

MINUTES

Reese Village Council
2073 Gates Street
September 8, 2025
7:00 p.m.

Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance: In the Municipal Building, President Pro-Tem, Paul Keast called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

Roll Call: President: Paul Keast, President Pro-Tem: Doug Squanda, Trustees: Darryl Tafoya, Dallas Quarrels, Brian Weihl, Jeff Skias, Matthew Bouvy

Absent: None

Staff Present: Treasurer: Lindsay Mason
Village Manager: Thomas Raymond
Clerk: Erin Osborn

Guests in Attendance: Tanner Moore, Issac Zimmer

Approval/Adjustments to the Agenda: Motion by Weihl, 2nd by Squanda to approve the agenda as presented. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Adoption of Minutes from meeting held August 11, 2025: Motion by Squanda, 2nd by Tafoya, to adopt the minutes of the August 11, 2025, meeting as presented. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Public Comments – None

Consent Agenda: Motion by Bouvy, 2nd by Weihl, to accept the reports from Reese Fire Rescue, Village Manager, Police Dept., and DPW. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Minutes Received from Boards & Commissions: Motion by Weihl, 2nd by Quarrels, to accept the reports from Reese Fire, Blumfield Reese Water Authority, Denmark Twp, Park & Rec 8/12 & 8/28. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Letters to the Trustees – None

Approval of Check Listing: Motion by Bouvy, 2nd by Squanda to accept check listing #'s 23847 to 23889 totaling \$132,816.57 for fund accounts. **6 yay's & 1 nay**

Update Unfinished or Pending Matters:

- A. Storm Drain issues M-81 and Gugino St. – Much discussion followed
- B. Office computer updates: **Motion** by Skias, 2nd by Weihl to accept the office computer updates. **Motion carried unanimously.**

New Business:

- A. Audit review, Berthiaume & Company: Auditor was not present.
- B. Employee health care, Issac Zimmer: A committee was established to review healthcare options, made up of Raymond, Tafoya, and Skias.
- C. Park and Recreation request to have net post installed by Pro Surfaces, \$7,500 **Motion** by Squanda, 2nd by Tafoya, to accept Park and Recreation request to have net post installed by Pro Surfaces, \$7,500 **Motion carried unanimously.**
- D. Park and Recreation request to have sidewalk installed in park from crosswalk to ADA swing by WJH Concrete \$2,942.50. **Motion** by Tafoya, 2nd by Quarrels, to accept Park and Recreation request to have sidewalk installed in park from crosswalk to ADA swing by WJH Concrete \$2,942.50 **Motion carried unanimously.**
- E. Lot combination request, 9662 Bader Dr. **Motion** by Bouvy, 2nd by Skias, to accept Lot combination request, 9662 Bader Dr. **Motion carried unanimously**
- F. Tree removal request by homeowner at 1572 Kern, new construction, tree is in the way for planned driveway and will be removed by homeowner if approved. **Motion** by Squanda, 2nd by Quarrels to accept tree removal request by homeowner at 1572 Kern, new construction, tree is in the way for planned driveway and will be removed by homeowner if approved. **Motion carried unanimously.**
- G. DPW tree removal request for trees over storm sewer in right-a-way, Overton St., Est. cost \$1,200 from local street fund. **Motion** by Squanda, 2nd by Tafoya to accept DPW tree removal request for trees over storm sewer in right-a-way, Overton St., Est. cost \$1,200 from local street fund. **6 yay's & 1 nay.**
- H. Manager's draft agreement. **Vote on in October.**

Public Comments: None

Items for next agenda:

M-81 Storm Drain
Audit
Managers contract
Healthcare

Meeting adjourned at 8:31 p.m.

Monday, September 8, 2025

Respectfully Submitted,
Lindsay Mason, Treasurer

Approved By: Lindsay Mason Date: Oct. 13th 2025