

**TOWN OF RIDGEVILLE**  
**Minutes of the Town Caucus**  
**January 12, 2015**

The Town Caucus meeting was called to order by Chairman, Mike Luethe. Mr. Luethe led the residents with the pledge to the American Flag.

First order of business was to call for nominations for someone to act as clerk of the caucus. There was a nomination to have Rita Williams serve as clerk of the caucus. The nomination was seconded. No objections so nomination carried.

Next order of business was to call for nominations for someone to run the caucus. There was a nomination to have Virgil Sletten run the caucus. The nomination was seconded. No objections so nomination carried.

Virgil Sletten took over the caucus.

**1. Nominations for Town Chairman were opened.**

There was a nomination for James Becher for Chairman. The nomination was made by Ivan McLendon and seconded by Royce Kortbein.

There was a nomination for Mike Luethe for Chairman. The nomination was made by Inese Strazdins Epstein and seconded by Rob Larson.

There were no more nominations. No objections. Nominations were closed.

**2. Nominations for Town 1<sup>st</sup> Supervisor were opened.**

There was a nomination for Ron Luethe for 1<sup>st</sup> Supervisor. The nomination was made by Doug Fries and seconded by Inese Strazdins Epstein.

There was a nomination for Jerry Haney for 1<sup>st</sup> Supervisor. The nomination was made by Ivan McLendon and seconded by James Neumann.

There were no more nominations. No objections. Nominations were closed.

**3. Nominations for 2<sup>nd</sup> Supervisor were opened.**

There was a nomination for Kerry Graewin for 2<sup>nd</sup> Supervisor. The nomination was made by Ron Luethe and seconded by Mike Geier.

There was a nomination for Keith Giraud for 2<sup>nd</sup> Supervisor. The nomination was made by Inese Strazdins Epstein and seconded by Ron Luethe.

There was a nomination for Carrol Wallerman for 2<sup>nd</sup> Supervisor. The nomination was made by Ivan McLendon and seconded by Fernell Becher.

There were no more nominations. No Objections. Nominations were closed.

It was noted that we needed to do a paper vote to get the nominations for 2<sup>nd</sup> Supervisor back down to two candidates.

Two (2) tellers were appointed to hand out paper ballots, collect ballots, and count those ballots. Kaleb Bach and Royce Kortbein were appointed tellers.

The following were the results of the voting:

Kerry Graewin received 7 votes.

Keith Giraud received 12 votes.

Carrol Wallerman received 14 votes.

Keith Giraud and Carrol Wallerman will be the two running for the office of 2<sup>nd</sup> Supervisor.

**4. Nominations for Town Clerk were opened.**

There was a nomination for Rita Williams for Town Clerk. The nomination was made by Mike Luethe and seconded by Lyda Lanier.

There were no more nominations. No objections. Nominations were closed.

**5. Nominations for Treasurer were opened.**

There was a nomination for Laurie Bradley for Treasurer. The nomination was made by Inese Strazdins Epstein and seconded by Ron Luethe.

There were no more nominations. No objections. Nominations were closed.

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**The meeting was turned back over to Town Chairman Luethe.**

**There was a motion by Tom Arendt and seconded by Ron Luethe to adjourn the caucus meeting. Motion Carried.**

**It was noted that those in attendance that were nominated should stay around to fill out nomination papers.**

**Rita M. Williams  
Appointed Clerk of Caucus**