

HERRIN CITY COUNCIL MEETING

MINUTES

**LOCATION: HERRIN CITY
HALL**

DATE: JUNE 22, 2026

TIME: 6:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER - *Steve Frattini, Mayor*

Called meeting to order at 6:00pm.

PRAYER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL - *Shelly Huggins, City Clerk*

Shelly Huggins, City Clerk called the roll and the following were present:

Alderman Sheila Ahlgren
Alderman Randy Crompton
Alderman Scott Kinley
Alderman Steve Miller
Alderman David Shoemake
Alderman Bill Sizemore
Alderman Paul York
Alderman Brett Crouse

The following were absent:

PUBLIC COMMENT: *Anyone who wishes to address the Council may request to be recognized at this time. When recognized, please state your name. Statements are to be limited to three (3) minutes in duration.*

Gordon Pruitt stated he has been trying to get the curb fixed in front of his house for some time. Paid in 2011 or 2012 to have it repaired. The curb was damaged again later when there was a water leak. In 2024, he had a conversation with Alderman Ahlgren, and she had spoken with Tom, and it was to be taken care of. Also, there have been several break-ins. He has had one at least once a year for the last 3 years. Would like to speak with the police on how to make his house more secure.

MEETING MINUTES - Motion to approve meeting minutes

Motion made by David Shoemake, seconded by Paul York to Approve. Alderman Sizemore, Alderman Miller, Alderman Ahlgren, Alderman Crompton, Alderman Crouse, Alderman Shoemake, Alderman York, Alderman Kinley voted "Yea". None voted "Nay". None abstained.

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TREASURER'S REPORT - *Carl Goodwin, Treasurer*

Stated we have made \$193,000 on our CDs.

BUDGET OFFICE REPORT - *Carrie Cravens, Budget Dir.*

Was absent from the meeting.

Budget Office Report

Account Balances

CODES - *Bret Childers, Administrator*

Was absent from the meeting.

Codes Report

PUBLIC WORKS -

Steve Miller, *Chairman*,

Tom Somers, *Public Works Director*

Alderman Miller stated Public Works is to meet later this week to review last offer.

Tom-had nothing to report.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT - *Randy Crompton, Chairman*

stated he would like to schedule public improvement before next council meeting.

PUBLIC SAFETY —

David Shoemake, *Chairman*

David Dorris *Police Chief*

Shawn Priddy *Fire Chief*

AC Warden 1, *Vacant Position*

Chief Dave Dorris stated we have a lot of juveniles breaking into vehicles. We are able to catch the majority but are unable to do much.

Chief Shawn Priddy stated they were contacted a couple of weeks ago, working with Herrin Library and the Fire Department now has a library book box.

Animal Control - vacant position

Police Report

Fire Report 06/22/20226

FINANCE - *Paul York, Chairman* - Motion to approve accounts payable.

Motion made by Paul York, seconded by David Shoemake to Approve. Alderman Crompton, Alderman Sizemore, Alderman Kinley, Alderman Shoemake, Alderman Crouse, Alderman York, Alderman Miller, Alderman Ahlgren voted "Yea". None voted "Nay". None abstained.

Payroll Report

Accounts Payable Report

INSURANCE - Scott Kinley, *Chairman*

Had nothing to report.

LIAISON - HERRIN LIBRARY - *Brett Crouse*

Congratulated new library box at the fire department. He gave an overview of what is happening the next couple weeks at the library. Information may be found on the library website and Facebook. Congratulated the young men setting a new record in the track relay.

LIAISON - HERRIN CIVIC CENTER - *Scott Kinley, Chairman*

Stated Queen of Hearts is \$3,448. The Herrin Women's Club recently donated \$1000 to the Civic Center. July 17 at 7:00 p.m. the Perry's will be singing. Information on the Civic Center Facebook Page.

GRANT UPDATES- *Valerie Clodi*

Stated working on CEJA grants. Fire Department grant has been submitted. Two more grant we are looking at submitting. There will be more library book boxes being installed around town.

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Resolution 9-2026 Resolution of Support and Commitment of Local Funds

Motion made by David Shoemake, seconded by Scott Kinley to Approve. Alderman Miller, Alderman Shoemake, Alderman York, Alderman Crouse, Alderman Sizemore, Alderman Ahlgren, Alderman Kinley, Alderman Crompton voted "Yea". None voted "Nay". None abstained.

MAYOR:

Stated we have a lot going on. Hopefully, more grant funding opportunities. We are looking to get our old fire station on the market.

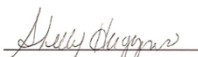
COUNCIL:

Alderman Ahlgren stated that we forget to thank some people sometimes. We are fortunate to have Valerie as our grant administrator and thanked her.

Alderman Crompton stated the Public Improvement meeting will be at 5:30 on Monday, July 13 to discuss library book boxes.

ADJOURN:

Motion made by Steve Miller, seconded by Scott Kinley to Adjourn. Alderman Ahlgren, Alderman York, Alderman Crompton, Alderman Crouse, Alderman Miller, Alderman Shoemake, Alderman Kinley, Alderman Sizemore voted "Yea". None voted "Nay". None abstained.


ATTEST: SHELLEY HUGGINS, CITY CLERK


STEVE FRATTINI, MAYOR