

Jackson County Towns Association

Thursday, July 10, 2025 – 7:00 PM

Department of Health and Human Services Building, (DHHS)

421 County Road R, Black River Falls, WI 54615

Refreshments Provided by; Jack Dittmar - Scott Construction

(Please serve yourself; Refreshments Located in the front of the room)

Town Unit Meeting Agenda

1. Call Meeting to Order & Pledge of Allegiance
2. Please Sign the Attendance Form
3. Minutes Read from Our Last Unit Meeting
4. **Legislative Reports (Invited)**
 - **U.S. Senate;**
Senator Tammy Baldwin & Senator Ron Johnson
 - **U.S. Congress;**
Rep. Derrick Van Orden - WI 3rd Dist. & Rep. Tom Tiffany - WI 7th Dist.
 - **State Senate;**
Sen. Patrick Testin - Dist.24
 - **State Assembly;**
Rep. Nancy VanderMeer - Dist.70
5. **ATV and UTV Hours of Operation – County Ordinance**
 - Presentation by: Tom Cooper, Jackson County Board Supervisor
6. **County Department Reports (Invited)**
 - County Board of Supervisors
 - Update of Recent Board Activities/Action
 - Kevin Kamrowski, Jackson County Highway
 - Update on 2025 Road Maintenance Projects, Highway Facility Update
 - Duane Waldera, County Sheriff
 - Update of Recent Law Enforcement Activities, Staffing, Jail Project
7. **News and Information from the Wisconsin Towns Association;**
 - WTA State Directors – Jack Herricks and Steve Dickinsen
8. **Town Official Reports;**
 - What's happening in your Town; An update of your Towns recent activities.
9. **County Town Road Improvement Committee Elections, (CTRIC)**
 - The committee consists of no more than five, (5) Town Chairs or Town Chairs Designees, selected by all Town Chairs or Town Chair Designees in Jackson County, (One vote per Town present at this meeting). The committee and committee chair need to be elected by October 1, 2025.
10. **Unit Meeting Adjournment at Approximately 9:00 PM:**
 - Next Unit Meeting Date: Thursday, October 16, 2025
11. **Call the CTRIC to order**
 - Election of CTRIC Chair
 - Meeting Adjournment

Your County Unit Officers invite all Town Board Officials to attend our quarterly meetings of the **“Jackson County Towns Association**. These meetings are intended for Clerks & Treasurers, Chairs & Supervisors, Planning Commissions and any other Town Appointed Committee Members. Unit Meetings provide for a wide variety of educational topics and the opportunity for you to address your County, State and Federal Legislators.

2025 Meeting Schedule

(Meetings held at the Jackson County DHHS Building - 421 Co. Rd. R, Black River Falls, WI (7-9 PM))

1. **Thursday, January 16, 2025** – DATCP presentation on I.D. Theft and Scams
2. **Thursday, April 10, 2025** – Reading & Understanding Bridge and Culvert Inspection Reports
3. **Thursday, July 17, 2025** – ATV/UTV Hours Ordinance & CTRIC Elections
4. **Thursday, October, 16, 2025** - TBA

Meetings Held in 2024

1. **Thursday, January 18, 2024** (Meeting Canceled)
2. **Thursday, April 18, 2024** – J.C. Broadband, TRIP, 6-20 Culverts, Personal Property Tax Exemption Issues, Jail Project
3. **Thursday, July 18, 2024** – Livestock Ordinances, Jail Funding, Contracting for Roadwork, Road & Culvert Projects, Town DOR Reporting
4. **Thursday, October 17, 2024** – Trout Unlimited Bridge and Culvert Project, Elk Damage Issues on Private Lands

There are only four, 2-hour (7-9 PM) meetings each year. We think you will find them informative, interesting and educational. Your attendance and participation are always appreciated.

Thank you,

1. Steve Dickinsen, Unit Chair (Town of Garfield) 715-597-3360
2. Tom Tomter, Unit Vice-Chair (Town of Albion) 715-299-4695
3. Michel Berner, Secretary (Town of Garfield) 715-563-1459