

WALNUT VILLAGE BOARD MINUTES
Tuesday, August 19, 2025

The meeting with the President and Board of Trustees held on the 19th day of August 2025 started at 7:00 p.m. in the Village Hall in the Village of Walnut, IL.

President Rosenthal directed the Clerk to call roll, and the following Trustees answered present: Brian Stull, John Middleton, Brian Smith, Melissa Dye and David Miller.

President Rosenthal asked if there were any additions or corrections to make to the regular meeting minutes from August 12, 2025. With no corrections being made, a motion made by Smith and second by Stull to approve the minutes. On roll call vote, all present voted in favor and the motion carried.

Treasurer Wolf presented the bills for \$23,985.86. A motion was made by Stull and second by Dye to approve the bills as presented. On roll call vote, all present voted in favor and the motion carried.

President Rosenthal stated that he had a few updates. He stated that Helm is still waiting for the electric boxes to be delivered. An email was sent out establishing a deadline that the poles need to be installed by.

President Rosenthal stated that he received an email from the attorney, Rob LeSage, regarding a grocery tax. This is state issued. We will be discussing and passing an ordinance regarding the grocery tax during our next meeting. It is a 1% tax.

Finance Committee – Nothing at this time.

Streets & Alleys – Middleton wants to set a Committee meeting at 5:30pm on Sept. 2nd to meet with Matt Hansen to discuss the plans with all the grants and the Safe Routes to School grant. He also wants to discuss the timing of all the construction.

Middleton would also like to have a section of E. Walnut St. to Main St. engineered. He would like to see the retaining wall moved back and the hill to be shaved down at the corner of Main St. and E. Walnut St. so it's easier to see people crossing the road.

Water & Sewer – Nothing at this time.

Garbage – Nothing at this time.

Law & Order – Nothing at this time.

Cemetery – Nothing at this time.

Local Improvements – Middleton stated that the Liberty Square grass is getting sprayed and removed.

There will be new sod put in on September 6th.

Old Business – Nothing at this time.

With no other business to come before the board, Stull made a motion to adjourn, Dye second the motion and on roll call vote, all present voted in favor and the meeting adjourned at 7:32 p.m.

Tiffany Miller,
Village Clerk