

SCHEDULED COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF Monday, April 6, 2026

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Pat Cadle, at 7:00pm.

Meeting held at Newcomerstown Municipal Building

COUNCIL

ATTENDANCE:

Jay Lambes: Present
David Shepherd: Present
Allen Collins: Present

Josh Leeser: Absent
Steve Carney: Present
Lonnie Tarrance: Present

DEPARTMENT

ATTENDANCE:

Street/Parks John Resh: Present
Cemetery Scott Powell: Present
Water: Jared McFarland: Present
Fiscal Officer: Lisa Spillman: Present
Police: Chief Kennedy: Present
Solicitor: Mark Perlaky: Present
Fire: Jeff Parks: Absent

Motion to excuse Josh Leeser made by David and seconded by Jay.

ROLL CALL:

Allen Collins: Y
David Shepherd: Y
Jay Lambes: Y

Josh Leeser: Absent
Steve Carney: Y
Lonnie Tarrance: Y

MOTION PASSED

COUNCIL

MINUTES

March 16, 2026:

Lonnie made a motion to approve the minutes March 16, 2026. Steve seconded the motion. David abstained. David mentioned that he didn't vote on anything because he was Mayor Pro-Temp, so that needs fixed.

ROLL CALL:

Allen Collins: Y
David Shepherd: Abstained
Jay Lambes: Y

Josh Leeser: Absent
Steve Carney: Y
Lonnie Tarrance: Y

MOTION PASSED

THE VILLAGE'S FINANCIAL REPORT PY7

General fund:	\$20300.19
Cemetery fund:	\$3013.46
Police fund:	\$26727.10
Street fund:	\$7323.72
Water fund:	\$16199.23

Sewer:	\$16297.76
FIRE	\$20265.00
STR LEVY	\$1895.88
MVL	\$34.95
ST HWY	\$40
Total All Funds:	\$112,097.29

PAY ORDINANCE

#7: Motion by Steve and seconded by Allen to approve Pay Ordinance #7 in the amount of \$112,097.29

ROLL CALL: Allen Collins: Y Josh Leeser: Absent
David Shepherd: Y Steve Carney: Y
Jay Lambes: Y Lonnie Tarrance: Y

MOTION PASSED

COMMITTEE REPORTS

BUILDINGS & GROUNDS- CHAIRPERSON DAVID SHEPHERD: Building & Grounds met prior to discuss the roof of the Fire Department. Quotes are as follows: DCA commercial roofing- \$59,400, HRN Construction- \$69,576 (foam) \$84,131 (PVC), RightMark-\$139,826. Motion to accept DCA’s quote for \$59,400 made by David and seconded by Allen.

ROLL CALL: Allen Collins: Y Josh Leeser: Absent
David Shepherd: Y Steve Carney: Y
Jay Lambes: Y Lonnie Tarrance: Y

MOTION PASSED

COMMITTEE REPORTS

SEWER & PUBLIC WORKS & COMMUNITY EVENTS- CHAIRPERSON Josh:

absent

FINANCE & LONG-TERM PLANNING- CHAIRPERSON Allen Collins:

Nothing to report

STREETS, SIDEWALKS & RECREATION- CHAIRPERSON JAY LAMBES: Nothing to report

PUBLIC SAFETY & PUBLIC RELATIONS CHAIRPERSON Steve: Nothing to report

LEGISLATION & PERSONNEL- CHAIRPERSON Lonnie: Nothing to report

DEPARMENT REPORTS:

STREET/PARK: Repairs at the parks are still ongoing, the dog park will be ready for the fence on the 10th of April. Street department is repairing storm drains. John is working on getting engineering on State Street.

WATER/WASTE-WATER – JARED MCFARLAND: Jared requested to purchase 2026 6500 HD 4 x 4 dump truck Byers chevy in Columbus-cab and chassis for \$73,200, which was budgeted for. Motion to approve the purchase of the vehicle made by Steve and Allen

ROLL CALL: **Allen Collins: Y** **Josh Leeser: Absent**
 David Shepherd: Y **Steve Carney: Y**
 Jay Lambes: Y **Lonnie Tarrance: Y**

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FIRE-CHIEF PARKS: 12 calls were made since the last report-69 total calls for the year
EMERGENCY SERVICES:

TRI COUNTY- next meeting is 4/9

MAYOR- Lamp posts have been ordered. There's a small town nation trip scheduled for 4/8 to go over ideas for Newcomerstown. The employee retreat is 4/29 to go over safety challenges and financial topics.

NEW BUSINESS: 07-2026 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION IN THE ODOT ROAD SALT CONTRACTS AWARDED IN 2026- requesting 200 ton. Motion to approve participation made by Allen and seconded by Steve.

ROLL CALL: **Allen Collins: Y** **Josh Leeser: Absent**
 David Shepherd: Y **Steve Carney: Y**
 Jay Lambes: Y **Lonnie Tarrance: Y**

MOTION PASSED

Motion to approve dog park's address as 753 S River Street made by David and seconded by Jay.

ROLL CALL: **Allen Collins: Y** **Josh Leeser: Absent**
 David Shepherd: Y **Steve Carney: Y**
 Jay Lambes: Y **Lonnie Tarrance: Y**

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COMMITTEE REPORTS

OLD BUSINESS:

SCHEDULE COMMITTEE MEETINGS: Safety meeting is 6/17

OTHER BUSINESS: HV Coil trucks are being rerouted to the wrong side of the facility because the entrance is listed incorrectly on Google maps and have caused damage to resident's houses. The goal is to fix the address issue and mapping to redirect the trucks to the correct areas.

Audience: Resident on S College Street had concerns about Simonds/Heller Park development.

