

VILLAGE OF BRIMFIELD

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MINUTES

April 6, 2026

The regular meeting of the Village Board of Trustees was called to order by President Fishel at 7:00 pm. Roll call attendance: Arbogast-present, Christy-present, B. Porter-present, Gilles-present, Meinders-present, A. Porter-present. Attorney Johnson and Clerk Johnson was also present.

The minutes for the March 9, 2026 board meeting were mailed prior to the meeting to the board members and attorney. The minutes were approved for filing with a motion by Meinders and a second by Gilles.

The March 2026 treasurer's report was presented for filing, Meinders made the motion seconded by Christy to approve the treasurer's report, motion carried unanimously.

The March 2026 bills were presented for payment. B. Porter made a motion seconded by Christy to pay the March 2026 bills. Roll call vote: A. Porter-yes, Meinders-yes, Gilles-yes, Arbogast-yes, Christy-yes, B. Porter-yes. Motion approved 6 to 0.

Old Business- nothing to report

New Business-

Friday April 17, 2026 at 10:30 am was the time and date proposed for the annual budget meeting. B. Porter made the motion seconded by A. Porter to approve this date. Motion approved 6 to 0.

To accommodate the timeline needed to have a draft of the annual budget available for viewing before passing, the June meeting needs to be rescheduled from June 1st to June 8th. Gilles made the motion seconded by Meinders to approve the rescheduled meeting date. Motion approved 6 to 0.

Resolution 2026-B Approving the closure of US Route 150 for the annual Old Settler's Days was presented. Meinders made the motion to approve seconded by Arbogast. Roll call vote: Arbogast-yes, Christy-yes, B. Porter-yes, Gilles-yes, Meinders-yes and A. Porter-yes. Motion carries 6 to 0.

Resolution 2026-C Approving the closure of US Route 150 for the Annual Brimfield Area Christmas Walk was presented. B. Porter made the motion seconded by Meinders. Roll call vote: Arbogast-yes, Christy-yes, B. Porter-yes, Gilles-yes, Meinders-yes and A. Porter-yes. Motion carries 6 to 0.

Resolution 2026-D Approving the closure of US Route 150 for the Annual Super Cruise-In for Diabetes. Meinders made the motion seconded by A. Porter. Roll call vote: A. Porter-yes, Meinders-yes, Gilles-yes, B. Porter-yes, Christy-yes and Arbogast-yes. Motion carries 6 to 0.

Brimfield American Legion Accessory Structure-no one was present to discuss.

CD Renewals for #4652 and #1718. Current rate offered is 3.65%. B. Porter made the motion seconded by Arbogast to renew the two CDs for a term on 12 months at the rate of 3.65%. Roll call vote: A. Porter-yes, Meinders-yes, Gilles-yes, B. Porter-yes, Christy-yes and Arbogast-yes. Motion approved 6 to 0.

The 2026 Comprehensive Plan was presented with the approved revisions. Gilles made the motion seconded by Meinders to approve the Plan. Roll call vote: Arbogast-yes, Christy-yes, B. Porter-yes, A. Porter-yes, Gilles-yes and Meinders-yes. Motion approved 6 to 0.

The replacement of the Village pickup truck was discussed. Trustee B. Porter will investigate buying options for a truck that would be large enough to have a snowplow.

President Fishel asked the Board to approve his appointment of Mike Cinnamon to the Brimfield Area Planning Commission. Gilles made the motion seconded by B. Porter motion approved.

Property Issues- B. Porter, Christy and A. Porter will make a sweep of the Village and make a list of suspected violations. Once they are reviewed the property letters and actions will be sent/taken.

The clerk presented a list of needed compliance hearings. Arbogast made the motion A. Porter seconded to approve the compliance hearings and shut offs as needed. Motion carried unanimously.

Seeing no further business President Fishel asked for a motion to adjourn. B. Porter made the motion Arbogast seconded. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:28 pm.

Next meeting will be held Monday May 4, 2026 at 7:00 pm.