

Village of Oakley

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Council meetings are held the second Tuesday of every month

July 14, 2026

Meeting called to order at 7:01PM with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Trustee T. Fish, Trustee Schrems, Trustee Kelly, President Fish and Clerk Hart were present. Trustee Scheuneman was absent.

T. Fish made a motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Schrems. Motion carried.

T. Fish made a motion to approve the June minutes as read, seconded by Schrems. Motion carried.

T. Fish made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report as presented, seconded by Schrems. Motion carried.

T. Fish made a motion to accept the Police report as read, seconded by Kelly. Motion carried.

DPW/Wastewater

President Fish informed the council he has been working on weed control and keeping the lagoons clear.

Guest Speakers

None

Old Business

Scheuneman was absent and President Fish did not have a copy of the proposed ballot for the November election. He said he will still work with the attorney to make sure the wording is legal. Clerk Hart reminded everyone the deadline to the county is August 11th at 4PM.

New Business

President Fish presented 5 bids for a new lawn mower. There was a bid from Flint New Holland that gives a 5-year warranty on a Hustler Super Z HD Commercial Mower with a 60-inch cut for \$15,349.00. Aldermans' gave two Kubota estimates, one for \$12,524.96 and \$14,360.26. The final estimate was from Card Brothers for two Ferris lawn mowers, one at \$10,000 and one for \$10,500. President Fish recommended the bid from Flint New Holland based on the 5-year warranty. President Fish would like to table the lawn mower purchase for the time being.

President Fish presented two bids for the new roof on the hall. One estimate was from Fisher Boys General Home Repair LLC for a steel roof at \$25,000. The second bid was from Brown Home

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Improvement Roofing for a shingled roof at \$22,550. President Fish recommended we get the steel roof.

T. Fish made a motion to accept the bid from Fisher Boys General Home Repair LLC to put a steel roof on the hall for \$25,000, seconded by Schrems. Motion carried.

T. Fish made a motion to pay the bills in the amount of \$42,958.52, seconded by Schrems. Motion carried.

Public Comment

There were a few questions about purchases on last month's check register.

Residents want to know what our village attorney says the liability is for having an officer who is on the Brady List.

A resident presented a copy of an Argus Press News article from July 3, 2026 that discusses why Chief Ferguson was placed on the Brady List and showed it to all council members so they were made aware.

A resident asked if we are going to purchase flag poles that swivel.

A resident asked when Bockee street would be sprayed to cut down on the dust.

A resident asked if the village was off the ICE website and if the agreement had been rescinded.

Another resident provided proof that the Village was no longer listed on the Federal website partnering with ICE.

Kelly made a motion to adjourn, seconded by T. Fish. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:07PM.

Village of Oakley Clerk,

Jennifer M. Hart