

GOODWILL TOWNSHIP

St. Louis County, Minnesota
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Goodwill Board of Canvass Meeting Minutes March 11, 2026

Board Member's Present: Supervisors: Bill Michaelson, John Jordan, Rock Gillson
Clerk Pam Towle

Other's Present: Deputy Clerk Pam Olson

Call to Order: Chair Michaelson called the Goodwill Board of Canvass Meeting to order at 8:58 a.m. on Wednesday, March 11, 2026 at the Lake Vermilion Fire Brigade conference room located at 8025 Oak Narrows Road, Cook, MN and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

The Board of Canvass Oath of Office was recited by Supervisors Michaelson, Jordan, and Gillson.

The Precinct Summary Statement for the Goodwill Township March 10, 2026, Precinct 0567 was:

Number of election judges who worked in this precinct	6
Number of voting booths in this precinct	8
Registration Statistics:	
Number of persons registered as of 7:00 a.m.	106
Number of new registrations on election day	2
Ballots Delivered to the Precinct:	
Ballots delivered to the precinct as certified by the clerk (includes blank ballots & AB Ballots)	105
Ballot count adjustments from incident log (+ or -)	none
Number of unofficial ballots made, if any	none
Total number of ballots delivered to the precinct	105
Ballots Not in the Ballot Box	
Number of spoiled ballots	none
Number of duplicated ballots	none
Number of unused ballots	68
Total of ballots not in the ballot box	68
Ballots Cast in the Ballot Box	
Number of signatures on the roster (pre-registered + EDR)	22
Number of absentee ballots (reg., nonregistered + UOCAVA)	15
Total number of ballots in the ballot box (=persons voting)	37
Ballots returned to Auditor/Clerk	
Ballots returned from the precinct	105
Difference for Auditor/Clerk notation on delivery record	0

LOCAL OFFICES - GOODWILL TOWNSHIP:

Supervisor Seat A	John Jordan	32
	Write-in-votes	3
	Under Vote	2
	Total for this office	37
Supervisor Seat B	Rodney Gillson (Rock)	36
	Under Vote	1
	Total for this office	37
Supervisor Seat C	William Michaelson	33
	Under Vote	4
	Total for this office	37

Town Clerk	Write-in votes	1
	Under Vote	36
	Total for this office	37
Town Treasurer	Write-in votes	1
	Under Vote	36
	Total for this office	37
Town Question -Option B	YES	32
	NO	5
	Total for this question	37

Motion: Accept the ballot results, made by Supervisor Gilson, seconded by Supervisor Jordan, the vote was unanimous positive.

Chair Michaelson read the results:

Certification of Goodwill Election Board

John Jordan	Town Supervisor Seat A	32
Rodney Gillson (Rock)	Town Supervisor Seat B	36
William Michaelson	Town Supervisor Seat C	33
Pam Olson (Write-in)	Clerk	1
Pam Towle (Write-in)	Treasurer	1
TOTAL VALID VOTES CAST FOR CANDIDATES		103

Question Option B Vote	FOR	32
	AGAINST	5
TOTAL VALID VOTES CAST FOR QUESTION		37

Certified by the Board of Canvass: Supervisor Michaelson, Supervisor Jordan, and Supervisor Gillson

A review of election returns in abstract and results were completed. The Reconciliation of Votes were reviewed and discussed. Previously, the Board decided not to consider write-ins for Supervisors so no when the number of write-in names did not hold a majority so no names were collected.

The Verify to the County of the vote for Option B was certified by Clerk Town and the Administrator of Elections will file with the County.

Motion to adjourn the meeting, made by Supervisor Gillson, seconded by Supervisor Jordan, the vote was unanimous. The meeting was adjourned at 9:16 a.m.

Approved on March 17, 2026

John Jordan, Chairman

Attested: Pamela Towle, Clerk