

THE VILLAGE OF BRADNER COUNCIL

Record of Proceedings

April 16, 2026

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Council President, Linda Wildman
Council Member, Shawn Hall
Council Member, Matt Herrig
Council Member, Ray Zaker
Council Member, Christina Adams
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The Village Council of Bradner, Wood County, Ohio met in regular session on the 16th of April, 2026 at 7:00 pm in the meeting room of the Village Hall. The meeting was called to order by Mayor, Mike Gudakunst and all in attendance were asked to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance. Roll call was taken present were Matt Herrig, Christina Adams, Ray Zaker, Shawn Hall, and Linda Wildman. Motion to excuse Cody's absence made Linda, 2nd by Shawn. Roll Call: Yes: Matt, Christina, Ray, Shawn, and Linda. Motion carried. Motion to approve council minutes from April 2, 2026 meeting made by Linda, 2nd by Matt. Roll Call: Yes: Matt, Christina, Ray, Shawn, and Linda. 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- Chief Fairbanks had nothing new to report. Linda requested a run sheet of tickets issued. Cory said he will work one up.

FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT-Tom Wildman-Chief Wildman reported that the funding fell through for the first grant applied for by Didi of Gatchell for the generator for the new fire station. She is working on a new grant to apply for. Next Friday, ISO will be at the station for insurance purposes.

ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS –

ORDINANCE 03-2026-ORDINANCE ENACTING A SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FOR THE EXPENSE OF TRIMMING AND MAINTAINING TREES ALONG THE STREETS IN THE VILLAGE OF BRADNER, Second Reading

ORDINANCE 04-2026-ORDINANCE FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE STREETS IN THE VILLAGE OF BRADNER BY LIGHTING AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE SPECIAL ASSESSMENT OF THE COST THEREOF ON ALL THE LOTS AND LANDS IN THE VILLAGE OF BRADNER, Second Reading

BUSINESS OF THE MAYOR – Mayor Gudakunst-Mike asked council to think about as we are advertising for new full-time hires to increase the policy for the maximum comp time hours to bank from 32 hours currently to 80 hours as a cost saving measure and incentive. The hours are to be used in the current year earned. The parcel merger has been completed and recorded with the county for the new fire station. On the 22nd Mike will have a meeting with Teams on Cyber Security, more information to come. From the park committee meeting, Mike went over the quote from AQUA DOC for the aquatic management program for the pond at a cost of \$ 3,215.00. Motion to move forward with AQUA DOC made by Matt, 2nd by Christina. Roll Call: Yes: Matt, Christina, Ray, Shawn, and Linda. Motion carried.

BUSINESS OF THE VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR-John Linkey-John reported that on May 11th, My Splash Pad company will be out to the park to do the spring set up at the splash pad. The splash pad will not be opened to the public until Memorial Day weekend. John Courtney emailed John earlier this afternoon that John shared with all regarding two Behind-the-Meter solar projects that Bowling Green is planning to install. They may be willing to allow some of the smaller communities to subscribe to a portion of one of their projects. By participating in a much larger project, the village would pay a much lower price for the energy supplied by the solar project, and the village would still receive a proportionate share of the transmission and capacity benefits. More information to come on this as it develops. At 10am on the 23rd, AMP will be here at the town hall for a power supply meeting. John received a quote from Progressive Sweeping to street sweep the curbed streets at a cost of \$ 2,025.00. John would like to have this done in May and possibly October. Motion to do so in May made by Ray, 2nd by Linda. Roll Call: Yes: Matt, Christina, Ray, Shawn, and Linda. Motion carried. John went over the Clarke Mosquito Control Products quote for the larva sides for \$ 1,159.40 that will come from the Mosquito Dept's fund. Also, provided to all of council was the month's well reports as well as the utility clerk's reports.

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

BUSINESS OF THE FISCAL OFFICER-Angie presented council with the current Fund Status report.

APPROVAL OF CLAIM ORDINANCE 07-2026 VC –Motion of approval of Claim Ordinance 07-2026 made by Matt, 2nd by Shawn. Roll Call: Yes: Matt, Christina, Ray, Shawn, and Linda. Motion carried.

REPORT OF COUNCIL COMMITTEES –Park committee was covered earlier in the meeting.

OLD BUSINESS-non to report.

NEW BUSINESS- none to report.

Motion to adjourn at 7:33 pm made by Linda, 2nd by Matt. Roll Call: Yes: Matt, Christina, Ray, Shawn, and Linda. Motion carried.

ATTEST: *Angie Roth*
Fiscal Officer: Angie Roth

SIGNED: *Michael Gudakunst*
Mayor: Michael Gudakunst

Approved: 05/07/2026

SIGNED: *Linda Wildman*
Council President: Linda Wildman