

Village Hall
221 First Street
Andalusia, Il. 61232

**MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PRESIDENT AND
THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE VILLAGE OF ANDALUSIA
ROCK ISLAND COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

December 15, 2025

CALL TO ORDER

The Board of Trustees met in a public meeting on Monday December 15, 2025 at the Village Hall. The meeting was called to order by President Pittard at 7:00 pm. He led the pledge to the flag.

ROLL CALL

Present: President Pittard, Trustee Finley, Trustee Melody, Trustee Yakovich, Trustee Kensing, Trustee Lueker, Trustee Kelly

Absent: None

**TRUSTEE FINLEY MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES FROM THE
DECEMBER 1, 2025 BOARD MEETING. SECONDED BY TRUSTEE LUEKER. VOICE
VOTE.**

AYE: Trustee Melody, Trustee Yakovich, Trustee Kensing, Trustee Finley, Trustee Lueker, Trustee Kelly

NAY: NONE

MOTION CARRIED: 6 - 0

**TRUSTEE KENSINGER MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE BILLS FOR DECEMBER
15, 2025 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$26,433.91. SECONDED BY TRUSTEE MELODY.
VOICE VOTE.**

AYE: Trustee Melody, Trustee Yakovich, Trustee Kensing, Trustee Finley, Trustee Lueker, Trustee Kelly

NAY: NONE

MOTION CARRIED: 6 - 0

GENERAL FUND	\$	9,766.15
GARBAGE FUND	\$	8,650.20
POLICE DEPT FUND	\$	7,569.32
COMMUNITY CENTER PARK FUND	\$	389.49
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TRUSTEE KENSINGER MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE TREASURER REPORT FOR NOVEMBER 2025. SECONDED BY TRUSTEE MELODY. ROLL CALL VOTE.

AYE: Trustee Melody, Trustee Yakovich, Trustee Kensinger, Trustee Finley, Trustee Lueker, Trustee Kelly

NAY: NONE

MOTION CARRIED: 6 – 0

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Streets & Alleys: Trustee Melody reported that it’s snowy. We have received over 18” of snow so far. Mayor Pittard thanked the snow plow crew.

Finance & Audit: All is quiet.

Buildings & Grounds: Trustee Yakovich reported that the Christmas Party went well. The Lion’s did a good job.

Mayor Pittard thanked Justin and Shelly and the volunteers that helped the Christmas Party a success.

Harbor: Trustee Kelly reported that we may need to purchase boat docks, as customers will be wanting to park their boats in our harbor.

Parks & Recreation: Trustee Lueker reported that we had a great Christmas Party.

Police: Trustee Finley reported that at this time, we will not have a dedicated officer. There are several officers that are rotating the shift in Andalusia.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

Village Clerk: Clerk Hoffman reported that the State passed a new law, eliminating permit fees for veterans’ when they are installing products related to a disability. The Trustees all agree to honor it.

Clerk Hoffman presented the Board Meeting schedule for the calendar year 2026.

TRUSTEE MELODY MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE FOR 2026. SECONDED BY TRUSTEE YAKOVICH. VOICE VOTE.

AYE: Trustee Melody, Trustee Yakovich, Trustee Kensinger, Trustee Finley, Trustee Lueker, Trustee Kelly

NAY: NONE

MOTION CARRIED: 6 - 0

Public Works Director: Justin Parchert reported that he has been working on the snow plows.

He used more salt so far in this year than in the past several years. We are ok with salt, but will need to order more eventually.

Justin thanked everyone that attended or worked the Christmas party. Justin gave a shout out to Ben Keller for the use of the trailer for the stage.

Mayor: Mayor Pittard thanked all the businesses that donated towards our Lighting Contest. He announced the winners as follows:

1st Place: Brandon Rennison

2nd Place: Chris & Steph Gayer

3rd Place: Dewey Flemming

4th Place: Derek Stoneking

Mayor Choice: Lucas Smith

Congratulations to all winners.

Mayor Pittard also reported that the Christmas Bonuses will be cash this year instead of gift cards.

Attorney Halpin was present to discuss our options where the garbage company is concerned. He informed the Trustees that we will have to send LRS a 2-week letter explaining that they are in breach of contract. This gives them 2 weeks to get things straight. If there is no improvement in their service during that time, then the Trustees are free to go out to bid for a new company. Attorney Halpin reminded everyone that we sent a similar letter last November, with no real improvement.

TRUSTEE FINLEY MADE A MOTION, SECONDED BY TRUSTEE YAKOVICH TO ADJOURN THE MEETING AT 7:37 PM.

Minutes written by:

Shelly Hoffman, Village Clerk