

The Martell Town Board Monthly Meeting
held on June 9th, 2026 at 7:00 PM
at The Martell Town Hall, at W5581 800th Avenue, Spring Valley, WI 54767

MEETING MINUTES

1. Chairman Brathol called the meeting to order at 7 pm.
2. Roll Call: All board members present. Supervisor Kidd attended virtually through phone
3. Verification of Public Notice: verified
4. Kaminski made a motion to approve the Agenda, Brathol 2nd, all in favor, motion carries
5. Kaminski made a motion to approve the May 12th Minutes, Kidd 2nd, all in favor, motion carries
6. Receive May Treasurer's Reports: Beginning: \$205,755.21; Ending: 132,799.62. Received Olivet cemetery payment from RR and personal property aid. Today \$124,352.43
7. Kidd made a motion to approve the May and early June Distributions, Kaminski 2nd, all in favor, motion carries
8. 2026/2027 Liquor License Renewals: No Issues
 - i. Kaminski made a motion to approve Barns of Lost Creek, Agent Emma Booth, Kidd 2nd, all in favor, motion carries
 - ii. Kaminski made a motion to approve the Blooming Barrel Event Center, Agent Trent Schug, Kidd 2nd, all in favor, motion carries
9. Kidd made a motion to approve the Public Works Supervisor 2026-2027 Employment Contract, Kasminski 2nd, all in favor, motion carries
10. Approved driveway permit for Avant Builders, 810th Ave near RF town border
11. Receive May Building Permits Report:
 - a. Kenefick, J, W7184 810th Ave, Residential Add/Alt, \$41,000
 - b. Bamman, M & R, W5450 820th Ave, Accessory bldg/garden shed, \$16,000
12. Receive Pierce County May Land Use & Sanitary Permits and Address Report
 - a. Mergens, B&L, W5906 810th Ave, Dwelling w/attached garage, \$350,000
 - b. 2025 Investments, W6124 County Rd N, Dwelling w/attached garage, \$750,000
 - c. 2025 Investments, W6124 County Rd N, Temp Dwelling while constructing
 - d. Avant Builders, 810 Ave, Sanitary Permit, new mound
 - e. 2025 Investments, W6124 County Rd N, Sanitary Permit, new mound
 - f. Uniform Address Number Issued: Mergens, B & L, W5906 810th Ave
13. Receive Department / Committee Reports
 - a. Planning Commission: A & A Holdings/Trailblazers CUP Recommendation: Recommendation for approval with 7 conditions to be included as part of the Town Recommendation form. Kidd made a motion to approve the CUP for Trailblazers with attached conditions, Kaminski 2nd, all in favor, motion carries
 - b. EAASOC: Annual cook-out, no business discussed
 - c. Employee's report: 133 hrs in May, blade patch complete, dust control complete, mowing now
 - d. Cemetery Report - Flags were out for Memorial Day. Beginning green cemetery research.
 - e. Maintenance & Repair: Chain on town hall stairs. Began discussion with PC Land Conservation and three landowners to fix culvert issues on 610 St.
14. Correspondence: Maintenance of Effort Report from EFSA, WI Elections Commission updates: Military & Absentee and Spoiling ballots, Ellsworth School District, Board Officers: Mary Foster: appointed vs elected clerk.
15. Set next meeting date(s): August 4 due to conflict with the August election, July 11 public presentation
16. Public Comment:
 - a. Tim Wiff: When is the Board of Review? Monday, June 15th, 6-8 PM
 - b. A resident: Request for the board to put parameters on Trailblazers. Neighbors are against it. Kaminski clarified that this activity is considered a conditional use approved by PC Land management and the County's jurisdiction. Prescott to share the 7 Restrictions/Conditions attached to the Town Approval. Also, shortened the review period to 1 year. Rich Olson hears their concerns. He wants to be neighborly.
 - c. Prescott Bergh: Request for spraying for wild parsnip on 600th St.
17. Discuss next meetings' agenda items: Begin budget conversation, animal control, Mt Zion to a green cemetery, Road Ordinance discussion,
18. Kaminski made a motion to Adjourn, Kidd 2nd, all in favor, motion carries.