

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE VILLAGE OF METAMORA, IL., HELD JULY 21, 2026

The regular meeting of the Board of Trustees for the Village of Metamora was called to order at 7:01 PM

Deputy Village Clerk, Monica Camper, called the roll call.

Present were: President: Deeb

Trustees: Nauman, Weyeneth, Glueck, Alig

Absent: Trustee Bowers and Schierer

Those in attendance recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes of the regular meeting held July 7, 2026, were reviewed. Trustee Alig made a motion for approval with Trustee Weyeneth seconding. With a vote of 4 yeas, 2 absent (Bowers & Schierer) 0 nays, the motion passed.

The Warrant List was reviewed. Trustee Nauman made a motion for approval with Trustee Glueck seconding. With a vote of 4 yeas, 2 absent (Bowers & Schierer) 0 nays, the motion passed.

Recognize Guests/Public Comment

Joe Hitchcock with Schooley Mitchell gave a presentation on areas his company may be able to save the Village money, the areas covered where phone services, electric rates and garbage disposal.

Michael Curry of Metamora addressed the board about sidewalks and brick roads along the square need to be repaired. Mr. Curry also addressed the issue of the Village having Porta Potties in the square and that a Public restrooms should be built on the Old Legion lot considering there is room and water/sewer lines already there.

Thomas Wester of Metamora addressed the Board regarding concerns he had with the Village Contract with Flock camera system. Mr. Wester would like the board to look into the contract further.

Mayor's Report

President Deeb updated the board and public on several items she has been looking into: Public Bathrooms, Village Concerts, Village Sign Repairs, Funds to repair Lincoln

Sign in the Village Square Park, Demolishing the American Legion Brick Sign at the old Legion property.

Treasurer's Report – No Report

Administrative Consultant – Cole McDaniel – No Report

Economic Development – Katie Garber

Katie Garber was absent – President Deeb Discussed the ITEP for Trail Connection

Attorney's Report

Attorney Brunton advised the Village Board that he is working with Rural Fire and Emergency 116 on updating an Agreement for new Public Safety Bldg. This matter will take time and he will keep them advised.

Attorney Brunton Discussed the Ordinance of Prohibiting Sale of Kratom products in the Village and Prohibiting Possession of Kratom by a Minor, Trustee Weyeneth made a motion to approve and Trustee Alig seconded. Motion approved 4 yeas 2 Absent(Bowers & Schierer) 0 nays.

Attorney Brunton discussed an Ordinance changing the Clerks position to an appointed position and not an elected position. Motion was made by Trustee Weyeneth and Seconded by Trustee Glueck. Motion passed with 4 yeas 2 Absent(Bowers & Schierer) 0 nays.

Engineer's Report

Village Engineer Bob Kohlase gave updates on several ongoing projects including Public Safety Building planning, MFT Funds, ITEP Grant Submitted.

Public Works Department

Trustee Nauman made a motion to approve purchase of 3 RPZ's for the water treatment plant not to exceed \$6,500.00, Trustee Alig seconded the motion with 4 yeas, 2 absent(Bowers & Schierer) 0 nays motion passed.

Trustee Nauman made a motion to approve purchase of Auto Flushers from Ferguson not to exceed \$6,300.00. Trustee seconded the motion, Motion passed with 4 yeas, 2 Absent(Bowers and Schierer) 0 nays.

Trustee Nauman made a motion to approve Hostatter quote for ditch work along 1500 N. not to exceed \$9,000.00 Trustee Glueck seconded the motion. Motion passed with a vote of 4 yeas, 2 Absent(Bowers and Schierer) 0 nays.

Police/Fire/ESD

Trustee Glueck made a motion to approve the purchase of a 2021 Silverado from Green Chevrolet in the amount of \$24,450.63. Trustee Alig seconded the motion. Motion passed with 4 yeas, 2 absent (Bowers and Schierer) 0 nays.

Trustee Glueck made a motion to approve a 10 year Contract with Axon in the amount of \$366,870.82. (\$36,687.08 per year). Trustee Weyeneth seconded the motion. Motion passed with 4 yeas, 2 absent (Bowers and Schierer) 0 nays.

Finance, planning and Zoning – No Report

Employee Relations- No Report

Code Enforcement – No Report

Economic Development & Special Projects – No Report

Old Business

President Deeb spoke about the Blue Envelope Project and that she is looking for an Appraiser to do an appraisal for the Village owned property on Wetmore St.

New Business - None

Executive Session – If Requested

There were no requests.

Adjourn

With no more to discuss, Trustee Weyeneth made a motion to adjourn with Trustee Glueck seconding. With a vote of 4 yeas, 2 Absent and 0 nays, the motion passed and the meeting adjourned at 8:04PM.

Monica Camper
Deputy Village Clerk