

COUNCIL MEETING

Wednesday September 16, 2026

The council met in regular session at 5:30 pm with Mayor Rick presiding.

Ms. Van Dike asked everyone to join him in a moment of reflection of their own intentions. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was recited by all.

The Council Meeting was held in the Council Chambers. The meeting was open to the public and was posted to the Village's Facebook page after the meeting was held.

Roll Call: Yoho, Van Dike, Raddish, Bauer, and Miller were present. McDowall and Tonsic were excused.

Others Present: Mayor Mike Rick, Council Clerk Jennifer Barnes, and Law Director Jason Dodson. Village Engineer Matt Glass and Clerk-Treasurer Scott Varney were excused.

Motion by Van Dike, second by Bauer for the approval of the agenda as presented. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Bauer, second by Yoho, to adopt the minutes from the September 02, 2026 Council meeting. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE ON PENDING LEGISLATION:

No Comments.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

UTILITIES: Mr. Bauer had no report.

SAFETY: Mr. Yoho had no report.

PARKS & RECREATION: Mr. McDowall was excused.

PLANNING AND ZONING: Ms. Miller had no report.

FINANCE/AUDIT: Ms. Van Dike had one resolution to read.

STREETS: Mr. Tonsic was excused.

Mr. Raddish stated that the Village of Mogadore Work Session will be held on September 23, 2026 at 5:30 pm with all committees reporting.

NEW BUSINESS:

Resolution 2026-56 – Ms. Van Dike – Sponsor: Finance Committee

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS FROM THE GENERAL FUND TO THE FIRE FUND AND THE PARK & RECREATION FUND, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Van Dike made a motion to suspend the rules requiring three readings; seconded by Bauer. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Van Dike to adopt Resolution 2026-56; seconded by Miller. Vote. Unanimous ayes. Motion carried.

COMMENTS from the Public:

Carl Housley, 67 First Ave, wanted to speak again about stabilizing funding for the fire department. He questioned the funding for the square project and how the Village was able to pay for said project. Mayor Rick explained that the Village was not paying for the square project, it is funded by the TIF negotiations. Even after this was stated, Carl still pressed the matter of a levy for the fire department and, in his opinion, its negative effects.

June Long, 4061 Etter Rd, noted the recent windstorm at the beginning of the month and had concerns that there was not an additional limb pickup scheduled for residents with limbs down. She was also under the impression and assumption that Etter Rd is not included with pickups when they occur.

Skylar Colegrove, 366 S Cleveland Ave, had the recommendation of helping raise funds for the fire department with car shows and farmers markets.

COMMENTS from the Council: Council had no comment.

COMMENTS from the Law Director: Jason Dodson had no comment.

COMMENTS from the Village Engineer:

COMMENTS from the Clerk-Treasurer:

COMMENTS from Mayor Rick: Mayor Rick noted and appreciated Skylar's comments; however he also stated that we are looking at half a million dollars a year to fund. Where her ideas are good, they aren't enough to generate that kind of money. He also stated again, the tax increase would be about \$2.00 per resident per month.

Fall limb pickup will be from 10/02/2026 to 10/05/2026. This is something that the Village provides as a courtesy to the residents and is not a required service.

Meeting adjourned at 5:45 pm.

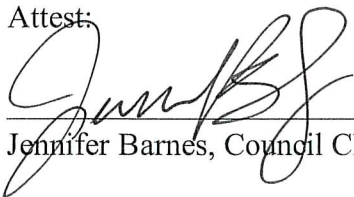


Michael Rick, Mayor

10-7-26

Date

Attest:



Jennifer Barnes, Council Clerk

10/7/2026

Date