

Village Of Downing

MEETING Minutes

July 13, 2026

Call to order at 7:03pm by Nutter

PLEDGE OF LEGIONS

ROLL CALL Village board members- Jeremy Nutter, Sue Mason, Tom Berends, Laura Lee, and Jennifer Lagerstrom

Approval of Agenda **APPROVED** Motioned by Nutter Second by Mason

Reading/APPROVAL of June Meeting **APPROVED** Motioned by Nutter Second by Berends

Reading/APPROVAL June Financials **APPROVED** Motioned by Nutter Second by Mason

Citizen Questions and Concerns No citizens attended this month

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

-PARK/ TASK FORCE UPDATE: Pump House bucket brought in \$30.00, Brothers brought in \$44.45, and the cans for June was \$48.00. July cans have not been brought in yet. Mason let board know that the traveling trophy for the monthly donations has been brought in to get Downing stuff on it.

Marry Go around Ben Perlick has the part to restore this item. Ben will be bringing it to us when he comes through Downing.

Triple Creek County Park sign is ready to be put up. Next thing to start is the September 19th craft show and corn boil. Lagerstrom let Knapp Valley riders know about the event in September to see if they would like to hold an event in Downing to bring more people in. They were going to bring this up at the next monthly meeting they have.

-MSILT Grant: The bridge will be done next summer. All the information needed to be done has been sent to landowners and public emergency services.

Culverts will be done in the next couple of weeks. Markings are all done.

NEW BUSINESS

-AMERICAN LEGION POST 232 COMMANDER ANDY DAHL: Messaged to be removed from agenda

-PORT A POTTY: Kids are using the pump House for bathroom and water and kids underage cannot be in bar without a parent by law. Mason contacted Nutter when pump house posted a message on face book and decided to have Berends sanitations bring a porta potty down for the month costing \$165.00 for 30 days and cleaned out weekly and to bring to board. The board had a discussion on who would pay for Porta Potties due to not being in budget. Was stated that it should be sewer paying for it not the park fundings due to this is all donations. Berends then said he would make a \$500.00 donation towards the park to pay for the summer. Everyone thanked Berends.

-LIFT STATION INSPECTION CONTRACT: Received a contract from MPW. This contract would put it so they would come inspect yearly at a set price for 3 years. They will come do the Downing inspection when they are in area doing Glenwood City. **APPROVED** motion made by Nutter Second by Berends to Approve the 3-year contract with MPW. All board members approve. Lagerstrom will sign contract and get sent over to MPW

-BUILDING INSPECTIONS: Nutter stated it would like to have Steinmeyer inspection come in to see what they can do so we can move forward with buildings that need be torn down due to falling and ect. Lagerstrom stated it would be nice to get something for website on what he does and what all needs permit for the downing residence. Lagerstrom will call and get them on next month's agenda if they are available.

-APPROVAL OF ORDINANCE #07-132026 PUBLIC NUISANCE AFFECTING PROPERTIES:

APPROVED Motion by Nutter Second by Berends for Ordinance #07-132026 to go in effect tomorrow July 14,2026. ALL are in favor

-SIDEWALK/RAILING: Nothing yet

-STEINMEYER INSPECTION ACTIVITY REPORT: Nothing to report

-OPERATORS LICENSE APPROVAL: Operator license for Jennifer Krizan and Caandance Springsteen for at The Pump House has an **APPROVED** motion by Nutter and Second by Mason

OTHER BUSINESS

-Berends was mowing behind buildings by the railroad, and someone has been back there Digging and that's the railroad's property. Lagerstrom will try and figure out who to call.

“THE BOARD MAY CONSIDER AND ACT ON ANY AGENDA ITEM”

Signed Vouchers and Checks **APPROVED** Motioned by Berends Second by Nutter

Motion to Adjourn by Nutter Second by Mason at 8:28PM

VILLAGE CLERK OF DOWNING

JENNIFER LAGERSTROM {typed 7-16-2026}

