



Village Of Dakota Board Meeting – Dakota Village Hall 112 Main St Dakota, IL

Monday, February 2nd, 2026

Called To Order 6:30 P.M.

Board Members Attending- Andrew Workinger, Ken Vrazsity, Jeremy Knox, Tom Long

President- Jon Riley

Clerk- Kenzie Holste

Treasurer – Melody Sweet

Public Works – Jeff Kluck

Public Attendees- None

Approve Agenda –

Add old business: 5. Approve zoning action.

A motion was made by Tom to approve the updated agenda, seconded by Andrew, all in favor, motion carried.

Approve Minutes

1. Approve Minutes for 01.5.2025 Meeting

A motion was made by Andrew to approve the 01.05.2025 meeting minutes, seconded by Ken, all in favor, motion carried.

Finances

1. Approve Bills- **A motion was made by Jeremy to approve the bills as of 02.02.26, seconded by Ken, all in favor, motion carried.**

Addition of Washington Implement for Skidloader Parts
Test Inc. also had extra testing for EPA

2. Review Account Balances
3. Review Time Sheets
 - a. Discussion on low police patrol hours and enforcements.

Resident Permits and Requests

1. 201 main street sidewalk repair reimbursement- A motion was made by Jeremy to reimbursement Jim Clay \$499.22 one a permit has been submitted and approved for concrete sidewalk work, seconded by Ken, all in favor, motion carried.
2. Approved Permits Prior to Meeting- None
3. Additional Permits or Resident Requests- None

New Business – Village President Jon Riley

1. Silo Fiber Internet Request- Silo would like the permit approved to give the residents an option even though they were not selected. Jon will meet with Silo this month to arrange more details.
2. Easter Concession Stand Website Submission- There is a group of high schoolers who have requested to set up a concession stand fundraiser at the Easter Egg hunt. The board has no issues with this and the clerk will get back to this request with approval.
3. WSG Online Payments Program – The board was shown the example screen of the options available. Melody has been working with the bank to continue moving this process forward.
4. Pump House Warning System- The board will continue to get quotes after reviewing the updated quote from Ceroni.
5. Approve Zoning Action- The zoning committee met prior to the meeting tonight approving the allowance of residential living in a commercial space at 138 W Main St. **A motion was made by Jeremy to accept the 2026-0202 Zoning Action, seconded by Andrew, all in favor, motion carried.**
6. Easter Egg Hunt- March 28th at 3 pm – The clerk will pick up candy and get a graphic posted around the village. **A motion was made by Jeremy to spend \$300 for Easter candy, seconded by Andrew, all in favor, motion carried.**
The Easter bunny will be contacted, and we will double check that the softball girls will stuff eggs.
7. Any Additional New Items- None

Old Business - Village President Jon Riley

1. Wastewater Treatment Facility Project Updates
 - The punch list is still being worked on. VFPs were replaced. February 21st there is to be a Sewer EPA Audit. There are no other details on this audit at this time.
2. Update on Unregistered Vehicles Ordinance
 - Jon will move forward with the village cop on next steps to get the remainder of the vehicles cleaned up.
3. Discuss Solar Ordinance
 - No update at this time. Waiting for the Attorney.
4. Remote Attendance Option for Trustees
 - No Update at this time. Waiting for the Attorney.

5. Any Additional Old Business
 - None

Committee and Trustee Reports

1. **Sewer and Sewer Pond – Tom Long**
 - a. Once training dates are set, Tom and Jeff will attend.

2. **Water – Andrew Workinger**
 - a. There is water leaking at the pump houses that Andrew and Jon will work to get quotes for after receiving one quote already. The board would like to explore all options before moving forward.
 - b. The electrical at the pump houses needs worked on as well. **A motion was made by Jeremy to have Bordner Electric to get the electrical fixed and updated to allow for generators at both pumphouses in the amount of up to \$2000, seconded by Andrew, all in favor, motion carried.**

3. **Park and Community Center – Ken Vrazsity**
 - a. Easter Egg Hunt
 - b. The train is finished and looks really good. Matt Clay potentially creating and placing a fire truck at the park.
 - c. Exploring options for updating park equipment and getting the communities help in maintaining property.
 - d. Ken will get with Dave to work on a quote for updated and correct wiring on town poles for future holiday displays.

4. **Permits and Village Property Repair and Maintenance – Vacant**
 - a. None

5. **Streets and Sidewalks – Jeremy Knox**
 - a. Waiting to hear back on Sidewalk funding and beginning to plan for the spring.

6. **Trees, Signs and Lighting – Otis Holley**
 - a. Absent
 - b. Not all stumps ground yet.

Dakota Public Works- Jeff Kluck

1. Any Items of Discussion for Mr. Kluck – Jeff and Jon will work on the leak that is evident near Jon’s house. Kelsey’s could not locate the leak when attempted.

Public Comments –

None

Adjourn – Jeremy made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:05 p.m., seconded by Ken, all in favor, motion carried.