



Town of Rome
Nekoosa, WI 54457
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AGENDA TOWN OF ROME UTILITY COMMITTEE

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2020

10:00A.M.

**ROME TOWN HALL
1156 Alpine Drive
Nekoosa, WI 54457**

SPECIAL VIDEO CONFERENCING OPTION

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, including Federal and State emergency orders limiting travel and asking for social distancing, any member of the Utilities Committee or public may participate in the meeting by electronic device. Utilities Committee members who attend by audio/visual methods are able to vote on agenda items.

JOIN WEBEX MEETING

<https://townofrome.my.webex.com/townofrome.my/j.php?MTID=mb6ab9696ea454550d5e0fd0e20e13ad3>

Meeting number (access code): 126 776 6062

Password: 29792557 (84722782 from phones and video systems)

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Please note, the public may view the videoconference through use of Webex Video Conferencing or may listen to the meeting by use of the telephone dial in access for those without internet access. This meeting will also be available by replay at 3:00PM on Channel 300. If a member of the public wishes to submit comments to the Utilities Committee, please contact Robbie Schaub-Reumler via email or phone at 715-325-2600 or rschaub@romewi.com.

Efforts will be made, upon reasonable notice, to accommodate the needs of disabled individuals through appropriate aids and services. For additional information to request services, contact Jami Gebert, Administrator, 715-325-8025.

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Certify Posting of Meeting
5. Approve the Agenda

Positively applying the tools of government to serve and protect our people, strengthen our community and promote prosperity.

6. Citizen Comments – During the Citizen Comment period of the agenda the Utilities Committee welcomes comments from any town resident, not a member of the Utilities Committee, on any item not on the agenda. Please know that pursuant to state law the commission cannot engage in conversation with you but may ask questions. The commission may refer the item to staff, a standing committee or a future board agenda for discussion and action. Each person wishing to speak will have up to 3 minutes to speak. Speakers are asked to submit a card to the Rome Water Utility Office Manager providing their name, address and topic for discussion.
 - a. The commission will also take comment from the public on agenda items as called by the Chair, but not during Citizen Comment. Please note that once the commission begins discussion on an agenda item no further comment will be allowed from the public on that issue

NO ACTION CONTEMPLATED EXCEPT POSSIBLE REFERRAL TO FUTURE AGENDA:

7. Information updates, meeting recaps, recent correspondence, and current events

DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

8. Discussion and action – Approve October 20, 2020 meeting minutes
9. Discussion only – 2020 Budget Review
10. Discussion only – Sno-Bandits Request for Easement Access on Water Utility Land
11. Discussion only – Water Utility Update
 - a. Follow up Water Utility Expansion
12. Discussion only – Communications/Broadband/Cellular Services Update
 - a. Update on Fiber Optic – Representative Presentation

DATES AND ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDA/MEETINGS

13. Next agenda items
14. Next meeting date

ADJOURNMENT

“Speak Your Peace” Commitment – A reminder that the Town Board Members have adopted the Nine Tools of Civility which commits the Board Members and Public to be mindful of how we treat each other at meetings. Notification of this meeting has been posted in accordance with the Open Meeting Laws of the State of Wisconsin. The Utilities Committee may take action on any item on the agenda. It is possible that the members of and possibly a quorum of members of other governmental bodies of the municipality may be in attendance at the above-stated meeting to gather information; no action will be taken by any governmental body at the above-stated meeting other than the Utilities Committee. Please note that, upon reasonable notice, efforts will be made to accommodate the needs of disabled individuals through appropriate aids and services. For additional information or to request this service, contact Rome Water Utility at 299 Leisure Ln, Nekoosa, WI 54457, ph. 715-325-2600.