

Village of Friesland

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04/07/2025 Minutes-Village of Friesland

A. Call the Public Hearing to order. The monthly board meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Village president Steven Williams. In attendance was Village President Steven Williams. Village trustees Gary Steinich, Ron Alsum and Craig Tillema. Village clerk Jill Jahnke, and Water operator Dan Katsma. Also attending was Lt. Haueter from the Columbia County Sheriff dept. Residents in attendance were Bobby Jo Ramsey and Robert Nelson.

B. Agenda Confirmation. The agenda was confirmed with no changes. Motion by Tillema seconded by Alsum. Motion carries.

C. Monthly Business

1. The Sheriff's report was given by Lt. Haueter.
2. Public Speak Out - Bobby Jo Ramsey talked about covenants and purchasing a lot.
3. Water Sewer Operator reports were given by Daniel Katsma
4. MSA 1st Street project- a motion to approve all resolutions needed for 1st St project was made by Steinich and was seconded Tillema. Motion carried.
 - a. Resolution 2025-2 Policy to prohibit the use of excessive force and to enforce applicable state and local laws prohibiting physically barring entrance/exits for non-violent civil rights demonstrations.
 - b. Resolution 2025-3 Authorize Resolution to submit a Community Development Block Grant Application.
 - c. Resolution 2025-4 Resolution to Adopt a Citizens Participation Plan.
 - d. Wisconsin Residential Anti-Displacement and Relocation Assistance Plan
5. A motion to approve the variance request made by Kendra and Justin Maas based on the recommendation from the Plan commission was made by Alsum, seconded by Steinich. Motion carried.
6. A motion to approve 2 separate driveway permits for Diana Krinke regarding 308 E Winnebago and parcel 31.03 was made by Steinich, seconded by Tillema. Motion carried.
7. Updating of the West 2nd St covenants was tabled until the next meeting as corrections/clarifications are needed.
8. The clerk's treasurer reports were given.
Marcia's retirement dinner will be held 5/3/25.
9. Items for Future agenda
Open Book April 23rd 3-5
Meeting with village attorney will be held 04/25 @ 4:00
Board Meeting May 5th 7:00 p.m.
Board of Review May 12th 6:30 to 8:30
10. Monthly bills to be paid. Motion by Steinich, seconded by Alsum to approve the bills being paid. Motion passed.
11. Minutes from tonight's hearing were read. A motion by Steinich to approve the minutes as read was seconded by Tillema. Motion carried.
12. Adjourn. Motion by Tillema, seconded by Alsum to adjourn. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Jill M. Jahnke Clerk-Treasurer