

**TOWN OF LAPOINTE  
PUBLIC HEARING:  
2023 BUDGET  
MONDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2022  
5:00 PM AT TOWN HALL  
Approved Minutes**

**Town Board Members Present:** Chair Glenn Carlson, Supervisor Michael Anderson, Supervisor Aimée Baxter, Supervisor Sue Brenna, Supervisor John Carlson  
**Public Present:** 40 Townspeople present total including Town Board Members

I. Call to Order: Meeting called to order by Glenn Carlson at 5:00pm.

II. The purpose of this Public Hearing is to discuss the 2023 proposed budget:

Carol Neubauer commented on utilizing the Emergency Services Building more for meetings instead of spending money to get new audio and video equipment in the Town Hall meeting room.

Many comments and discussion on the police department budget: the current proposed 2023 budget includes coverage by the La Pointe Police Department 75% of the time and the other 25% of the time being covered by Ashland County sheriffs. This is because Ashland County has decided to stop providing the Town with \$135,000 annually to cover some of the police budget.

III. Adjourn: Motion by Michael Anderson to adjourn, second by John Carlson, All in favor.  
Adjourned at 5:18pm.

Submitted by Micaela Montagne, Town Clerk.

Approved as submitted, December 13, 2022. M. Montagne, Town Clerk.