

VILLAGE OF BRIMFIELD

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MINUTES

May 4, 2026

The regular meeting of the Village Board of Trustees was called to order by President Fishel at 7:01 pm. Roll call attendance: A Porter-present, Meinders-absent, Gilles-present, B Porter-present, Christy-present, Arbogast-present. Attorney Johnson and Clerk Johnson were also present.

The minutes for the April 6, 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 B. Porter and a second by Arbogast.

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

The April 2026 bills were presented for payment. A. Porter made a motion seconded by Gilles to pay the April 2026 bills. Roll call vote: Arbogast-yes, Christy-yes, B. Porter-yes, Gilles-yes and A. Porter-yes. Motion approved 5 to 0.

Old Business- nothing to report

New Business-

The 2026-2027 Fiscal Meeting Schedule was presented for approval. Gilles made the motion seconded by Arbogast to approve. Motion approved 5 to 0.

The 2026-2027 yearly appointments were approved unanimously as submitted with a motion by Arbogast and a second by Gilles.

The 2026-2027 Standing Committees were presented; all members of the Board serve on all committees. A. Porter made the motion seconded by Christy to approve the committees. Motion carried 5 to 0.

A quote was received from No Limb It Landscaping to remove four trees and brush in the amount of \$5500.00. Gilles made the motion seconded by B. Porter to approve the removal of the four trees no to exceed the bid of \$5500. Roll call vote: A. Porter-yes, Gilles-yes, Arbogast-yes, Christy-yes, B. Porter-yes. Motion approved 5 to 0.

The Village has received a quote to purchase a 2026 F3500 pickup truck from Uftring Ford for the cost of \$55704.32. Gilles made the motion seconded by Arbogast to approve the purchase of the new truck in the amount of \$55704.32. Roll call vote: Arbogast-yes, Christy-yes, B. Porter-yes, Gilles-yes and A. Porter-yes. Motion carried unanimously.

Legion Accessory Structure-no action.

Annual Dumpster clean up- the board discussed the best day and time for the clean up to be sure residents are able to make use of it without prohibited items being deposited. It was decided that a Friday afternoon would work best with Board members being present to monitor. June 12th was suggested. President Fishel stated he would contact GFL to see if that date and time would work. Gilles made the motion seconded by Arbogast to proceed with the date and time if available. Motion carried.

A spring/summer letter will be drafted by President Fishel regarding: upcoming events, property violations and the need for a license for golf carts and atvs.

Attorney Johnson updated the Board on the annual tax levy; it will be prepared to stay under the 5% limit to avoid a truth in taxation hearing unless the Board wants to advise him otherwise. The Board did not feel that they wanted to do that. The Levy will be voted on at the August 2026 meeting.

The proposed budget was presented to the Board. It will be available for viewing for thirty days prior to the June 8th meeting at which time a budget hearing will be held and the Board will vote to adopt the annual ordinance.

The clerk presented a list of needed compliance hearings. A. Porter made the motion Gilles 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 7:44 pm.

Next meeting will be held Monday June 8, 2026 at 7:00 pm.