

Village of Wayne
Regular Council Meeting
JULY 1ST, 2026

The meeting was brought to order by Mayor Craig Everett and the pledge of allegiance was said. Roll call was read: Gross present, Vandersall present, Wildman present, Boyer present, Lee present, and Young absent. Lee moved and Boyer second to approve the minutes as read. All yeah, M/C. Vandersall moved and Lee second to turn all bills over to finance and to pay all those found favorable. All yeah, M/C.

Mayor reported has been speaking with Jacob Smith, out of Florida, and has relation in Wayne and would like to turn a store downtown into a micro-brewery. Mr. Smith has reached out to some of the council members as well. Wildman mentioned all the flag poles and flags are in for Memorial Park. Wildman asked about when the benches will be delivered from the grant? Fiscal Officer will double check but has not heard back on when will be shipping yet.

Gross reported that Larry from Gradel was on vacation the past two weeks but Sparling has not shipped the flowmeter yet. Gross asked about double checking with solicitor. Had 2nd reading Resolution 7-26+764: Amend Appropriations for Fire Dept. roof, repairs for office, paving, etc. Fiscal Officer reported the auditor was in today and last week for audit period 2024-2025.

Fiscal Officer mentioned that there was a Sunshine Law Training on July 9, 2026. Briant Lee would like to take to training and Fiscal officer will be taking the training. Council approved for Briant Lee to represent the mayor and the rest of council for the training. Fiscal Officer asked council if would like to put out a notice about adding a representative to Park Board. Council decided to hold off and speak with the solicitor since the park trust account has been brought to zero. Council thought to look into dissolve Park Board and turn into a committee.

Mayor asked council opinion about adding another handicap parking spot in front of the Country Farmhouse. Council agreed and Fiscal Officer will let Village Admin. know. Wildman asked the Mayor if would be possible to plant a couple of trees in Memorial Park.

No further business, Gross moved and Vandersall second to adjourn. All yeah, M/C.

Respectfully submitted,

Melissa Repasz
Fiscal Officer

Council President