursday, December 4, 2025, 7:00pm at the Town Hall.

Ayes: Thompson, Weale, Lyons, Trappler and Becker
Noes: None

Respectfully Submitted,

Robin Carr
Town Clerk

NEXT MEETINGS

MONTHLY MEETING: Thursday, December 4, 2025, 7:00pm at the Town Hall