

VILLAGE OF WOODLAND

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WOODLAND VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETING Monday October 13, 2025

- * Meeting called to order by President Sandbrook at 6:30 p.m.
- * Pledge of Allegiance
- * Roll Call- R. Denker, A. Barry, K. Forman, J. Kennedy, D. Durkee, M. Beach, B. Carpenter, President L. Sandbrook Jr., Treasurer H. Collins, Clerk L. Duits.

1. Motion by B. Carpenter, seconded by A. Barry to approve the minutes of the September 8, 2025 meeting as presented. MCU

2. Motion by A. Barry, seconded by D. Durkee to approve the General Bills as presented. MCU

*** Treasurer's Report: Check numbers 21279-21502 used. Major Streets \$499.89, Local Streets \$1055.70, for a total of \$1555.59.**

Visitors: Jim Kinney and Mickey Carey to observe.

President's Comments, Updates and other Business:

- A. Eagles September 10 Fundraiser was successful. Money raised was donated to the Woodland Fire Department.
- B. Scoreboard Update – another donation presented from Kevin Stowell.
- C. Leaf Pick-up dates, 10/30, 11/6, 11/13 & 11/20/2025
- D. Discussion on possible lawn tractor purchase- decision tabled at this time.
- E. Update on Village resident complaint concerning trailers in yards/ court proceedings and clarifications.
- F. Ely house update- the person who purchased it is in the process of renovating it.
- G. Discussion on Village insurance. Possibility of getting a proposal from Chase Insurance at renewal time next year. We will make contact July 2026.
- H. Discussion on DPW position/ Candidates/ Interview process and hiring process.

Business before the Council:

- A. Motion by D. Durkee, seconded by R. Denker to accept the personnel committee recommendations for the DPW new hire Employee Wage and Compensation Package/Policies. MCU
- B. Motion by J. Kennedy, seconded by B. Carpenter to set Halloween hours for 2025 from 5:00 – 7:00 pm and allow the Lions to use the Village Park for their annual Halloween party from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. MCU

DPW Report:

- A. Trees not planted just yet.
- B. Two new tire swings purchased for the playground.

Trustee Concerns

- 7. Motion by M. Beach, seconded by R. Denker to adjourn the meeting at 8:35 pm. MCU

Respectfully Submitted,

Laurie Duits

Laurie Duits, Village Clerk

NEXT REGULAR MEETING IS MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2025 AT 6:30 PM