

THE VILLAGE OF BRADNER COUNCIL

Record of Proceedings

June 19, 2025

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Council President, Linda Wildman
Council Member, Shawn Hall
Council Member, Mike Gudakunst
Council Member, Ray Zaker
Council Member,
Council Member, Cody Roth

The Village Council of Bradner, Wood County, Ohio met in regular session on the 19th of June, 2025 at 7:00 pm in the meeting room of the Village Hall. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Terry James and all in attendance were asked to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call was taken present were Mike Gudakunst, Ray Zaker, Shawn Hall, Linda Wildman, and Cody Roth. Motion to excuse Christina Adams absence due to work made by Linda, 2nd by Shawn. Roll Call: Yes: Mike, Ray, Shawn, Linda, and Cody. Motion carried. Motion to approve the minutes from the June 2, 2025 special council meeting was made by Mike, 2nd by Cody. Roll Call: Yes: Mike, Ray, Shawn, Linda, and Cody. Motion carried. Motion to approve the minutes from the June 5, 2025 council meeting was made by Mike, 2nd by Cody. Roll Call: Yes: Mike, Shawn, Linda, and Cody. Abstain: Ray. Motion carried.

RECOGNITION OF GUESTS: none to report

RECOGNITION OF GUESTS NOT ON THE AGENDA 5 MINUTE LIMIT: none to report.

POLICE CHIEF'S REPORT- Chief Fairbanks-Officer Senyo was in attendance as Cory was out this week. The new officer Alisha is through her state refresher and is ready to take her state test. She has logged in quite a few hours for her rides with our dept. and should be ready to go here soon. Linda asked about drinking while on a golf cart, as she has received several calls on this. There is to be no drinking while driving the cart. The officers do make sure golf cart drivers are obeying the laws and will stop them if necessary.

FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT-Tom Wildman- Chief Wildman is working on a grant through Hancock/Wood Roundup for \$3,000 which would be used to replace some of the helmets. The fire dept. is donating 120 hot dogs and buns for the splash pad day at the park. July 19th would like the streets closed downtown for the car show. On July 22nd Tom and Linda will be hosting the Water Rescue Training at their house.

ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS – none to report

BUSINESS OF THE MAYOR – Mayor James reported Hope got her fingerprints and her physical completed. She is going to start on Monday the 26th to shadow Jeannie. Terry reported that he and John have received several applications on the lineman's job. Looking to reach out and set up interviews soon. Terry asked council to come up with some ideas to fence in or box in the equipment and plumbing for the splash pad, as well as suggestions for the surrounding area of the splash pad to keep mud from

getting on the surface. Ryan would like to donate his design of a new seal for the village. The current one was done at the 100th anniversary. All of council agreed with the new design. May look to see if it would be possible to incorporate 1876 to 2026 years on it.

BUSINESS OF THE VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR-John Linkey-The OPWC assistance that we applied last Sept. for the portion of Timmons Rd. Waterline Replacement awarded \$249,999 of which \$124,999 is grant, \$125,000 is a zero percent loan for 30 years. The total cost of the project is \$508,464 leaving \$258,465 out of pocket expense yet needed for the completion of the project. We do have this in Water Capital Fund. The fund pays existing debt of approximately \$60,000 each year and brings in approximately \$120,000/yr. Motion made for John to proceed with the OPWC funding procedure of grant, zero percentage loan, and the remainder coming from the Water Capital Fund for the Timmons Rd. Waterline Replacement project made by Linda, 2nd by Mike. Roll Call: Yes: Mike, Ray, Shawn, Linda, and Cody. Motion carried. John is still on the lookout for a possible dump truck for the village. Cameron came back to work on Monday and will continue to work on the curbs. Circuit Rider is scheduled for July and John is going to see if they could come in first week of July for a broken pole, that was a result of the storm the night before. Two other issues occurred as well from the storm. Mike inquired about the mosquito spraying for this year. John plans to do this on Wednesday evenings but it can't be raining or high winds.

SOLICITOR'S REPORT-Reid Rothenbueller-not in attendance.

BUSINESS OF THE FISCAL OFFICER- Angie reported that with the correspondences that will be completed Friday, should hopefully conclude the analysis part by the state auditors.

APPROVAL OF CLAIM ORDINANCE 12-2025 VC –Motion of approval of Claim Ordinance 12-2025 made by Mike, 2nd by Cody. Roll Call: Yes: Mike, Ray, Shawn, Linda, and Cody. Motion carried.

REPORT OF COUNCIL COMMITTEES –*Zoning*: Kim was out today, and gave some warnings. She hopes to be able to attend the 2nd council meeting of July. *Streets*: July 2nd will be the bid openings of Spring St, more information to come at the next meeting. We did receive two more veteran banners. This would be a village cost along with the cost of the brackets. Motion to go ahead with this made by Linda, 2nd by Ray. Roll Call: Yes: Mike, Ray, Shawn, Linda, and Cody. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS-None to report.

NEW BUSINESS- Mike gave a report on 150.

Motion to adjourn at 7:49 pm made by Linda, 2nd by Mike. Roll Call: Yes: Mike, Ray, Shawn, Linda, and Cody. Motion carried.

ATTEST: *Angie Roth*
Fiscal Officer: Angie Roth

SIGNED: *Terry James*
Mayor: Terry James

Approved: 7/3/2025

SIGNED: *Linda Wildman*
Council President: Linda Wildman