

Sherman Town Board Monthly Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, March 3, 2026

The Sherman Town Board met in regular session Tuesday March 3 @ 7:30pm

Members Present: Dawn Williams, Justin Haman, Larry Sutton and Cheryl Swenson.

Others Present: Gerry Karpen, Ellen Karpen, Lee Ellis, Brian Persing and Kadie Persing.

Williams called the meeting to order.

Routine Business:

Approval of the agenda- Motion by Haman to approve the agenda, 2nd by Sutton-all ayes, motion carried.

Minutes of the February 3, 2026 meeting were read—Haman made a motion to approve the minutes, 2nd by Sutton—all Ayes, motion carried.

The Treasurer's report was read—Haman made a motion to approve the Treasurers report as read, 2nd by Sutton—all Ayes, motion carried.

Open floor to comments: Ellis stated he would like to volunteer to oversee the roads in town for when they need gravel, grading and plowing and let the board know. Will put on the agenda for next month.

Claims Approved to be paid:

Minnehaha Community Water \$70.00 for water, Xcel Energy \$71.57 town hall lights, \$369.41 street lights, \$34.81 park lights, Garretson Gazette \$30.95 for Jan minutes, \$94.48 for public hearing notices, Palisades Propane \$275.11 for propane, Dell Rapids Law Firm \$132.00 for legal fees.

Old Business:

1. 2nd reading of Amendment to business district ordinance 2026-02—Motion to approve amendment by Haman, 2nd by Sutton—all ayes motion carried.
2. Board of Equalization—meeting will be March 18, 2026 @ 7:00pm
3. Petitions—received only 1 from Williams—no election will be held.

New Business:

1. Dogs at large—still having problems with dogs at large. Haman made a motion to keep Humane Society contract for 2026, 2nd by Sutton—all ayes motion carried.
2. Annual Report—clerk presented the Annual Report. Haman made a motion to approve report, 2nd by Sutton—all ayes motion carried.
3. Mowing bids—anyone interested in mowing city property needs to get a form from town clerk and turn it in by the April 7, 2026 meeting.
4. Mike's Bar street dance—Mike's Bar wants to have a street dance on the south side of the bar (1st St.) for a couples 50th wedding anniversary. It will be Sept. 19, 2026.
Motion by Haman to approve street dance, 2nd by Sutton—all ayes motion carried.

Haman made a motion to adjourn, 2nd by Sutton—all ayes.

Next regular meeting will be Tuesday, April 7, 2026 @7:30pm.

Cheryl Swenson Town Clerk