

Minutes of Regular Session
Proceedings of the Village of Spring Green Board of Trustees
August 26, 2026 – 7:00 pm
Meeting held in-person or via Zoom & Teleconference

1. **Call to order:** Robin Reid Village President called the board meeting to order at 7:00 pm.
2. **Roll call of Village Board members:** Robin Reid, Deb Miller, Jean-Claude Bédard, Jeannie McCarville, David Saperstein, Hope Winship, and Damian Barta. Also, present: Wendy Crary, Frank Glynn, Chief Kurek, Ray Johnson, Fred Iausly, Loren Glasbrenner, Joy Kirkpatrick, Vikki Stingley, Emily Whitmore 7:04 pm and Erin Bakkum 7:15 pm. Via Zoom & Teleconference: Joe Block-Independent Star News, Adam Reno, Valley Sentinel, and Scott Whitsett - Jewell Associates Engineers Inc 7:03 pm.
3. **Approve Minutes:** Motion by Bédard to approve the minutes of the August 12, 2026 Regular Board Meeting as presented. Seconded by Miller. Voice vote. Motion carried.
4. **Review and approve agenda:** Motion by Miller to approve the agenda as presented. Seconded by Winship. Voice vote. Motion carried.
5. **Consent agenda:** Reid requested to have consent agenda 5.e. removed. Motion by Miller to approve the consent agenda consisting of the following:
 - a. Approval of Financial Report.
 - b. Approval of Disbursements.
 - c. Approval of a request submitted by Diane Baryenbruch to hold the Annual Spring Green Arts & Crafts Fair on June 26 & 27, 2027 and to close Jefferson Street from Winsted Street to Wood Street at 7:00 pm on Friday, June 25, 2027 and remain closed for the duration of the Art Fair.
 - d. Approval of a street closure request submitted by The Shed for gathering at the Post House Garden Friday, September 25th after the Homecoming Parade.Seconded by Winship. Voice vote. Motion carried.

Reid shared that she had received several complaints regarding the trash left behind, and the noise. Winship added that her concerns were around the type and lack of barricades used for the road closure on Daley Street. Miller asked if it could be moved back to the St. John's parking lot versus closing Daley Street. Motion by Winship to deny consent agenda 5.e. "Approval of a request submitted by St. John's Funfest Committee to close Daley Street between Albany and Lexington from 12:00 pm Thursday, August 13, 2027, through Sunday, August 16, 2027, and to erect a personal parking sign in front of the residence at 254 N. Worcester Street." sending it back to the Funfest Committee to coordinate with the Public Works and Police Department; and move the tent into the St John's Parking Lot. Seconded by Miller. Voice vote. Motion carried.
6. **Old Business:**
 - a. Discussion and possible action regarding update on abatement of property located at 433 W. Madison Street. Motion by Saperstein to extend all actionable deadlines on the abatement of property located at 433 W. Madison Street to the September 9 Village Board Meeting. Seconded by McCarville. Voice vote. Motion carried.
 - b. Discussion and possible action regarding proposed amendments for Ordinance 180 Bicycle and Play Vehicles. The Village Board reviewed the proposed amendments for Ordinance 180 Bicycle and Play Vehicles and discussed updating the definition of "Downtown" to be a block each way from the Jefferson Street/Lexington Street intersection. No action taken.
7. **New Business:**

- a. Discussion and possible action regarding the Police School Liaison Officer (PSLO) Agreement between the Village of Spring Green and River Valley School District. Chief Kurek stated that the increase to the new agreement was a direct effect of the increase in wages for part-time officers. Motion by Winship to approve the Police School Liaison Officer (PSLO) Agreement between the Village of Spring Green and River Valley School District. Seconded by Miller. Voice vote. Motion carried.
 - b. Discussion and possible action regarding Professional Services Agreement with Jewell Associates Engineers for proposed South Peterson Street Reconstruction. Motion by Bédard to approve the Professional Services Agreement with Jewell Associates Engineers for proposed South Peterson Street Reconstruction. Seconded by Barta. Voice vote. Motion carried.
 - c. Discussion and possible action regarding replacement of the Pool Filter at the Municipal Pool. Reno presented two bids for the replacement of the Pool Filter at the Municipal Pool and recommended Neuman Pools INC for \$72,760.00. Reno requested that the payment be split between this year and next. Work will be completed before the opening of the pool next year. Motion by Barta to approve the bid from Neuman Pools INC not to exceed \$72,760.00 for the replacement of the Pool Filter at the Municipal Pool. Seconded by Saperstein. Voice vote. Motion carried.
 - d. Discussion and possible action regarding presentation from Emily Whitmore “Library Data Update - The 2026 Version”. Whitmore gave a presentation: “Library Data Update – The 2026 Version”. No action taken.
8. **General Public Comment:** Fred lausly suggested that per “Robert’s Rules of Order” motions should be made in the affirmative form.
9. **Adjourn:** Motion by Saperstein to adjourn at 8:15 pm. Seconded by Miller. Voice vote. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by Vikki Stingley