

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**

July 6, 2026

CALL TO ORDER

The Board of Trustees met in a public meeting on Monday July 6, 2026 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 Kelly, Trustee Yakovich, Trustee Lueker, Trustee Melody, Trustee Kensinger

Absent: None

TRUSTEE FINLEY MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES FROM THE JUNE 15, 2026 BOARD MEETING. SECONDED BY TRUSTEE LUEKER. VOICE VOTE.

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

NAY: NONE

MOTION CARRIED: 6 - 0

TRUSTEE LUEKER MADE A MOTION TO APPROVE THE BILLS FOR JULY 6, 2026 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$37,344.56. SECONDED BY TRUSTEE FINLEY. VOICE VOTE

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

NAY: NONE

MOTION CARRIED: 6 - 0

GENERAL FUND	\$	29,312.58
POLICE DEPT FUND	\$	7,694.36
COMMUNITY CENTER PARK FUND	\$	337.62

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Streets & Alleys: Trustee Melody reported that the Road Project to be done by Taylor Ridge Paving has been pushed back to the week of the 20th.

Justin reported that the other roadwork will hopefully be done before school starts.

Finance & Audit: Trustee Kensinger presented the Appropriations Ordinance for the 3rd and final reading and approval.

TRUSTEE MELODY MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT THE 3rd AND FINAL READING AND APPROVAL OF ORDINANCE NO. 2026-05-20 AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 2027. SECONDED BY TRUSTEE FINLEY. VOICE VOTE.

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

NAY: NONE

MOTION CARRIED: 6 - 0

Buildings & Grounds: Trustee Yakovich reported that we had 2 episodes of waste water backing up at our Community Center. We called in Service Master to clean up the mess. We have not received the bill yet, but we plan to send the invoice to Illinois American Water with hopes that they will reimburse us for the damages.

Justin cleaned up the building the second time the waste water flooded the building. We will be invoicing Illinois American Water for his time. He has told residents to send their cleaning bills to them as well.

Harbor: Trustee Kelly reported that the Harbor has been getting a lot of use.

Justin reported that there have been at least 2 instances of boats and jet skis flying into the Harbor. One of our dock renters informed the offenders that the Harbor is a "No Wake Zone". Justin told the Board that there were no signs at the Harbor that prohibit wakes. He has since put out signs designating the Harbor as a "No Wake Zone".

Parks & Recreation: Nothing to report.

Police: Trustee Finley reported that we are still getting complaints regarding e-bikes and scooters. Clerk Hoffman put a post on Facebook asking parents to educate their children about the rules of the road.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS:

Village Clerk: Clerk Hoffman reported that the new Village App will go live on July 17th. It will be available through the Apple store and the Playstore.

Public Works Director: Justin reported that he has been spraying the Maple trees around the Harbor, they're dying.

The flagpole at the Harbor Park is still broken.

Good 'Ol Boys Tree Service helped trim the tree at the Lion's Park. The tree was interfering with the flagpole and making flying the flag a problem. They donated their time and service. Thank - you to Good 'Ol Boys Tree Service.

Justin has been working with Chase Schwigen regarding his project to complete Liberty Park Phase 3. Chase has come across some issues regarding the end of the levee. We are trying to figure out where it ends. At this time, we do not have any answers. More information will be forthcoming.

Justin opened up a log jam that was plugging up the creek on the East side of the Village. The logs belonged to a resident, not the Village. He explained that maintain the creeks is not the responsibility of the Village. They are under the jurisdiction of the Army Corps of Engineers.

Mayor: Mayor Pittard asked the trustees if they would be willing to send Justin to the annual IML Conference in Chicago again this year.

TRUSTEE KENSINGER MADE A MOTION TO SEND JUSTIN PARCHERT TO CHICAGO IN SEPTEMBER FOR THE ANNUAL IML CONFERENCE. SECONDED BY TRUSTEE MELODY. VOICE VOTE.

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

NAY: NONE

MOTION CARRIED: 6 - 0

Mayor Pittard also presented a wage schedule for the fiscal year 2027.

TRUSTEE FINLEY MADE A MOTION TO ACCEPT RESOLUTION NO. 2026-06-20 A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE WAGE AND SALARY SCHEDULE FOR THE VILLAGE OF ANDALUSIA FOR FISCAL YEAR 2027. SECONDED BY TRUSTEE MELODY. VOICE VOTE.

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

NAY: NONE

MOTION CARRIED: 6 - 0

Citizen Comments: Nothing to report.

TRUSTEE MELODY MADE A MOTION, SECONDED BY TRUSTEE FINLEY TO ADJOURN THE MEETING AT 7:21 PM.

Minutes written by:

Shelly Hoffman, Village Clerk