



TOWN OF SPRING LAKE
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**Town of Spring
Lake, Inc
Council**

President Elect:

Andy Swain
01/2025 - 01/2029

Council:

William Barber
01/2025-01/2029

Council:

David J. Johnson
01/2025 - 01/2029

Street

Commissioner

Appointed:

Wally Althaus
01/2025 - 01/2029

Clerk /

Treasurer:

Diana Johnson
01/2025 - 01/2029

Hancock

County

Planning

Commission

Representative:

Byron Holden
01/2025 - 01/2029

***Board of Zoning
& Appeal***

Representative:

Sandy Casey
01/2025 - 01/2029

Town of Spring Lake, Inc
2667 West Hillside Drive
Spring Lake, Indiana

Monday, November 3rd, 2025, 7:00 p.m.

OPENING:

**Town Council meeting minutes from – Monday, October 20th,
2025, 7:00 p.m.**

Town Council President, Andy Swain, opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Board Members in attendance: President, Andy Swain, Council Members, Bill Barber, David Johnson. Clerk/Treasurer, Diana Johnson. Street Commissioner, Wally Althaus.

Town Residents in attendance: Darin Johnson

September 2025, minutes read. President, Andy Swain made a motion to approve September minutes, Bill Barber and David Johnson second the motion, motion carried in favor of approving September 2025 minutes.

September 2025 claim vouchers presented for review of payment. Vouchers 59 – 63 (59,60,61,62,63) reviewed. President, Andy Swain made motion accepting vouchers for payment. Bill Barber 2nd the motion, motion carried in favor of payment of September vouchers.

COMMITTEE REPORT:

Street Commissioner – Wally Althaus – Tree removal on Sugar Creek Drive near Hamilton Heights. Josh Holmes complete tree care service to coordinate with utilities. Wally to communicate with adjacent property owners. Tree projected to be removed next week.

Planning Commission – Byron Holden – Not in attendance.

BZA – Sandy Casey – Not in attendance.

Spring Lake Men's Club – Men's Club, not in attendance.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Kitchen remodel: - Diana to email quote again. – Eric Brown & Wadman flooring
2. Basement updates – Diana to email quote again. – Mr. Coatings.
3. Signage entrance to Spring Lake – Signage to incorporate “no soliciting”. David suggested the entrance signs to lake to have matching posts to match the new street signposts.
4. New benches and playground equipment. Tabled.
5. Dam updates - Andy Swain – no new updates.
6. Budget meetings are to be held on October 20th and November 3rd. due to error with dates by DLGF representative. Review of Budget will take place 10/20/2025.
7. Clear Creek Fisheries – two years since last stocking of fish. - Good fishing this year – board elected to wait another year.
8. Lake appearance – noted Aquatic Control has done a good job this year, look to continue in 2026.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. David inquired about lowering the lake for the winter months.
2. V.Feeney available for any additional maintenance of lake before end of year. – Andy mentioned the silt trap – dredge / dig out – is this something Feeney could do? Wally to inquire with Feeney. Town would potentially look at for next year.
3. Entrance exam findings:
 - a) Internal control standard – all board members to do annual training.
 - b) Annual financial report – beginning and ending balances: Modifications to spread sheet (Treasurers Report) to include a more detailed reporting.
 - c) Appropriation by Fund over spending: Budget tracking added to Treasurer Report.
4. Submit corrective action plans.
5. Budget adoption meeting Monday, November 3rd, 2025.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

No Public comments.

STATEMENT:

No other business presented to the Town Council. Next Town Council meeting scheduled for **Monday, November 3rd, 2025, 7:00 p.m.** With no more new business, President, Andy Swain motioned to adjourn the meeting, David Johnson, second the motion to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried, meeting adjourned.

ATTEST:




